**Boundary Training (Misconduct Prevention Training)**

Every member Minister of Word and Sacrament (including those of denominations other than Presbyterian but functioning under the authority of Homestead Presbytery); every Commissioned Pastor; anyone on the approved presbytery Pulpit Supply list; all certified Christian Educators; all members of the Commission On Ministry – as well as commissioners to General Assembly and/or Synod are required to complete COM approved Boundary Training annually. All persons newly falling under this requirement will begin with Year 1. Courses will continue in succession on an annual basis. Currently training from Praesidium (Insurance Board – Partners in Protection) is being used.

To access these courses, visit praesidiumacademy.com and log into your account. Log in credentials or help signing in are available from the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery. Praesidium does not provide any guidance for what courses you need to take. To ensure you complete all of your required boundary training, please follow the guidance below:

**YEAR 1**

Meet Sam

Keeping Your Church Safe

Duty to Report: Mandatory Reporter

Preventing Abuse and Exploitation in Pastoral Ministry

It Happened to Me

Social Media Safety

**YEAR 2**

Promoting a Safe Environment: Employee Sexual Harassment Training

Promoting a Safe Environment: Supervisor Sexual Harassment Training

Preventing Abuse Against Adults with Disabilities

Abuse Risk Management

**YEAR 3**

Abuse Prevention Refresher

Recognizing Abuse and Exploitation in Elder-Serving Programs

Preventing Sexual Activity Between Young Children

\*After three years, return to Year 1 and repeat cycle