

General Assembly of Australia

The supreme court (governing body) of the Presbyterian Church of Australia (PCA), which was formed by a federal union of the six state churches, 24 July 1901, comprised of representative ministers and elders of Presbyterian State Churches; next meeting 7-10 September 2026

GAA Office Bearers

Moderator: Rev David Burke (NSW)
Clerk: Rev Lesleigh Hall (QLD)
Deputy Clerk: Rev John P Wilson (VIC)

GAA Committees

- Aus Pres World Mission (APWM)
- Christian Education
- Church and Nation
- Code
- College
- Defence Force Chaplaincy
- Finance
- Mission to Australia
- National Journal
- PresAID (Overseas Aid & Development)
- Presbyterian Inland Mission (PIM)
- Public Worship
- Reception of Ministers
- Relations with other Churches

General Assembly of Victoria

The supreme court of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria (PCV), which was formed by a union of Victorian Presbyterian synods, 7 April 1859, comprised of its ministerial members, elders representing each charge (a sphere of pastoral duty declared by the relevant presbytery) and other qualified elders; next meeting 7-10 October 2024

GAV Office Bearers

Moderator: Rev Ian Hutton
Acting Clerk: Rev Peter Phillips
Deputy Clerk: Rev Philip Burns
Asst. to the Clerks: Rev Cameron Garrett
Business Convener: Rev Jared Hood
Law Agent: Mr Geoff Cox

GAV Committees

- Archives
- APWM (Vic)
- Ballot
- Board of Investment and Finance
- Building and Property
- Business
- Change or Suppression (Conversion) Practices Prohibition
- Church and Nation
- Church Planting
- Clerkship
- Code and General Administration
- Conciliation
- Defence Force Chaplaincy
- Exit Students
- Health and Community Chaplaincy
- Maintenance of the Ministry
- METRO
- Ministry Development
- Safe Church
- Selection
- Social Services
- State News
- Theological Education
- Women's Ministries Victoria
- Youth & Children

Each Committee

Convener
Secretary

Presbytery

The courts of the PCA comprised of ministers and elders of the church, each having oversight over its members and a regional group of congregations; there are around 39 presbyteries in the PCA, 11 of which are in Victoria.

Each Presbytery

Moderator
Clerk

Presbyteries of the PCV

- Flinders
- Geelong
- Gippsland
- Maroondah
- Melbourne East
- Melbourne North
- Melbourne West
- North East Victoria
- North Western Victoria
- South West Victoria
- Western Victoria

Session

The courts of the PCA comprised of the minister and elders of each charge each having immediate oversight over one or more congregations.

Each Session

Moderator
Clerk