

Committee on Ecclesiastical Relations  
Annual Report 2007-2008

## Overtures to the 2008 General Assembly

In January of 2008, the committee met via conference call and made recommendations on 4 overtures sent to presbytery by the sessions of four of our churches. The overtures and the committee's recommendations were presented to the presbytery at the February 2008 meeting. Two overtures were sent on to the General Assembly and two were defeated.

## Session Records Review

The committee reports the results of its review of session records to presbytery four times a year. The review process gives us a close look at the great work being done by the churches of the PSNE. We have found it necessary to issue reminders to send minutes to reviewers on time *and* to bring the session record books to presbytery meetings to be stamped and signed by the Moderator, as required by PSNE bylaws.

The Committee on Ecclesiastical Relations is blessed by the opportunity to witness how the Lord is at work among us in the PSNE, and all of the members of the committee are to be commended for their hard work: Elders Barbara Hager, Dan Blackford, Anne Chace, Gloria Walsh, and ministers Eileen Epperson, Doug Forsberg, Rick Porter, Georgia Ann Snell, and Ed Duffy. We are especially thankful for Gloria Walsh, who prepares our reports for and stamps the individual session books at each presbytery meeting.