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TO: PASTORS SERVING AS HEAD OF STAFF
FROM: PRESBYTERY OF NEW COVENANT
DATE: September 19, 2007
RE: YOUTH ADVISORY DELEGATE / ALTERNATE
TO 2008 GENERAL ASSEMBLY

It is time to select the Youth Advisory Delegate (YAD) to the General Assembly from the Presbytery of New Covenant. If you have a youth in your congregation who is between the ages of **17 to 23 years** and whom you feel is an outstanding leader in your church, please submit that **one** person's name for consideration. The Session of your congregation must endorse this nomination. Your nominee should be an individual who is spiritually well grounded, deals well with potential conflict and functions well with adults. There are long hours of responsibility at the Assembly as well as a great deal of reading in preparation for the event.

The interviews for the selection of the YAD will be on Saturday, January 5, 2008, at the Presbyterian Center, 1110 Lovett Blvd., Houston, TX. The interviews will be scheduled between approximately 9 AM and noon depending upon the number of nominations. The candidates will be contacted regarding their time. In order to be considered, the nominee **must be present on January 5th**.

The General Assembly Meeting will be **June 21 through 28, in San Jose, CA**. The committee will select one delegate and one alternate to represent our presbytery. Expenses for the delegate will be paid by the General Assembly. We also expect the delegate to be part of a briefing on GA events for our Presbytery on June 29th from 3-5 p.m. at Pines Presbyterian Church.

Please complete the Pastor's Nomination Form and have your nominee complete the Youth Advisory Delegate Form. Each of these forms must be returned to the Presbyterian Center **by December 1st**. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Marcotte, Associate General Presbyter at 713/526-2585 Ext. 224 or 1-800/444-1278 Ext. 224.