

**FORTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
PRE-ASSEMBLY SCHEDULE AND DOCKET**

Presbyterian Church in America  
Hyatt Regency Atlanta  
Atlanta, GA • June 12-15, 2018  
(SECOND DRAFT)

**PRE-ASSEMBLY SCHEDULE**

**Monday, June 11, 2018**

- 3:00 p.m.** Commissioner Registration Open  
**5:00 p.m.** Commissioner Registration Closed

**Pre-Assembly Conferences and Activities**

**Tuesday, June 12, 2018**

- 7:00 a.m.** Commissioner Registration Open  
**8:00 a.m.** Briefing for Overtures Committee  
**9:00 a.m.** Meeting of Overtures Committee begins  
Briefing of Committees of Commissioners  
**10:00 a.m.** Meetings of the Committees of Commissioners begins:  
Administrative Committee  
Committee on Discipleship Ministries  
Covenant College  
Covenant Theological Seminary  
Interchurch Relations  
Mission to North America  
Mission to the World  
PCA Foundation  
Ridge Haven  
Reformed University Ministries  
PCA Retirement & Benefits, Inc.  
**5:00 p.m.** Commissioner Registration Closed  
**7:30 p.m.** Prayer Meeting

## **GENERAL ASSEMBLY PROPOSED DOCKET**

Only the orders of the day and special orders are fixed times in the docket. Other items may be taken up earlier or later in the docket, depending upon the rate at which actions on reports are completed. *Therefore, those who present reports should be prepared to report earlier or later than the docketed times.*

### **Wednesday, June 13, 2018**

- 7:30 a.m.** Commissioner Registration Open
- 8:00 a.m.** Meeting of Overtures Committee continue as needed
- 8:00 – 11:30 a.m.** Seminars  
8:00 – 9:00 a.m. First Session  
9:15 – 10:15 a.m. Second Session  
10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Third Session
- 9:00 a.m.** Meeting of the Committee on Constitutional Business (if necessary)  
Meeting of the AC/Board of Directors
- 10:00 a.m.** Meeting of Theological Examining Committee
- 11:30 am – 12:30 p.m.** Pre-Assembly Prayer Meeting
- 11:30 am – 12:30 p.m.** Briefing of Floor Clerks
- 12 noon** Lunch (on your own)
- 1:30 p.m.** Opening Session of the General Assembly  
Call to Order by the outgoing Moderator: RE Dr. Alexander Jun (*RAO 1-1*)  
Worship Service and Observance of the Lord's Supper
- 3:00 p.m.** Assembly Reconvenes  
Report on enrollment and determining of quorum (*RAO 1-2*)  
Election of Moderator (*RAO 1-3, 1-4, 1-5*)  
Presentation to Retiring Moderator  
Presentation of Docket (*RAO 3-2, m*)  
Election of Recording and Assistant Clerks  
Appointment of Assistant Parliamentarians (*RAO 3-2, i*)  
Appointment by Moderator of a Committee of Thanks
- 3:30 p.m.** Report of the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly, including:  
New Churches Added, Statistics, Overtures (*RAO 11-4 to 11-11*)  
Communications (*RAO 11-1, 11-2, 11-3, 11-11*)  
Report on Presbytery Votes on Proposed Amendments to *BCO*  
Vote on *BCO* Proposed Amendments approved by Presbyteries  
Partial Report of AC re: amendments to *RAO 8-4 i.* and 13-2.

**Wednesday, June 13, 2018 (continued)**

- 3:45 p.m.** Report of the Committee of Commissioners on Interchurch Relations and Fraternal Greetings
- 4:30 p.m.** Review of Presbytery Records Committee Report
- 5:30 p.m.** Deadline for Nominations from the floor to the Nominating Committee (*RAO* 8-4.i) at recess, if the proposed revision to *RAO* 8-4.i is approved.
- Recess for Dinner and Fellowship Time
- Meeting of the Nominating Committee
- Commissioner Registration Closed

**Note on Presentation of New Business:**

All personal resolutions are new business (*RAO* 13-1, 13-2, 11-9) and are to be presented no later than the recess of the afternoon session, if the revision to *RAO* 13-2 is approved. A two-thirds majority vote is required. If the Assembly receives the resolution, it will be referred by the Stated Clerk to the proper committee of commissioners.

**Thursday, June 14, 2018**

- 7:30 a.m.** Commissioner Registration Open
- 8:00 a.m.** Assembly-wide Seminar – Racial and Ethnic Reconciliation
- 9:30 a.m.** Assembly Reconvenes
- Minutes of Wednesday Sessions
- 9:35 a.m.** Ad Interim Committee on Racial and Ethnic Reconciliation Report
- 10:00 a.m.** Cooperative Ministries Report
- 10:15 a.m.** Committee on Constitutional Business Report
- 10: 25 a.m.** Theological Examining Committee Report
- 10:35 a.m.** Informational and Committee of Commissioners Reports
- PCA Retirement & Benefits, Inc.
- Reformed University Ministries
- 11:15 a.m.** **Special Order:** Nominating Committee Report
- Administration of vows to SJC members (*RAO* 17-1)
- Declaration of SJC as Assembly’s Commission (*BCO* 15-4)
- 12 noon** Lunch Recess

**Thursday, June 14, 2018 (continued)**

- 1:30 p.m.** Assembly Reconvenes  
Standing Judicial Commission Report
- 1:40 p.m.** Informational and Committee of Commissioners Reports  
Covenant Theological Seminary  
Ridge Haven Conference Center  
Covenant College  
Committee on Discipleship Ministries  
Mission to the World  
PCA Foundation  
Mission to North America  
Administrative Committee
- 4:15 p.m.** Overtures Committee Report
- 5:30 p.m.** Recess for Dinner
- 7:00 p.m.** Musical Prelude
- 7:30 p.m.** Assembly Reconvenes for Worship Service
- 9:00 p.m.** Reconvene for business (if necessary)

**Friday, June 15, 2018**

- 8:00 a.m.** Assembly Reconvenes for Worship Service  
Minutes of Thursday Session
- 8:40 a.m.** Overtures Committee Report (continued)
- 11:35 a.m.** Committee on Thanks Report
- 11:45 a.m.** Appointment of Commission to review and approve final version of minutes  
Adjournment (*BCO* 14-8)  
Sing Psalm 133
- 12 noon** Apostolic Benediction (II Corinthians 13:14)

**Only commissioners with badges will be admitted to the floor of the Assembly.**