

## Calendar for Affirmation of Senior Pastor Search Team

- 1. Sept. 7 (Sunday): Congregational update.
- 2. Sept. 14 (Sunday): Announce 30-day period, Sept. 14-Oct. 13, for nominating candidates to the Pastor Search Team.
- 3. Oct. 14 (Tuesday)-Oct. 28 (Tuesday): Nominations Team completes candidate interviews.
- 4. Oct. 29 (Wednesday): Nominations Team recommends best qualified nominees to the Leadership Team.
- 5. Nov. 7 (Friday): Leadership Team announces names of nominees recommended for affirmation by congregation.
- 6. Nov. 7-Dec. 6: 30-day period for congregation to bring forward any concerns about a nominee, first to the prospective nominee and then to the Leadership Team for consideration.
- 7. Dec. 7: Congregational meeting where nominees proposed by the Nominations Team and approved by the Leadership Team shall be presented to the congregation for affirmation by a two-thirds vote of active church members (Covenant Partners) present. (Twenty-five percent of the active membership shall constitute a quorum for this meeting, with a minimum of ten (10) members.
- 8. Dec. 8-Jan. 30: Search Team meets with East Coast Superintendent and establishes procedures and processes for the search, and posts the job description.