

Classis of North Grand Rapids Meeting Minutes

Special Session, Installation of the Rev. Dr. Mara Norden

The Community - Ada, Ada MI

January 16, 2022

Opening:

Meeting Called to Order by Rev. Dr. Lou Lotz, Chairperson of the Pastoral Care Committee at 10:10 AM

Roll Call (completed by signature)

Due to an error in the original call to the Revs. Billy and Mara Norden, the dissolution of call for Billy resulted in the dissolution of Mara at the same time. As a result, a new call was issued to Mara by The Community – Ada and was accepted. By the Book of Church Order a new installation needed to take place. It was decided that the ordination service would be conducted as part of a regularly scheduled Sunday morning worship service with a minimum number of delegates present.

The following delegates were in attendance: Rev. Eric Bogerd, Rev. John Delger, Rev. Dr. Lou Lotz, and Rev. Billy Norden; Elders Karen Bogerd, Bianca Luehmann, Richard Maloley, Paula Schuiteman-Bishop, Christina Tazelaar, Ellen Waalkes, and Rob Teitsma.

Participants

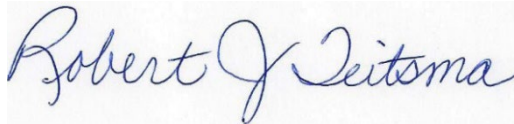
Rev. Dr. Lou Lotz, Charge to the Minister and Congregation.

Rev. Dr. Mara Norden was installed as Pastor.

Rev. Dr Norden ended the service by pronouncing the benediction.



Rev. Dr. Tim Meendering, President



Robert J. Teitsma, Stated Clerk