

# PMRV Covenant 2022

Revised 1-18-22 PMRV Leadership Team

## With God's help we covenant to:

### PRAY

- For our denomination, presbytery, congregations, ministries and one another;
- As a cornerstone of every process;
- To seek Christ's way in every deliberation.

### ACT

- With encouragement and respect toward one another, illustrating the Good News;
- With awareness we are the Body of Christ and God uses our relationships;
- Listening deeply with honest consideration
- Communicating directly with the truth in love;
- Keeping healthy and honest boundaries that build trust

### ACCEPT

- We will have disagreements and we will use prayerful ways to address them,
- We will use protocols that create safety in seeking understanding and clarity;
- We will focus on goals and not dehumanize people.

### BE GOOD STEWARDS

- Following through on the responsibilities we have been given.

### In 2022 we seek to live into these four callings:

**Listening** to God and one another;

**Being** the body of Christ (build relationships);

**Affirming** that God uses us;

**Practicing** the Matthew 25 initiative and its three emphases:

building congregational vitality;  
dismantling structural racism;  
and eradicating systemic poverty.