

## Presbytery of Ottawa - Report from the special committee re retreat planning - One-day retreat June 19, 2024

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Memo: To all members of the Presbytery of Ottawa

As requested at the meeting of the presbytery held this past Tuesday, a copy of the report from the special committee re retreat planning is appended.

In Christ's service,

J. T. Hurd,  
Clerk.

The one-day Presbytery Retreat is coming soon, held on June 19th at Galilee Retreat Centre in Arnprior. The day will begin with breakfast at 8:30 am, following by Worship and Communion at 9:15 am. In addition to follow-up discussions based on the book "When Church Stops Working" by Blair Bertrand and Andy Root, there will be time set aside to for journaling, silence and solitude, and to continue creating and strengthening connections within Presbytery. Lunch is also provided and with thanks to grant funds, the entire day is no-cost to Presbyters and other leaders from churches interested in joining us. Following supper at 5:30 pm, our day together will conclude with closing devotions. Please register ASAP by sending an email to Elaine Tsang at [admin@mywestminster.ca](mailto:admin@mywestminster.ca). For any questions, please contact Liz Chan, Chris Clarke or Jim Pot.