

CONSTITUTION/BY-LAWS/CONTINUING RESOLUTIONS PROPOSAL
STANDING COMMITTEES and MINISTRY TEAMS
GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
WILKES-BARRE, PA

Note: Proposed deletions are in brackets. Proposed changes and additions are underlined.

CONSTITUTION:

Chapter 13

CONGREGATION STANDING COMMITTEES AND MINISTRY TEAMS

C13.02.

A Nominating Committee of [six] three (3) voting members of this congregation, two of whom, if possible, shall be outgoing members of the Congregation Council, shall be elected at the May semi-annual meeting for a term of one year. Members of the Nominating Committee are not eligible for consecutive reelection.

C13.04.

A Mutual Ministry Committee (in the absence of a mutual ministry committee, the duties shall be fulfilled by the executive committee) shall be appointed jointly by the president and the pastor(s). Term of office shall be two years, three members to be appointed each successive year. Committee members will hold no other office in the congregation during their term.

C13.06.

Other congregation Standing Committees and/or Ministry Teams may be formed as the need arises, by decision of the Congregation Council. Each Standing Committee and/or Ministry Team will have a Congregation Council member appointed to it. The pastor(s) shall have voice and vote in all Standing Committees and/or Ministry Teams with the exception of the Mutual Ministry Committee for which the pastor(s) will have voice only.

C13.07.

Duties of congregation Standing Committees and/or Ministry Teams shall be specified in the continuing resolutions.

C13.08.

No Standing Committee and/or Ministry Team shall have a plurality of its membership from a single immediate family, as defined in the continuing resolutions.

C13.09

The pastor(s) of this congregation shall be an ex officio member of all Standing Committees [and boards] and/or Ministry Teams of the congregation with the exception of the Mutual Ministry Committee. The president of this congregation shall be an ex officio member of all Standing Committees [and boards] and/or Ministry Teams of the congregation, except the Nominating Committee.