

THE BALTIMORE-WASHINGTON CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CONFERENCE LEADERSHIP REPORT 2023

“...The gifts he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ.”
Ephesians 4:2-8; 11-13 (NRSV)

In an effort to honor these gifts and our diversity, we seek to engage all in building up the body of Christ. The Conference Commission on Nominations seeks¹ to have regional, racial, gender, age and lay/clergy inclusiveness in all committees, commissions, boards and agencies (hereinafter “agencies”) and chairpersons. This includes working toward having 20-30% of all agencies composed of persons under 40.

We recommend that agencies identify their meeting dates for the year no later than September 1 of the current year. Care should be given to scheduling meetings at times when most laity are available to increase lay participation. If a member of an agency is absent from two consecutive meetings without an acceptable reason, that person shall cease to be a member.

The terms of office for a particular agency are as follows per Book of Discipline (hereinafter “BOD”) and Baltimore-Washington Conference (hereinafter “BWC”) policies:

1. The quadrennial system is an established part of The United Methodist structure. All members of agencies shall be elected for a quadrennial unless restricted by Discipline, charter, or some other requirement. In the event of such legal restrictions, the Tenure Limitation is still to be observed.
 - a. All quadrennial terms shall commence on July 1 following the adjournment of the first Annual Conference (hereinafter “AC”) session following General Conference, except the Conference Treasurer, whose term shall begin on January 1 of the following year.³
 - b. When persons are elected quadrennially, they serve a maximum of two terms, except for the Board of Ordained Ministry members which may serve a maximum of 3 terms (BOD, ¶635.a).
2. All other terms shall commence on July 1 following the AC Session in which persons are elected or announcement of election is made.

Each agency member’s name is followed by numbers in parentheses and letters:

1. Numbers indicate when a term is up and how many terms have been served on³ that particular agency.
 - a. Quadrennial terms have one number that represents how many quadrennium a person has served; e.g., (0)-elected quadrennially and in prolonged quadrennium; (1)-elected quadrennially and in first quadrennium; (2)-elected quadrennially and in second quadrennium.
 - b. Other terms have two numbers: “when the term expires”-“how many terms served”; e.g., (22-1)³ means term expires in 2022³ and person is serving in the first term, (22-2)³ means term expires in 2022³ and the person serving is in their second term.
2. Letters indicate the region in which a member’s church³ is located:
 - a. BA-Baltimore Region, SO-Southern Region, WA-Washington Region, WS-Western Region
 - b. Agency members are urged to immediately contact the chairperson of the agency to which they have been elected, if they are appointed to or transfer membership to a church outside the region identified, in order to allow replacement by a regional representative.
3. Chair of each Committee is designated by a * before their name.

CONFERENCE OFFICERS

President: Bishop LaTrelle Easterling
 Vice President & Lay Leader: Delores Martin
 Secretary: Kevin Silberzahn
 Treasurer/ CFO: Paul Eichelberger
 Statistician: Rev. Daryl L. Williams
 Director of Connectional Ministries: Christie Latona
 Chancellor: Thomas Starnes

DISCIPLESHIP COUNCIL

There are 14 voting members of the Discipleship Council including the Conference Lay Leader, a youth, a young adult and 11 other persons nominated by the Conference Commission on Nominations.

Elected members of the Discipleship Council shall serve four years in two classes.

The Chairperson shall be nominated by the Commission on Nominations and elected by the Conference.

The Secretary shall be elected from the voting members of the Discipleship Council.

Class of 2022

OPEN (22-2) WA

DaMali Goings (24-1) SO

Hazel Jackson (22-2) BA

Rev. Bob Kells (22-1) WS

OPEN (23-0) WA

Rev. Dawn Brooks-Tharps (24-1) WA

Class of 2025

Barbara Parrish (25-2) WS

Joe White (25-2) WS

Rev. Carletta Allen (25-1) SO

Pastor Delonta Hicks (25-2) SO

Rev. David Jacobson (25-1) BA

Rev. Andre Briscoe (25-2) BA

Lay Leader: Delores Martin

Young Adult Rep: OPEN

Youth Rep: OPEN

Ex officio (without vote):

Conference President: Bishop LaTrelle Easterling

Dean of the Cabinet: Rev. Dawn Hand

Director of Connectional Ministries: Christie Latona

Treasurer/CFO: Paul Eichelberger

Director of Communications: Melissa Lauber

MINISTRY RELATIONSHIP OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

A Standing Committee of the Discipleship Council (2014 Conference Journal, p. 597)

Membership on the MROC shall include seven voting members: one representative each from the Discipleship Council on Finance and Administration, and the Board of Trustees; plus, four-at-large members recommended by the Commission on Nominations and elected by the Annual Conference.

The committee will elect the chair.⁴

*OPEN, WA
OPEN, BA

Jamarri Bright, SO

Rev. Jim Johnson, WS

Rev. Sheridan Allmond (Trustees)

Rick Miller (CFA)

Hazel Jackson (Discipleship Council)

Ex officio (without vote):

Director of Connectional Ministries or designee: Rev. Bill Brown

Dean of the Cabinet: Rev. Dawn Hand

THE CONNECTIONAL TABLE

Members of the Connectional Table are identified by Annual Conference position. The full list of those positions is available on pages 566-567 of the 2014 Baltimore-Washington Conference Journal (see page 328 for the addition of Deaf Ministry representative).

Chairperson Conference Lay Leader: Delores Martin

Conference Secretary (serves as recording secretary): Kevin Silberzahn

CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON NOMINATIONS

¶6001 Conference Policy & Procedures Manual
(2016-2020+) *Selected quadrennially*

Chairperson: Sarah Ford

Secretary: Kevin Silberzahn

Conference Lay Leader: Delores Martin

Director of Connectional Ministries: Christie Latona

President: United Women in Faith: Kim Walker

President UMM: Ceferino Epps, Interim

Young Adult Representative: Rev. Michael Carrington

Youth Representative: Syanne Thorpe (GW)

Lay Person Disability Concerns: Yvonne Caughman

At-Large Laity: Arletta Boston (WA) & Lillian Parks (SO)

District Superintendents:

Rev. Gerard Green, GW, Cabinet Representative
Rev. Ann Laprade, BS
Rev. Sarah Schlieckert, AN
Rev. Johnsie Cogman, WE

Rev. Wanda Duckett, BM
Rev. Dawn Hand, CM
Rev. Eliezer Valentín-Castañón, FR
Rev. John Wunderlich, CH

Lay Leader from each District

TBD, AN
Rosalind Pinkney, WE
Richard Willson, CH
Thea Becton, BS

OPEN, CM
Amelia Duroska, GW
OPEN, FR
Chuck Conjar and Darrell Taylor, BM

One appointed clergy from each District, nominated by the District Superintendent and/or the district Lay Leader for a quadrennium.

OPEN, AN
Rev. Miguel Balderas, GW
Rev. S. Jerry Colbert or Melissa McDade
Rev. Jeanne Parr, WE

Rev. Melaina Trice, CM
Rev. Bernadette Armwood BM
OPEN, FR
Pastor Charles Riggleman, CH

DISCIPLESHIP

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Caring for the functions of ¶ 629. Board of Discipleship.

BOOM Chair (or designee, Conference Lay Leader, Director of Lay Servant Ministries, Up to 6 people with skills and demonstrated fruitfulness in discipleship and leadership development (3 lay, 3 clergy), Young People's Ministry leaders: one youth, one young adult. *Ex Officio* without vote: seminary reps, staff responsible for leadership development

Class of 2024

Niki Ellis (24-2) BA

Pastor TJ Mount (24-2) WA

Class of 2023

*Pastor Nona Colbert (23-2) SO
Rev. Lillian Boyd (23-1) BA

OPEN (23-1) WS

Jeffrey Applebaugh (23-1) SO

Conference Lay Leader: Delores Martin
Director of Lay Servant Ministries: Linda Flanagan
Young Adult Rep: OPEN
Conference Rep: Rev. Jack Shitama

BOOM Rep: Rev. Paul Johnson
Youth Rep: Muswe Pembamoto BM

Ex officio (without vote):

Ministerial Services Coordinator: Hilary Ann Golden
Wesley Theological Seminary Rep: Rev. Dr. Jessica Anschutz

BOARD OF LAITY ¶631

(2016-2020+) *BOD recommends members and states Lay Leader shall be Chair.* (report provided for information only)

Lay Leader and Chairperson: Delores Martin (2)
Associate Lay Leader: TBD
Director of Lay Servant Ministries: Linda Flanagan
Conference United Methodist Men: Ceferino Epps and Sherman Harris (2)

Conference United Women in Faith: Kim Walker (1), Ann Price (1)
Certified Lay Ministry: Linda Flanagan
Youth Representative: TBD

District Lay Leaders

TBD, AN
Rosalind Pinkney (2), WE
Richard Willson (2), CH
Thea Becton (2), BS

TBD (2), CM
Amelia Duroska (2), GW
TBD, FR
Chuck Conjar (1) and Darrell Taylor (1), BM

Ex officio (without vote):

Past Conference Lay Leaders: Delores Oden
Conference Rep: Christie Latona

NEW FAITH EXPRESSIONS BOARD

*At least one person per district with experience in launching new faith expressions, in start-up enterprises, or with other capacities deemed valuable to the task of supporting new faith expressions
(no more than 12 persons in all)*

Conference person(s) responsible for New Faith Expressions

Class of 2024

Rev. Danny Breidenbaugh (24-2) BS	Lisa Dolce (24-1) CM	Rev. Meredith Wilkins (24-1) BM
Ben Rigsby (24-0) AN		Rev. Diana Wingeier-Rayo (24-0) GW

Class of 2023

*Deborah Johnson (23-2) WE	Pastor Raimon Jackson (23-2) GW	Rev. Kyle Durbin (23-2) CH
Geoffrey Hart, (23-1) BM	Rev. Jennifer Mauras-Rivera (tent) (23-1) FR	

Ex officio (without vote):

Hispanic/Latino Ministries Coordinator: Emma Escobar
Conference Rep: Rev. Bill Brown

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MINISTRY BOARD

(Caring for the functions of the Board of Higher Education and Campus Ministries ¶634, and some functions of Council on Youth Ministries ¶649, and Council on Young Adult Ministries ¶650).

10 voting members at least 4 are youth, 2 campus ministry student leaders, 2 Young Adult Ministry, 2 Retreat & Camping Ministry

*Rev. Shemaiah Strickland, Young Adult SO	
Rev. Michael Carrington, Young Adult Ministry Team BA	OPEN, Youth WA
Amanda Stanley, Campus Ministry (FSU) WS	OPEN, Youth WS
OPEN, Campus Ministry (UMD) WA	Nate Jones BA RCM/young adult or youth
OPEN, Youth SO	TJ Putney, RCM/young adult or youth
Ryan Taylor, Youth BA	

Ex officio:

Rev. Jenna Johnson, RCM Conference Rep
Michael Armstrong, Campus Ministry Task Force Rep
Conference Representative: Cheryl Cook

YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM

Helps plan WAVE, annual youth leadership retreat, district mission days and engage at annual conference session.

District Youth Coordinators and up to 3 Youth per District

District Youth Coordinators

Annapolis: Pastor Jenn Osterfeld
Cumberland-Hagerstown: TBD
Washington East: DaMali Goinds and Katie Letts
Baltimore Suburban: Susan Harry
Greater Washington: Sharon Milton
Baltimore Metropolitan: Natiya Bennett and Janina Stetz
Central Maryland: Rev. Tammi Brantley
Frederick District: TBD

Conference Representative: Jenna Johnson

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY TEAM

*Book of Discipline recommends membership include one young adult selected by each district.
Members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms all members are between 18-35 years old.
(report provided for information only)*

Class of 2022

*Rev. Michael Carrington (22-1) BM
Pastor Marjorie Hurder-Buhrman (22-1) CH

Maeci Curtis (22-2) WE

Rev. Katie O'Hern Hamilton (22-1) F

Class of 2023

Myles Walker (23-1) AN
Stephanie Cooper (23-1) BS

OPEN (23-1) GW

OPEN (23-1) CM

Ex Officio with Voice and Vote: Keshawn Mullens, Advocacy and Action Young Adult Rep
Conference Representative: Cheryl Cook

ADVOCACY & ACTION BOARD

*(8 Chairs of Social Action Teams, 3 annual forum CONVENERS, 1 Legislative Advocacy Team lead,
5 persons with gifts in grants admin, project mgmt and/or data analysis and a young adult ambassador)*

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Class of 2023 (effective Sept/Dec. 2023)

Pastor Cindy Banks (SO)
Rev. Carmen Collette (23-1) WA
OPEN (WS)

Young Adult Ambassador

Keshawn Mullens (tent), Young Adult Rep

Class of 2024 (effective Sept/Dec. 2024)

*Tracy Collins (22-1) WA
OPEN (22-1) BA

General Agency Related Team Chairs

*Rev. Kate Mackereth-Fulton
Gender Equity (Commission of Status and Role of Women)
*Rev. William Carpenter, Racial Justice (Commission on Religion & Race)

Social Action Team Representative

Rev. Rochelle Andrews

Ex officio:

Peace with Justice Coordinator: Rev. Diane Dixon-Proctor

AT-LARGE BOARD

Social Action Team Leaders

Creation Care – Rev. Katie Saari
Gender Equity (COSROW) – Rev. Kate Mackereth-Fulton
Gun Violence Prevention – Susan Bender (WA)
Immigration Rights – co-chairs Alfredo Santiago and Rev. Cassandra Nunez, Co-chair
LGBTQIA+ Justice = BWARM/MFSA
Racial Justice (CCORR) – Rev. William Carpenter (WA)
Restorative Justice - Pastor Margie Wise Matthews
Wealth Equity w/Affordable Housing - Rev. Rochelle Andrews

Annual Forum Conveners

Ethnic Local Church Opportunities and Concerns:
Ophelia Brown-Carter (BA)
Christian Unity and Interfaith Relationships: Rev. Dellyn Hinton (BA)
Small Membership Churches: Pastor Rick Oursler (SO)

Legislative Advocacy

Legislative Advocacy Team Lead: Will Newton

Ex officio:

GBCS: Rev. Laura Kigweba James
United Women in Faith Representative: Sherie Koob
UMM Representative: TBD

Committee on Disability Concerns Representative:
Yvonne Caughman
Just Neighbors Representative: Rev. Ken Hawes
Committee on Native American Ministries: Richard
Church & Jill Maisch
Committee on Hispanic-Latino Ministries: Alfredo
Santiago

Korean Ministry: Rev. Steven Cho
Strengthening the Black Church for the 21st Century
(SBC21): Rev. Ron Triplett
Black Methodists for Church Renewal (BMCR): Rev.
Valerie Barnes
MARCHA:
BWARM: Rev. Deb Scott and Bryant Oskvig

Conference Representative: Stacey Cole Wilson

GENDER EQUITY (COSROW) ¶644

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

Rev. Martin Brooks (22-1) SO
Jan Taylor (22-1) BA

Rev. Angela Kittrell (22-1) SO

Rebecca Watkins (22-1) WS

Class of 2023

* Cassandra Lawrence (23-1) WA

Rev. Kate Mackereth Fulton (23-1) WA

Rev. Cynthia Belt (23-2) SO

Conference Representative: Rev. Stacey Cole Wilson

RACIAL JUSTICE TEAM (COMMISSION ON RELIGION AND RACE ¶643)

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

* Rev. Jenn Fenner (22-3) WA

Moorosi Mokuena (22-3) WA

Ebony Roach (22-2) BA

Class of 2023

*Rev. William Carpenter (23-2) WS
Barbara Suffecool (22-1) WS

Rev. Ramon McDonald (23-2) SO

Angelic Worsley-Edwards (23-1) BA

Ex officio:

Rev. Giovanni Arroyo, Jen Ihlo

Conference Representative: Fathima Rifkey

COMMISSION ON DISABILITY CONCERNS ¶653

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

* Yvonne Caughman (22-1) WA

Kevin Welker (22-3) WS

Rev. Lisa Holder (22-3) BA

Class of 2023

Jennifer Martin Johnson (23-2) SO
Kellye Payne (23-1) SO

James Ellis (23-1) WA

Qawi Robinson (23-1) WA

Ex officio:

Deaf Ministry: Lisa Harvey

Rev. Nancy Webb

Susan King (expertise in Special Education)

Conference Representative: Rev. Wanda Bynum Duckett

NATIVE AMERICAN MINISTRIES ¶654

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

*Jill Maisch (22-1) WA

Rev. Walter Jackson, (22-1) BA

Richard Church (22-1) WA

Class of 2023

Ronnette Cook (23-3) SO

Tavonya Dyson (23-2) SO

OPEN (22-1) WS

OPEN (23-1) BA

Conference Representative: Rev. Stacey Cole Wilson

WELLNESS & MISSIONS BOARD

(AKA BOARD OF GLOBAL MINISTRIES ¶633)

13 voting members (at least one youth/young adult, Conf. Sec. of Global Ministries, VIM Coordinator, Disaster Response Coordinator, 9 others)

*Rev. Laurie Tingley, BA
Sherita Gaskins-Tillett, SO
Richard Gillum, WA

Megan Wood, BA
Janey Snyder, BS
OPEN, WS

Rev. Patrick Hurder Buhrman, WS
Rev. Malcolm Frazier, WA

Conference Global Ministries Secretary: Mikele Haskins Delmore
UMVIM Coordinator: Open
Disaster Response Coordinator: Fred Sipes (OPEN as of 8/1)

Ex officio:

United Women in Faith Education & Interpretation: Dianna Kelly Woodlon

UMM Rep: Richard Campbell

Conference Representative: Thea Becton

DISCIPLESHP: OTHER

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN ¶647

(Now: United Women in Faith)

For information only. Elected by United Women in Faith

President: Kim Marie Walker
Vice President: Dianna Kelly Woodlon
Secretary: Janice Crowe
Treasurer: Dorothy Medley

Spiritual Growth: Wendy Johnson
Chairperson Committee on Nominations: Daphne Hurd
Communications Coordinator: Kim Marie Walker
Secretary of Program Resources: Tangel Brown

Missions Coordinators are listed below:

Education & Interpretation: Dianna Kelly Woodlon
Membership Nurture & Outreach: Hilda James

Social Action: Sherie Koob

Conference Representative: Rev. Stacey Cole Wilson

UNITED METHODIST MEN ¶648

For information only. Elected by UMM

President: Ceferino Epps
Vice President: Robert Smith, Jr.
Secretary: Barney Putnam
Treasurer: Alwyn Taylor
Prayer Advocate: Tony Brzezcko
Program Chairperson: Malcolm Clory, Sr.
Conference Representative: Rev. John Wunderlich

Mission Coordinator: Vacant
Scholarship Coordinator: Vacant
Communications: Johnny Walker, Jr.
Conf. Scouting Coordinator: Rev. Ken Lyons & Joseph Vicek
Evangelism, Mission & Spiritual Life: James Gainey

COMMISSION ON COMMUNICATIONS ¶646

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

Rev. Terri Cofiell (22-3) BA
Mittie Quinn (22-3) WA

Rev. Michael Fauconnet (22-2) SO

BreSean Jenkins (22-2) WA

Class of 2023

*Rev. Jerome Jones (23-1) SO
Brian Nelson (23-3) WA

Pastor Christine Kumar (23-3) WA
Rev. Beth Hutton (23-2) WS

Karmalita Contee (23-2) SO

Conference Representative: Melissa Lauber

COMMISSION ON ARCHIVES AND HISTORY ¶641

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

Pamela Coleman (22-2) BA

Pastor Richard Baker (22-1) WS

Paul Hurlburt (22-1) WA

Class of 2023

*Rev. Emora Brannan (23-3) BA
Ava Morton (23-1) SO

Rev. Stephen Ricketts (23-1) WS

Dolores Greene (23-1) WA

Conference Historian: Rev. Emora Brannan

Conference Representative: Melissa Lauber and Rev. Bonnie McCubbin

Ex officio: representing UMC Heritage Landmarks

- Helen Kemp, Strawbridge House (Strawbridge Shrine Assn., New Windsor, MD)
- Daniel Fisher, Old Otterbein Church (Old Otterbein UMC, Baltimore, MD)
- Rev. Levon Sutton, Lovely Lane Meetinghouse Site (Lovely Lane UMC, Baltimore, MD)
- Representative, Geeting Meetinghouse Site (Salem UMC, Keedysville, MD)
- Representative, Cokesbury College Site (Cokesbury Mem. UMC, Abingdon, MD)

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HISPANIC-LATINO MINISTRIES

For information only: selected by HLM Congregations

Executive Committee:

*Mayuris Pimentel

Rev. Cassandra Nuñez (Vice Chair)

Pastor Jennifer Maurás Rivera, PhD (Secretary)

Connectional Commitment: Rev. Edgardo Rivera

Marcela Uberhuaga (Treasure)

Education and Advocacy: Alfredo Santiago

Faithful Discipleship: Rev. Jennifer Fenner

At-Large: Rev. Diana Wingeier-Rayo, Rev. Miguel Balderas

Connectional Commitment: Rev. Edgardo River

Faithful Discipleship: Rev. Jennifer Fenner

Education & Advocacy: Alfredo Santiago

Conference Representative: Dr. Emma Arely Escobar, Eliezer Valentin-Castañon

STEWARDSHIP MINISTRIES

COUNCIL ON FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION ¶611-618 (2016-2020+)

*Per conference rules - 12 members who do not serve more than two terms and,
per BOD, individuals are elected quadrennially*

Phil Potter, WA (1)
Betty Henderson, SO (1)
Rev. Jean Lee, WS (0)
*Rev. Daryl Williams, SO (1)
effective 6/3/2023

Henrietta Lease, WS (0)
Rick Miller, WS (2)
Rev. Carol Pazdersky, BA (0)
Rev. David Norton WA (0)

Larry Haynes, WA (0)
Charles Moore, SO (1)
Rev. Lem Dominquez, BA (0)
OPEN, BA

Ex officio:

GCFA Board Member Ken Ow

Cabinet Representative: Rev. John Wunderlich

BOARD OF TRUSTEES ¶640 and 2512

*Per BOD, “shall have 12 members elected in staggered 4-year terms” and, per conference rules,
may serve a maximum of two terms*

Class of 2022

Sonja Brown-Jenkins, WS (1)

Rev. Sherwyn Benjamin, BA (1)

OPEN, WA (2)

Class of 2023

*Rev. Sheridan Allmond, BA (2)

John Strawbridge, BA (2)

Pastor Lucinda Kent, WA (1)

Class of 2024

Rev. Bob Ruggieri, WS (2)

Dick Findley, SO (2)

Class of 2025

Delila Parham, SO (2)

Barbara Hutchinson, SO (2)

Rev. Randy Reid, WS (1)

Gary Cole, BA (1)

Ex officio:

Bishop Easterling, Paul Eichelberger, Pier McPayten

Cabinet Representative: Rev. Johnsie Cogman

BOARD OF PENSIONS ¶639

*Per BOD, “shall have 12 members elected in staggered 4-year terms” and, per conference rules may serve a maximum of
two terms. In order to stagger the classes, some members may serve fewer years than others.*

Class of 2022

Rev. Curtis Ehrgott, WA (2)

Rev. Daniel Montague, BA (2)

Carl Eichenwald, WA (1)

Class of 2023

OPEN WS

Carol White, WS (1)

Rev. Ken Valentine, SO (2)

Class of 2024

*Rev. Cary James, WA (2)

OPEN, SO

Patsy Baker Blackshear, SO (2)

Class of 2025

Tariah Carrington, BA (0)

Rev. Jerry Lowans, WS (1)

Rev. Marlon Tilghman, BA (0)

Ex officio:

Conference Representative: Paul Eichelberger

Director of Human Resources & Benefits: Frances Tagoe

Cabinet Representative: Rev. Ann Laprade

COMMISSION ON EQUITABLE COMPENSATION ¶625.1

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

*Kim Ayres (22-3) BA

Rev. Kathy Altman (22-2) WS

JoAnne Poole (22-2) SO

Class of 2023

Scott Harper (23-2) WA

Gregory Kernan (23-3) SO

David Rudland (23-1) WS

Pastor LaTaska Nelson (23-0) WA

Ex officio: NEJ, Representative to National Assoc. of Equitable Compensation Committee: Deborah Tocknell

Conference Representatives: Paul Eichelberger and Frances Tagoe

Cabinet Representative: Rev. Johnsie Cogman

JOINT COMMITTEE ON CLERGY MEDICAL LEAVE ¶652 (2017-2020)

Per BOD, 2 persons from the Board of Ordained Ministry, 2 persons from Board of Pensions, 1 Member from the Commission on Disability Concerns and a representative from the Cabinet appointed by the Bishop

Rev. Cary James (Board of Pensions)

Rev. Alicia Vanisko (Board of Ordained Ministry)

Rev. Lisa Wirkus (Commission on Disability Concerns)

Cabinet Representative: Rev. Wanda Bynum Duckett

Ray Moseley (Board of Ordained Ministry)

Patsy Blackshear (Board of Pensions)

COMMITTEE ON PERSONNEL & POLICY

Conference rules apply – 7 members in 2 classes of 2 year terms, maximum 3 terms

Class of 2022

OPEN, WS

Rev. Donna Renn (22-3) WS

*Rev. David Cooney (22-3) WA

Theodore Garrett, Jr. (22-3) SO

Vice Chair: Pastor Scheherazade West Forman (22-1) BA

Class of 2023

Pastor Patricia Turnage (23-3) SO

Daphne Hurd (23-1) BA

Ex officio:

Director of Human Resources & Benefits: Frances Tagoe (Staff Representative)

Rosalind Pinkney

Cabinet Representative: Rev. Sarah Schlieckert

MID-ATLANTIC FOUNDATION

The Mid Atlantic Board is an independent and self-perpetuating board.

It shall have 6 voting members from each Conference serving

4 year terms with the terms being staggered

Paul Eichelberger, WS

Rev. Conrad Link, WS

Ex officio: Bishop LaTrelle Easterling

Clarence White, BA

OPEN, BA, SO, or WA

George Monk, WA

Rev. Dr. Andrea Middleton King, SO

RULES COMMITTEE

*Term of office shall be four years, with one-half of the regional representatives being elected in two classes.
Chair person elected by the committee; Secretary is the Conference Secretary.*

Class of 2023

*Rev. Mark Gorman (23-3) WA

Rev. Kenneth Moore (23-1) SO

Class of 2025

Justice Randolph (25-2) WA

Mary Robinson BA

Bishop LaTrelle Easterling

Chair of Discipleship Council: OPEN

Conference Secretary: Kevin Silberzahn

COMMITTEE ON EPISCOPACY ¶637

*Per the BOD, Lay and clergy members from the jurisdictional episcopacy committee, 2 members appointed by the Bishop and 5 members elected by the Annual Conference quadrennially for a maximum of 2 terms.
1/3 lay women, 1/3 lay men, 1/3 clergy*

*Rev. James Miller (2)

Charlie Moore (1)

Ianther Mills (1)

Rev. Yvonne Wallace Penn (1)

Ella Curry (2)

Stephanie Johnson Pettaway (2)

Cynthia Taylor (1)

Ex officio with vote:

NEJ Representative: Delores Martin and Terri Rae Chattin

CONFERENCE MOVING COMMITTEE

The committee includes the chair plus a representative from each District. Contact information for District Representatives may be found in the Conference Journal or through the Conference Website.

*Rev. Jeff Paulson (GW)

Rev. Amanda McMurtrey (A)

Rev. Christopher Dembeck (BM)

Sharon Skinner (WA)

Rev. Bob Snyder (CH)

Pastor John Lewis (F)

Deborah Johnson (WE)

OPEN (CM)

CONFERENCE SESSIONS COMMITTEE

(2016-2020+) Selected by Bishop for quadrennium

Chairperson: Bishop LaTrelle Easterling

Vice Chair: Delores Martin, Conference Lay Leader

Conference Secretary: Kevin Silberzahn

Treasurer: Paul Eichelberger

Director of Connectional Ministries: Christie Latona

Dean of the Cabinet: Dawn Hand

Host District Superintendent: Rev. Wanda Duckett

Director of Communications: Melissa Lauber

Rules Chair: Rev. Mark Gorman

Worship Team Chair: Rev. Sherri Wood-Powe

Conference United Women in Faith President: Kim Walker

Conference UMM President: Ceferino Epps, Interim

Exec. Administrative Assistant to the Episcopal Office: Debra Albrecht

BOOM Chair: Rev. Amy McCullough

BOOM Ordination Service Coord: Rev. Laurie Tingley

Youth Rep: TBD

Host District Lay Leader: Darrell Taylor and Chuck Conjar

Arrangements Committee Coordinator: Debra Albrecht

BOARD OF ORDAINED MINISTRY ¶635

(Quadrennially 2016-2020+)

(BOD -- BOOM Members nominated by the Bishop for 4 year term in the same year as General Conference. Members may serve maximum of 3 consecutive four year terms)

Western Region

FR Rev. Malcolm Stranathan

Rev. Dana Werts

OPEN clergy

Rev. Robert Wellman (2)

Don Zetterberg (2)

*CH Rev. Doug Hoffman
OPEN clergy

OPEN clergy
Richard Willson (2)

Rev. Michael Beiber (2)
Rev. Kyle Durbin (1)

Washington Region

*GW Rev. Rachel Cornwell
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