

CLC Investigation Timeline

History of Larry Cleek Investigation

SEPTEMBER 12, 2023

a) Larry Cleek advises CLC elders he has been contacted by NYSP about allegations against him
b) CLC attorney David Pollitzer advises elders to fire Larry immediately
c) CLC elders meet in a special session and decide to place Larry on paid administrative leave

SEPTEMBER 13, 2023

Elders meet with Larry Cleek who signs an Administrative Leave Notice

OCTOBER 18, 2023

Elders meet with Pastor Tim LeCroy for advice in this matter

NOVEMBER 8, 2023

Elders and Pastor LeCroy meet via Zoom with Guidepost Solutions to discuss a possible independent investigation. Guidepost states it would not commence an investigation until NYSP's own investigation begun in August was at least 6 months old.

NOVEMBER 20, 2023

CLC elders reached out to GRACE Investigative Services

DECEMBER 8, 2023

CLC elders Zoom with GRACE personnel to begin negotiations for an independent investigation

DECEMBER 19, 2023 - JANUARY 2, 2024

GRACE's Director of Institutional Response out of office

JANUARY 10, 2024

CLC elders receive letter from 16 concerned parents and former CLCS students urging launch of independent investigation

JANUARY 23, 2024

CLC Elder Charlie Becker Zooms with GRACE Executive Director Pete Singer to finalize terms of potential contract

JANUARY 26, 2024

- a) CLC elders sign contract with GRACE for independent investigation
- b) CLC elders pass unanimous resolution retroactively establishing Larry's retirement date to November 1, 2023

FEBRUARY 3 -12, 2024

GRACE's Director of Institutional Response out of office

FEBRUARY 13, 2024

CLC elders take counsel with area pastors

MARCH 10, 2024

Contact information of NYSP investigators and signers of January 10 letter provided to GRACE

MARCH - SEPT. 2024

GRACE continues investigative process

MARCH 28, 2024

GRACE survey designed to help them prioritize potential interviewees released

AUGUST 9, 2024

GRACE requests documentation pertaining to Larry Cleek's hiring, employment, promotion to position of senior pastor and resignation

AUGUST 13, 2024

Requested documents emailed to GRACE

AUGUST 20, 2024

CLC elders take counsel with area pastors

SEPTEMBER 19, 2024

GRACE Independent Investigation of CLC released on embargoed basis

OCTOBER 9, 2024

Final Report released

CLC Response Timeline

OCTOBER 10, 2024

Link to the GRACE Report placed on CLC website

OCTOBER 13, 2024

Special CLC congregational "Community Conversation" is held with RV2 and other CLCS Advocates participating

OCTOBER 14, 2024

CLC elders meet with RV2 for 3.5 hours

OCTOBER 16, 2024

CLC elders take counsel with area pastors

OCTOBER 17, 2024

Special "GRACE Reflections" session featuring Rev. Dr. Tim LeCroy attended via Zoom by dozens

OCTOBER 25, 2024

CLC retains consulting services of Rev. Dr. Tim LeCroy

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

Statement of CLC elders released to the CLC congregation finding the GRACE Report sufficiently credible.

NOVEMBER 7, 2024

CLC elders ban Larry Cleek from CLC properties and activities

NOVEMBER 19, 2024

CLC elders meet with CLCS Advocates and Tim LeCroy

DECEMBER 12, 2024

CLC elders and CLCS Advocates meet to partner with Advocacy Center of Tompkins County

DECEMBER 16, 2024

Meeting with Larry Cleek to account for the GRACE report

DECEMBER 21, 2024

Statement to the congregation regarding the meeting with Larry Cleek

JANUARY 23, 2025

Parents and former students of CLCS notified of ongoing efforts and resources available

FEBRUARY 23, 2025

"Awareness to Action: Abuse Prevention Seminar" congregational training conducted

MARCH 5, 2025

Second wave of newly identified parents and former students of CLCS emails went out of ongoing efforts and resources available

APRIL 27, 2025

"Awareness to Action: Abuse Prevention Seminar" congregational training conducted