



# Progressive Christian Alliance

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## Leadership Council Meeting Minutes

January 10, 2024 via Zoom

*Present:* Rev. Dr. Samuel Lopez, Chair  
Rev. Helen Drivick, Co-Chair  
Rev. Dr. Christopher Montgomery, OSL, Secretary  
Rev. Marie Bat'el  
Rev. Sarah Ann Hardman  
Rev. Ford Frazar  
Rev. Phillip Ladd  
Rev. Dr. Brian Salter

*Absent:* Rev. Chris Wickersham  
Rev. Liberty Salter

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- 6:03 (CT) The meeting was called to order by Sam Lopez.  
Prayer was offered by Ford Frazar.
- 6:05 The agenda was approved without objection.
- 6:06 No written minutes were available for review; the video recording was accepted without objection.
- 6:07 New members of the council introduced themselves.
- 6:30 Treasurer's report from Helen Drivick was accepted without objection.
- 6:31 Sam Lopez presented a report on ordination processes.
- 6:42 Sam Lopez presented a report on ministry affiliation processes.
- 6:43 Christopher Montgomery presented the Leadership Council Administrative Guide; approved without objection.

- 6:55 Sam Lopez presented a report on the Alliance's social media engagement and global impact.
- 7:16 Closing prayer was offered by Ford Frazar.
- 7:17 Sam Lopez presented a brief report on tokens of appreciation for former council members.
- 7:19 The meeting was adjourned without objection.

*Next virtual meeting is tentatively scheduled for February 13, 2024 at 6pm CT.*

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Specific Tasks:

- (1) Christopher Montgomery will send the ministry affiliation certificate template to Sam Lopez.
- (2) Treasurer transition will continue with the goal of moving to a bank with a physical location.
- (3) Teams are strongly encouraged to meet/engage prior to the next council meeting to establish processes.