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April 25, 2024

Chris Fluitt
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Dear Chris:

The CCSW Regional Committee on Ministry confirms the recommendations of the subcommittee to continue you as a candidate on the Apprentice Track. Your next step will be an Ordination Interview.

We affirm your commitment, and appreciate that you are gregarious, charismatic and authentic. You have leadership qualities and are an excellent communicator.

We suggest you be more intentional about self-care, having fun and personal time, to avoid burnout.

The Committee requires that you:

- Prepare for the Ordination Interview. (See "Materials Required for the Ordination Interview [Form J] and "Steps in the Ordination Process," both attached and online at ccsw.org/ordination-process.)
- Continue the "Sharing the Journey" process.

The Committee looks forward to your next interview. The earliest date that you will be eligible to return will be January 27-29, 2025. All required materials for your interview will be due into the Regional office no later than 60 days prior to your scheduled interview session, on November 27 for the January 2025 session. As you continue your candidacy, be assured of the presence and support of the Region in your journey. Please know that at every step, the committee's action could be "yes," "no" or "not yet." "Not yet" means we look forward to further preparation from you in specific areas so that your next interviews can have positive results.

To schedule your interview, please contact the Regional Office at (817) 926-4687 or ccsw@ccsw.org. If you have any questions or concerns about the process, please contact Rev. Christy Drechsel, Regional Executive Minister, at 972-741-2779 or christy@ccsw.org.

Grace and Peace,

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I HAVE RECEIVED AND READ THIS LETTER.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Please return this copy to the Regional Office. Thank You!

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