

## Palmetto PresWM Constitution

### Article 1: Name

The organization shall be known as the Palmetto Presbytery Women's Ministry (PresWM) of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA).

PresWM includes:

- All women's ministries regardless of local name or structure.
- All women members of local churches in the Palmetto Presbytery.

The organization will henceforth be referred to as PresWM on the presbytery level and as Women's Ministry (WM) on the local level.

### Article 2: Membership

The membership of the PresWM shall consist of those women who are members of the churches in Palmetto Presbytery.

### Article 3: Purpose

For God's glory and by His grace, to serve and connect the local women's ministries and be committed to extending His kingdom by:

- \*Organizing retreats and events for spiritual growth, fellowship, and teaching
- \*Sharing PCA resources and collaborating with individual churches/other presbyteries
- \*Praying for and nurturing women's ministries in local presbytery churches

### Article 4: Leadership Team Members

The PresWM Leadership Team should be:

President

Treasurer

Communications/IT Coordinator

Special Event Coordinator

Women in Ministry Coordinator

Other Team Members shall be elected or appointed as it becomes necessary. If an office is unfilled, the President shall assign the duties of that office to other team members.

### Article 5: Government

The PresWM shall be under the authority of Palmetto Presbytery, and their work shall be done within the bounds of the PCA Book of Church Order and Presbyterian doctrine.

### Article 6: Events

The PresWM shall meet no less than once a year to equip, edify, and encourage our women. Business and the installation of new Leadership Team members shall be conducted as part of the first meeting or event of the year.

### Article 7: Amendments

This constitution may be amended as follows:

- Local WM organizations may submit proposed written amendments to the PresWM Leadership Team for consideration and approval no less than six months before the first meeting or event of the year, which must be signed by two members of the local WM.
- All proposed amendments must be approved by the PresWM Leadership Team.
- The PresWM Leadership Team must communicate any proposed amendments to each local WM two months before the first meeting or event of the year.
- Approval is granted by a two-thirds majority of voting delegates present at the first meeting or event of the year.