



# Knox News

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## Next Steps in Our Pastoral Relations Process (aka Search for Our Next Minister)

Leadership Team is thrilled to announce our Community of Faith Profile has been completed and was approved on January 11.

It is now ready for your approval on

**January 23, 2022**

**Congregational Zoom Meeting**

We are grateful for input as we work to tell our story. We are especially thankful for the expert guidance of Mona Denton during much of this process. Many heads were gathered together many times to capture our essence and we look forward to your responses. This is a very important step in the process and your participation is a crucial part of it. Please plan to "attend" our meeting. If you are unable to connect by video, you can "attend" by phone. Or perhaps, if comfortable, don your mask and visit a friend with zoom capabilities. If none of this works for you, please do not hesitate to phone me (468-4898) or email ([knoxchair11@gmail.com](mailto:knoxchair11@gmail.com)) to offer your thoughts. The Community of Faith Profile will be sent out early next week to give you time to read it, to be ready with your edits and/or thoughts for our meeting.

Once we have your approval of the profile, it will be sent to Prairie to Pine Regional Council for its approval. And if that process goes well, it will be posted on Church Hub (where prospective ministers go to find their next Community of Faith). At this meeting, we will be submitting names for our next Search Committee for your approval as well. They will be waiting and ready for the explosion of interest once it is posted.



## Our Zoom Story

This is an idea that Brenda Shodin presented to us during her reflection last Sunday. While writing reports for our Annual Report last year, there was much difficulty in keeping the details separate from one year to the other. It was almost as though the years (2020 or 2021?) were morphing into each other. Without the usual milestones, when does one stop and the other start? The saga seems to be continuing and may pose the same issues for the next Annual Report; therefore, we want to add a new component to it. It doesn't mean that the reports will disappear: we just will be adding Our COVID Story to it. Since we were unable to see and hear each other each week, we often wonder what you did or were doing during COVID.

Did you learn new skills, find new ways of keeping connected, clean out and organize closets, find ways of labelling everything, tick off items on an old "to do" list, write your family story, paint? The list could go on and on and we would like you to share it if you are comfortable. Share any way that is easiest for you - written story, pictures, call and tell it to me. Whatever is easiest for you. No story is insignificant or not interesting. And ... THANK YOU.