



## Pastoral Transition

### The Board of Directors....

...is continuing to work with Rev. Pressley Sutherland of the Office of Formation and Leadership Development to identify potential applicants for our position of Provisional Pastor. We have received information about several interested parties, and are working to gather information about them and are planning to schedule meetings in the next couple of weeks.

We have received expressions of interest from two members of the congregation who would like to assist the Board in the discernment process. The Board will finalize the composition of the group prior to conducting any applicant interviews.

-----

Please review the deck that was presented on 9/24/2017. It's on our website at:

[http://www.opendoormcc.org/congregation/transition/transition\\_files/pastoral\\_church\\_transition\\_forum2017.pdf](http://www.opendoormcc.org/congregation/transition/transition_files/pastoral_church_transition_forum2017.pdf)

All the transition-related materials are available on our website at:

[http://www.opendoormcc.org/congregation/transition/transition\\_index.htm](http://www.opendoormcc.org/congregation/transition/transition_index.htm)

The Board continues to seek your input as we work through the transition together. Please watch this spot in the newsletter for the latest developmental until the process is completed, so communication to the rest of the congregation will need to be limited in order to protect the confidentiality of the applicants.

As always, don't wait to be asked - feel free to reach out to any and all members of the Board to share your thoughts and ideas. And with your questions and comments as we go through this process together.

To understand better the role of a provisionments.

As always, you can address your questions or comments to any Board member:

Curt Judd  
Jolene Capozzi  
Richard Sudol  
Amy Morrison  
Vernessa Wilson  
Drew Curtis

Thank You!!