

**Committee on
Preparation for Ministry
Report to the 109th Stated Meeting
of the Presbytery of Arkansas
First Presbyterian Church
Harrison, Arkansas**

At its meeting on August 23, 2008, the Committee on Preparation for Ministry . . .

- 1) approved the grades of the exceptional exams given for Candidate Will Fletcher (Presbyterian Church of Bella Vista).
- 2) conducted a Final Assessment for Candidate Will Fletcher and, upon approval of his statement of faith and PIF, the CPM certified him as ready for examination for ordination, pending a call.
- 3) met with Candidate Elizabeth Gabbard (First, Fort Smith) for her Annual Consultation, and voted to continue her candidacy.
- 4) met with Inquirer Susie Wiggins (Westover Hills, Little Rock) for her Annual Consultation, and voted to continue her inquiry.
- 5) met with Inquirer Wambugu Gachungi (First, Clarksville) for his Annual Consultation, and voted to continue his inquiry.
- 6) recommends the removal of Barbara Padgett from presbytery's roll of candidates after years of attempts to contact her have been unsuccessful.
- 7) recommends the removal of Sarah Leer from presbytery's roll of inquirers at her request since she is not seeking ordination.
- 8) recommends that the Presbytery of Arkansas examine Candidate Mark Hoehne (First, Conway) for ordination.

Respectfully submitted,
Tom Ulrich