



Commissioner Registration

**Birmingham-Jefferson
Convention Complex
Birmingham, AL
June 16-19, 2020**

Registration Guidelines:

BCO 14-2 specifies that all teaching elders in good standing with their Presbyteries may attend as commissioners. It also allows sessions to send two (2) ruling elder commissioners for the first 350 communicant members or fraction thereof, and one (1) additional ruling elder commissioner for each additional 500 communicant members or fraction thereof.

Registration Deadline:

Registration and payment are requested **AS SOON AS POSSIBLE** in order to facilitate planning and to provide you information in time to make hotel reservations at discounted prices.

Registration Fee:

The Commissioner Registration Fee is \$450 as established by the General Assembly. The fee includes General Assembly enrollment (\$350), the *Commissioner Handbook*, the *Supplement*, and *General Assembly Minutes* (\$25), and assists with Standing Judicial Commission expenses (\$75).

If you are unsure of which elder(s) will be representing your church, but want to be sure to get the materials in a timely fashion, you may register with “*unknown*” in the name field. We will replace it with the correct name later when you make your representative(s) known to us.

RAO 18-1 encourages each congregation of the PCA to make a specific donation to assist in defraying the expenses of the General Assembly, whether a commissioner is sent to the Assembly or not. The donation should cover the registration for one representative from the congregation. If no representative from your church is able to attend, please make this donation by checking the box labeled “No Commissioner” on the registration form. You will receive access to the *Commissioner Handbook* and *Supplement*, and receive the *General Assembly Minutes*.

The Following Reduced Registration Fees are Available:

- Ruling elder emeritus or an honorably retired teaching elder may register at one-third of the standard registration fee (\$150).
- Ruling and teaching elders from churches with less than \$100,000 in annual income per their 2019 statistics may register for \$300. (If 2019 statistics are not available, 2018 may be used.)

Scholarship Fund: Eligibility and application information for the commissioner registration scholarship fund go to: <https://pcaga.org/commissioners/ga-commissioner-scholarship/>

Refund Policy:

- **Through May 14**, full refunds will be given if requested in writing (mail or e-mail).
- **May 15 through May 28**, one-half of the registration fee will be refunded if requested in writing.
- **After May 28** no refund will be considered

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Medical Release: While we do our best to provide the safest possible environment for our events, the Presbyterian Church in America cannot be held responsible for any medical emergencies that occur during the General Assembly.

Questions: Please call the Administrative Committee Office at 678-825-1000 or send an email to ac@pcanet.org.



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Register Now!

- www.pcaac.org
- PCA Administrative Committee
1700 N Brown Rd, Suite 105
Lawrenceville, GA 30043

Reduced Registration Fees

An honorably retired teaching elder or ruling elder emeritus may register for \$150.

Commissioners representing PCA churches with less than \$100,000 in annual income per their 2019 church statistics may register for \$300. (If 2019 statistics are not available, 2018 may be used.)

No Commissioner Attending

If no representative from your church is able to attend, please make a donation by checking the box labeled "No Commissioner." You will receive access to the *Commissioner Handbook* and *Supplement*, and receive the *General Assembly Minutes*. (See RAO 18-1 for details.)

Committees of Commissioners

Please notify your Presbytery Clerk that you have registered, and consider serving on a Committee of Commissioners. Meets June 16.

Scholarship Fund

Your donation will help with registration costs for TEs and REs from low income churches.

Hotel Information

Registered commissioners will receive an email containing a link to register at discounted hotels.

Women and Family Events

Registration forms and event schedules are available at www.pcaga.org. DO NOT rely on onsite registration. REGISTER EARLY!

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First Name _____ Last Name _____
 Email Address _____ Phone _____
 (Please include to receive hotel and travel information)
 Address _____
 street city state zip
 Spouse Name _____ Spouse Email _____
 (Please include to receive women and family event information)
 Church Name _____ Presbytery _____
 Church Address _____
 street city state zip

REGISTRATION

Are you a First Time Commissioner?

- Yes
 No

Please select one:

- Teaching Elder (\$450)
 Ruling Elder (\$450)
 Honorably Retired Teaching Elder (\$150)
 Ruling Elder Emeritus (\$150)
 Ruling or Teaching Elder representing a church with less than \$100,000 in annual income (\$300)
 No Commissioner Attending (\$450) - see RAO 18-1
 No Commissioner Attending from church with less than \$100,000 in annual income (\$300) - see RAO 18-1

Registration Fee \$ _____

Each commissioner will receive a download link for the *General Assembly Minutes*. You may also request the *Minutes* in print or on CD.

- Download only
 Print (no cost)
 CD (no cost)
 Both Print & CD (additional \$15 fee)

Additional Minutes Fee \$ _____

Commissioner Registration Scholarship Fund (tax deductible)

Donation Amount \$ _____

Total \$ _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Return completed form with check to:

PCA Administrative Committee
 1700 N Brown Rd, Suite 105
 Lawrenceville, GA 30043

Office Use Only:

Date Received _____ Check # _____ Check Amt _____