

Harrisburg Presbyterian Church,

Mark you calendars! You are invited to participate in the first stage of New Beginnings!

WHEN: Wednesday, July 22, 7:00 pm  
WHERE: HPC - Fellowship Hall  
WHAT: Feedback Session (Appreciative Inquiry)  
WHO: All Active Participants of HPC (Members and Visitors)  
WHY: This Q&A session is a vital part of the assessment process in which our church's voice is both critical and valued as a part of God's story at HPC.

### **Stage one is upon us!**

A few weeks ago you received a letter regarding 'New Beginnings', and the upcoming stages of the the process. The first stage is the Assessment.

*Stage 1: Assessment - The initial stage of the process begins with an on-site visit to the church. During this visit the assessor will examine the facilities, review past financial information, tour the community in which the church is located, meet with the pastor and other key leaders, and perform an Appreciative Inquiry session with the congregation to better understand the church's programmatic and missional strengths.*

Our New Beginnings assessor (Carla Gorrell) will be arriving earlier that day to meet with people for a building tour, a review of our last year's activities and calendar, a tour of Harrisburg, and a look at our financials. After meeting with the Pastor and Clerk of Session over dinner, she'll be back at HPC for a Feedback session (Appreciative Inquiry) with our congregation.

It is our sincere hope that you will take this opportunity to participate in the discernment process and attend this important gathering.

In Christ Service,

Tim Bostick  
Pastor of HPC