

Pastor Church Resources

Discernment, Encouragement, Relationships

Pastor Church Resources serves pastors, churches, and classes as they seek to promote healthy relationships, encourage one another in ministry, and discern next steps in seasons of growth, transition, or challenge.

Church Health

- **Consultation:** assistance for congregational leaders with challenges they're facing. (Dave, Sean, Zach)
- **Leadership Development:** training, coaching, and consulting for pastors, ministry leaders, and classis leaders, including Church Order assistance. (Al, Dave, Sean, Zach)
- **Women's Leadership Development:** developing women to flourish in their gifts and calling. (Elaine)
- **Learning Events:** training opportunities for congregations and their leaders. (Dave, Elaine, Sean, Zach)
- **Healthy Church:** helping congregations to have fruitful conversations about their health and their future. (Zach)
- **Financial Shalom:** supporting churches' financial wellbeing and sustainability. (Nate)
- **Specialized Transitional Ministers:** experienced pastors trained to help congregations in challenging transitions. (Dave, Sean, Kim)
- **Interim Pastors:** short-term pastoral leaders for churches. (Kim)
- **PastorSearch:** support for churches and pastors involved in the pastor search process. (Kim, Zach)

The staff person(s) responsible for each resource is noted after each listing.



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Pastor Wellbeing

- **Mentoring:** a program for pastors in their first five years of ministry. (Zach, Kim)
- **Thriving Together:** a program for pastors in early years of second call, considering a ministry move, and nearing the end of parish ministry. (Al, Dave, Sean, Zach, Margie)
- **Continuing Education:** continuing education grants for pastors. (Nate)
- **Bivocational Ministry:** providing resources and support for bivocational pastors and their churches. (Nate)
- **Financial Shalom:** resources for alleviating pastors' financial challenges. (Nate)
- **Pastors' Conference:** biennial conference for pastors. (Al, Elaine, Kim, Lis)
- **Pastors' Spouses:** biennial conference for pastors' wives. (Kim, Lis)
- **Pastor Peer Groups:** peer learning grants for pastors. (Lis)
- **Sabbaticals:** information about sabbaticals, sabbatical policies, and resources for the benefit of pastors and congregations. (Lis)
- **Vocational Assessments:** helping pastors discern vocational fit using Birkman Assessment. (Zach)

Regional/Classis Support

- **Classis Leaders:** convening and strategic coaching opportunities for classis leaders. (Al, Margie)
- **Regional Pastors:** support, encouragement, and resourcing for regional pastors. (Al, Margie)
- **Classis Renewal:** support for renewal teams and classes exploring fresh opportunities. (Al, Margie)

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Your Partner for Healthy Ministry

Whether you're in a season of growth, transition, or challenge, Pastor Church Resources has tools to help you as you discern your next steps.

