

Pastor Nominating Committee Update, April 19, 2026

We'd like to share a brief update on our search for FPCA's next pastor.

Since our update last month, we have continued to take active steps forward in the search process. Some of you may remember Tod Bolsinger from AE Sloan, who worked with FPCA during our Mission Study a few years ago. Recently, he shared with us a few potential candidates from his network. We completed an initial interview with one individual who, after further discernment, was not the right fit for our congregation. We are also in conversation with another candidate whom the committee found to be promising, and we are in the process of scheduling a second interview as we continue to explore that opportunity together.

In addition, we recently met with Pastor Morgan to seek his perspective and guidance. His insight into both our congregation and the broader pastoral landscape was helpful as we continue to refine our approach and ensure we are conducting this search as thoughtfully and effectively as possible.

Our committee continues to meet regularly and remains actively engaged in reviewing candidates, conducting interviews, and discerning next steps. While the process takes time, we are encouraged to be moving forward and to have meaningful conversations with potential candidates.

As always, we ask for your continued prayers — for wisdom, discernment, and unity for our committee, and for God's guidance in preparing the right pastor for FPCA.

We would also welcome your help. If you know of someone you believe could be a strong fit for FPCA, we invite you to share that recommendation with a member of the committee. Personal referrals can be a valuable part of this process.

We will continue to provide regular updates every month or two as we move forward so that you can stay informed and engaged. At the same time, we want to be mindful of the confidentiality that is essential to this process. Out of respect for candidates and their current ministries, we are not able to share names or specific details as conversations progress.

We are grateful for your ongoing support and encouragement, and we remain hopeful and confident in God's timing.

And as a reminder, all members of the Pastor Nominating Committee are always available if you have questions or would like to talk.

Thank you.