Classis of North Grand Rapids Meeting Minutes

Special Session, Ordination of the Rev. Branson Parler Fourth Reformed Church November 12, 2017

Opening:

Meeting Called to Order by Rev. Jennifer Petersen, President at 4 PM

Roll Call (completed by signature)

A – Excused Absence U – Unexcused Absence

Church	Clergy	Elder	Elder
Aberdeen	Ryan Landt (U)	(U)	
Fourth	Eric Schalk	Bob Burgraff	Don Coutchie
		Tom Boehm	
Oakview			
Orchard Hill	Bob Karel (U)	(U)	
	Kathy Bartels (U)		
The Community – Ada	Billy Norden		
	Specialized Ministers	and Without Charge	
Eric Branch (U)	Lisa Henderson (U)	Kate Kooyman	Diane Maodush-Pitzer
Tim Meendering	Rachel Bush (U)	Brad Olson (U)	

Participants

Rev. Jennifer Petersen, presiding; Rev. Tim Meendering, prayer of confession and assurance of pardon; Dr. Dan Kroeze, sermon; Rev. Aaron Wetzel, Pastoral Care Committee; Dr. Patricia Harris, President and Representative of Kuyper College; and Adam Aldridge, Luke Carrig, Chan Kim, and Grace Kim, worship leaders.

Rev. Branson Parler was ordained as minister of Word and sacrament.

Rev. Branson Parler ended the service by pronouncing the benediction.

Jennife Peter	Robert & Deitsma
Jennifer Petersen, President	Robert J. Teitsma, Stated Clerk