CLERGY EMERGENCY FUND POLICY (September 17, 2019)

- 1. The Clergy Emergency Fund is a restricted fund of which both principal and income shall be available for use for welfare grants to pastoral families of the Presbytery of Huntingdon, both of ministers of Word and Sacrament and serving commissioned pastors.
- 2. An offering for the benefit of the Clergy Emergency Fund shall be received at each ordination, installation or commissioning service, with the offering to be remitted to the presbytery treasurer.
- 3. The principal of the Fund is to be managed by the Committee on Presbytery Life as the trustees of presbytery. The balance in the Fund shall be reported by the treasurer to the Committee on Presbytery Life and the Committee on Ministry regularly and to the presbytery at least annually.
- 4. The Committee on Ministry shall establish and determine uses of the Clergy Emergency Fund, with the chairperson of the Committee on Ministry and the General Presbyter authorized to make distributions from the fund. When a distribution is made, the fact of a distribution shall be reported to the Committee on Ministry.