

Covenant for Commissioned Pastor (CP)

Committee on Ministry (COM), New Harmony Presbytery (NHP). (11-6-23)

This ministry and covenant shall be reviewed and renewed at the end of each year for the coming year by the **Commissioned Pastor and Session** and by the **COM** on the 2nd Tuesday of January.

Termination of this covenant shall not occur without prior communication with NHP's COM Moderator or EP and only with a minimum of 30-day notice by either party.

Name of Church: _____

Name of CP: _____

Congregation of Membership of the CP: _____

Service from _____ **to** _____ (Ordinarily 1/1/XX to 12/31/XX)

Name of CP's "Mentor and Supervisor" (G-2.1004): _____

How often will/does the CP and the "Mentor and Supervisor" confer? _____

How do/will they ordinarily meet (in person, by phone, ZOOM, etc.)? _____

Has the ministry of the congregation, Session and CP been reviewed by the Session?

YES or No **If yes, date** _____

• Circle the **Stated Meetings** the CP attended in the past 12 months (attendance required unless excused): February May August November

• Which **CP Gatherings** did you attend (1 of 2 required): _____

• If you serve on an NHP entity, which one: _____

• If none of above, what was/were the reason/s: _____

Responsibilities of the Commissioned Pastor (check those which apply)

- Lead worship and preach**
- Administer the Sacraments**
- Moderate the session and congregational meetings**
- Provide pastoral care**
- Officiate, upon request, at Services of Witness to the Resurrection and Weddings**
- Other** _____

Approximate Time Expectation (per week): _____ Hourly Pay Rate: \$_____

Compensation: Cash Salary Annually \$_____ Cash Salary Weekly \$_____

Housing (within the Cash Salary) \$_____ Free use of manse: Yes _____ No _____

Ministry expenses reimbursed including travel at IRS approved rate, not to exceed \$_____

Vacation - 4 weeks annually prorated; how many used this past year? _____

Continuing Education - 2 wks annually prorated; how many used this past year? _____

How was Continuing Education used this past year? _____

Commissioned Pastor: _____ Date: _____

Clerk of Session: _____ Date of Session Action: _____

COM Representative: _____ Date of COM Action: _____