

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Update from Sunday's Congregational Meeting Email Sent from Paul Hahn: 8/26/2021

Dear Pacific Crossroads Members and Friends,

Grace and peace to you in Christ Jesus. I pray that the Lord is meeting you as you journey through this week.

Our church session met again on Wednesday evening and voted unanimously to call a congregational meeting for September 12, 2021, immediately following the 10am worship service. The purpose of this meeting will be to vote on whether to retain our denominational connection with Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) or not. It is the session's hope that we will be able to proceed to a vote on this matter by ballot in a timely way on September 12, after our lengthy discussion at our last meeting. Again, we apologize for any confusion or frustration experienced at that meeting. You can read my summary and reflections on that meeting [HERE](#).

This meeting will once again be held in Barnum Hall, with a closed-circuit option for those who choose to worship and meet outside the auditorium, on the campus of SAMOHI. Additionally, since September 12 was the planned launch date for regular weekly services to begin at St John's for our downtown/east-side community, we will hold a special 10am service in the downtown area, at a location to be determined. Video access and text interaction will be available at that downtown location for the congregational meeting, so you can go to that site for worship and take part in the meeting, via Zoom and text access, and cast your vote there as well. So, whether you connect with PCC via our Santa Monica site or our downtown/east-side site, you can take part in this important meeting. **Please note that once again you will need to be physically present to vote.** Thank you to so many of you who came out to participate last Sunday. I pray that you will come again and help us complete this process on September 12.

More details will be forthcoming leading up to the meeting. I just wanted to get this news out to you now. May the Lord continue to meet us, sustain us, and renew us as his people! Amen.

In Christ,

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