

# KNOX CHURCH

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Mr. Gradye Parsons  
Stated Clerk, General Assembly PC (USA)  
100 Witherspoon Street (Room 4408)  
Louisville, Kentucky 40202

Dear Sir:

The Session of Knox United Presbyterian Church of Kenmore, New York resolves that the recent actions of the PC(USA) in adopting a new form of government (nFOG) fundamentally change both the theology and polity of the denomination in a manner which is contrary to the beliefs and tenets held and followed by this congregation. This change represents a departure from traditional Presbyterian belief and governance. We believe these changes are adverse to the best interests of this congregation as we seek to follow in the Way of Jesus Christ. Session resolves to review and reassess this church's relationship with the PC(USA) in order to maintain this church's mission and purpose with integrity. During Session's review of the relationship, any continued affiliation with the PC(USA) is not to be construed as concurrence with or acquiescence to the modified beliefs and polity as stated in nFOG.

Sincerely,

The Rev. Matthew T. Haberman  
Pastor

Darryl DeHaan  
Clerk