

# BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the GREATER NEW JERSEY ANNUAL CONFERENCE  
held in Wildwood, New Jersey from May 22, 2016 to May 24, 2016.  
Bishop John R. Schol presiding.  
When Organized: August 4, 2000. Number of this Session: 17

## PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium (§603.7, 619):

Secretary? *David E. Wiley, III*

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Statistician? *John Cardillo*

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Treasurer? *John Cardillo*

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2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated (§603.1)? Yes

3. Bonding and auditing:

What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts (§618, 2511)? Conference Treasurer and Staff--\$1,000,000.00

Have the books of said officers or persons been audited (§617, 2511)? Yes, see report, page 370

4. What agencies have been appointed or elected?

a) Answer Yes or No for each of the councils, boards, commissions, or committees listed:

(1) Board of Ordained Ministry (§635)? Yes

(2) Board of Pensions (§639)? Yes

(3) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference (§2512)? Yes

(4) Committee on Episcopacy (§637)? Yes

(5) Committees on Investigation (§2703.2, .3)? Yes

(6) Administrative Review Committee (§636)? Yes

b) Indicate the name of the agency (or agencies) in your annual conference which is (are) responsible for the functions related to each of the following general church agencies (§610.1):

(1) General Council on Finance and Administration? *Council on Finance and Administration*

(2) General Board of Church and Society? *Board of Church and Society*

(3) General Board of Discipleship? *Board of Discipleship*

(4) General Board of Global Ministries? *Board of Global Ministries*

(5) Higher Education and Campus Ministry? *Board of Higher Education and Campus Ministry*

(6) General Commission on Archives and History? *Commission on Archives and History*

(7) General Commission on Christian Unity and Inter-religious Concerns? *Commission on Christian Unity and Inter-religious Concerns*

(8) General Commission on Religion and Race? *Commission on Religion and Race*

(9) General Commission on the Status and Role of Women? *Commission on the Status and Role of Women*

(10) United Methodist Communications? *Commission on Communications*

c) Indicate the conference agencies which have responsibilities for the following functions:

(1) Criminal Justice and Mercy Ministries (§657)? *Board of Church and Society*

(2) Disability Concerns (§653)? *Committee on Disability Concerns*

(3) Equitable Compensation (§625)? *Committee on Equitable Compensation*

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(4) Laity (¶631)? *Board of Laity*

(5) Native American Ministry (¶654)? *Committee on Native American Ministries*

(6) Small Membership Church (¶645)? *Commission on Small Church Membership*

d) Answer Yes or No for each of the following conference or district organizations:

(1) Conference United Methodist Women (¶647)? Yes

(2) Conference United Methodist Men (¶648)? Yes

(3) Conference Council on Youth Ministry (¶649)? Yes

(4) Conference Council on Young Adult Ministry (¶650)? Yes

(5) District Boards of Church Location & Building (¶2519)? Yes

(6) Committees on District Superintendency (¶669)? Yes

(7) District Committees on Ordained Ministry (¶666)? Yes

e) What other councils, boards, commissions, or committees have been appointed or elected in the annual conference? *Parish and Community Development Committee, Committee on Ethnic Local Church Concerns and Committee on Hispanic/Latino Ministries.*

5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records according to the prescribed forms (¶606.8)?  
Yes

6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report, page 314 of Journal.)

7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report [2017 Budget] page 275 of Journal.)

8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See report, page 243 of Journal.)

9. What is the schedule of minimum base compensation for pastors for the ensuing year (¶¶342, 625.3)? *Commission on Equitable Compensation - GNJ leadership unanimously approved the recommendations of the Commission on Equitable Compensation, which was brought forward by Rev. Jennifer Cho. The minimum equitable salary is \$43,520 for elders and deacons in full connection, \$40,038 for provisional and associate members, and \$37,862 for full-time local pastors. A \$300 minimum incremental increase for each year of service, up to 15 years, was also approved.*

10. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year (¶614.1a)? \$1, 916,403

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a) What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the pension and benefit programs of the conference for the ensuing year (¶¶614.1d, 1507)? \$2,401,025

b) What are the apportionments to this conference for the ensuing year?

(1) For the World Service Fund? \$1,539,458

(2) For the Ministerial Education Fund? \$528,520

(3) For the Black College Fund? \$210,822

(4) For the Africa University Fund? \$47,181

(5) For the Episcopal Fund? \$463,403

(6) For the General Administration Fund? \$185,808

(7) For the Interdenominational Cooperation Fund? \$41,334

12. If the annual conference apportions to the local church a fund that combines two or more general apportioned funds with one another, or that combines one or more general apportioned funds with funds other than a general apportioned fund, list below for each combined fund: a) the name and amount of each general fund included in the apportionment; b) the percentage of the combined fund total that corresponds to each general fund apportionment (¶¶614.3d, 615.4).

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A) Clergy Support	\$5,124,108	100%
B) Episcopal Fund	\$ 463,403	8%
C) Other Clergy Support	\$5,522,788	92%
D) Administration	\$2,820,813	100%
E) Interdenominational Fund	\$ 41,334	2%
F) General Administration Fund	\$ 185,808	8%
G) Other Administration	\$2,235,710	90%
H) World Service/Conf. Benevolences	\$3,944,581	100%
I) World Service Fund	\$1,539,458	40%
J) Conference Benevolences	\$2,413,242	60%

### 13. Conference and district lay leaders (§§603.9, 660):

a) Conference lay leader: *Rosa Williams*

Mailing Address: *34 Washington Pl., Teaneck, NJ 07666-6125*

b) Associate conference lay leaders: *None.*

c) District and associate district lay leaders (first name is lay leader, followed by associates):

*Cape Atlantic District: Carolyn Pendleton, Nicole Troast*

*Capital District: Judy DiCecco, Alice Turnbull*

*Delaware Bay District: Janet Blohm*

*Gateway North District: Judy Colorado*

*Gateway South District: Ellen Cusack, Jim Ogilvie*

*Northern Shore District: Marilyn Kinelski, Dennis Poane*

*Palisades District: Sam Noah*

*Raritan Valley District: Arthur Harrell*

*Skylands District: John C. Hartman*

### 14. What local churches have been?

a) Organized or Chartered?

1. New Church Start (§259.2,.3)

2. Mission Congregation (§259.1a)

3. Chartered Local Church (§259.5)

b) Merged (§2546)?

1. United Methodist with United Methodist:

- *Martinsville UMC and Bountiful Korean UMC now the Bountiful UMC of Martinsville*
- *Demarest UMC and Yobel Korean UMC now Demarest UMC*
- *Wildwood: First UMC and North Wildwood UMC now North Wildwood UMC*

c) Discontinued or abandoned (§229, 332.2, 2549)? (State which for each church listed.)

- *Anderson UMC*
- *Port Murray: Mc Crea Memorial UMC*
- *West Portal UMC*
- *Allerton UMC*
- *Riverside: First UMC*
- *Windsor UMC*
- *Toms River: St. Matthew's*

d) Relocated and to what address?

- *True Light Mission from Bayonne to 60 Cedar St., Ridgefield Park, NJ 07660*

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e) Changed name of church?

- Bloomsbury UMC to Simply Grace UMC

f) Transferred this year into this conference from other United Methodist conference(s) and with what membership (§§139, 260)?

15. What other changes have taken place in the list of churches?

16. What changes have been made in district and charge lines?

### PART II PERTAINING TO ORDAINED MINISTERS AND LOCAL PASTORS

(Note: A (v) notation following a question in this section signifies that the action or election requires a majority vote of the clergy session of the annual conference. If an action requires more than a simple majority, the notation (v 2/3) or (v 3/4) signifies that a two-thirds or three-fourths majority vote is required. Indicate credential of persons in Part II: FD, FE, PD, PE, and AM when requested.)

17. Are all the clergy members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? (§604.4, 605.7)

Throughout the conference year our District Superintendents have encountered several instances where clergy life and official administration has been addressed. We have done our supervisory work, at times calling for mediators to work with us. We have taken several actions throughout the year to strengthen pastoral effectiveness in specific appointments, some decisions affecting the placement of pastors. We have proceeded in our work and decisions only after much prayer and in consultation with the pastors and Staff Parish Relations Committees involved. We are at peace with our work and with the decisions made. With this statement, we are able to answer YES to this question.

18. Who constitute:

a) The Committee on Investigation of a Clergy Member (§2703.2, 2008 BOD)? (v)

Clergy

Scott Bostwick  
Renee McCleary  
David Ravinder  
James Ryoo

Alternates

Charles Bender  
Gary Frieze  
Edmund Martin

Professing Members

Vinette Bishop  
Evelyn Nelson  
Jack Scharf

Alternates

Donna Pearson

b) The Administrative Review Committee (§636)? (v)

Members

Beth Whalley Mitchell (Chair)  
Grace S. Pak  
Walter Jesuncosky

Alternates

Diane Pacione  
Loraine Priestley-Smith

c) The Conference Relations Committee of the Board of Ordained Ministry (§635.1d)?

Jessica Brendler Naulty (Chair)  
John DiGiamberardino  
Rosa Williams  
Betty Horne

Will Kim  
Sam Noah  
Johnnie Moore-Pierson

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19. Who are the certified candidates (¶ ¶ 310, 313, 314)

a) Who are currently certified as candidates for ordained or licensed ministry?

*(Unless a person is newly certified, do not include in question 19 those who are listed as licensed local pastors in Question 21)*

### **Cape Atlantic**

Tori Novack (2016)  
Michael W. Turner (2016)

### **Capital**

Samuel Arroyo (2015)                      Jamel Flagg (2014)  
Paul Burnett (2016)                        Shivonne McKay (2015: Palisades)  
Claire Cvetkovski (2016)                Eric Whisnant (2016)  
Paul Fenn (2016)

### **Delaware Bay**

Michael Chapman (2011)                Zachary Taylor (2015)  
Lillian Hines (2015)                      Barry Zane (2014)  
Seunghyun Lee (2015)

### **Gateway North**

Geralda Hill (2016)                        Esther Morales (2016)  
Peggy Holder-Jones (2016)                Jee Hei Park (2013)  
Heejo Lee (2016)                            Ralph Terrell (2016: Raritan Valley)  
Keunsik Lee (2014)                         Brian Tipton (2015)  
Boram Lim (2016)

### **Gateway South**

### **Northern Shore**

Scott Clifton (2015)                        Hyun Hui Kim (2016)  
Terry Lee Frazier (2012)                    Juyeon Lee (2013) (transf. from NY Annual Conference)  
Sarah Grant (2016: Cape Atlantic)        Debra Prescott (2012)  
Catherine Jordan-Latham (2016: Raritan Valley)        Ron Wilkinson (2016)

### **Palisades**

Minho Cho (2014)                            Hyun Woo Kim (2015)  
Eun Ok Cha (2012: Gateway North)        JiSung Peter Lee (2015)  
Dae Ho Choi (2015)                         Jung Ae Lee (2016)  
Amanda Cosnett (2015: Raritan Valley)    Teresita Matos-Post (2016: Raritan Valley)  
Chung Kyun Hong (2013)                    Eun Hye Park (2016)  
Dong Kue Jee (2012)                        Miso Park (2015)  
Namjo Jin (2015)                            Jisun Yang (2015)  
Eun Kyung Kim (2013)

### **Raritan Valley**

Jaemyoung James Lee (2014)  
Holly Paul (2016)

### **Skylands**

Manuel Islas (2014)  
Craig Spears (2016)

b) Who have had their candidacy for ordained or licensed ministry accepted by a District Committee on Ordained Ministry in another annual conference? (Include name of accepting conference.)

**Cape Atlantic**        Efrain Zavala, Desert Southwest  
**Capital**                Rachel Coggin, Arkansas, Northwest District

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**Delaware Bay** Sudhama Ananda, Wisconsin, Northwest District  
**Gateway North**  
**Gateway South**  
**Northern Shore**  
**Palisades**  
**Raritan Valley**  
**Skylands**

c) Who have been discontinued as certified candidates for licensed or ordained ministry?

### **Cape Atlantic**

#### **Capital**

**Delaware Bay** Diane Smith Forrest (withdrawn)  
**Gateway North** Bruce Hartman (withdrawn), Richard Jest (deceased), Rina Ramos (withdrawn)  
**Gateway South** Joe Kim (withdrawn), Daniel Ulrich (withdrawn)

#### **Northern Shore**

#### **Palisades**

**Raritan Valley** Mercia Solomon

#### **Skylands**

d) Who are certified candidates in this conference serving in other conferences?

20. Who have completed the studies for the license as a local pastor, are approved, but are not now appointed? (v) (¶315 — Indicate for each person the year the license was approved.):

### **Cape Atlantic**

#### **Capital**

Claire Cvetkovski (2016)  
Jamel Flagg (2014)

#### **Delaware Bay**

Sudhama Ananda (2007)  
Michael Chapman (2011)  
Lillian Hines (2015)  
Barry Zane (2014)

#### **Gateway North**

Peggy Holder-Jones (2016)  
Keunsik Lee (2014)

#### **Gateway South**

#### **Northern Shore**

Debra Prescott, MDiv (Drew) (2015)

#### **Palisades**

Eun Ok Cha (2012) Eun Kyung Kim (2013)  
Minho Cho (2014) Hyun Woo Kim (2016)  
Chung Kyun Hong (2013) Jung Ae Lee (2016)  
Dong Kue Jee (2012) JiSun Yang (2016)  
Namjo Jin (2015)

#### **Raritan Valley**

Jaemyoung James Lee (2014)

#### **Skylands**

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21. Who are approved and appointed as: (Indicate for each person the first year the license was awarded. Indicate what progress each has made in the course of study or the name of the seminary in which they are enrolled. Indicate with an asterisk those who have completed the five year course of study or the M.Div. (§319.4)? (v)

PLEASE NOTE: Persons on this list shall receive an episcopal appointment. (v)

a) Full-time local pastors? (§318.1)

### Cape Atlantic

Frank Brown, COS (3.5) (2012)  
Raymond Schmeling, COS\* (1994)

### Capital

Lori Feiler, MDiv\* (2009)  
Dorothy Johns, COS\* (2001)

### Delaware Bay

Peter Broomall, COS\* (1996)

### Gateway North

Emad Gerges, COS\*(2005)

### Gateway South

Sungchun Ahn, MDiv*(2011)	Douglas Goldsborough, COS* (1996)
Kevin Davis, COS*(2000)	Joshua Mularski, MDiv (Asbury) (2015)
David R. Delaney, COS* (2003)	Richard Workman, M.Div*(1997)

### Northern Shore

Louis Strugala Jr., COS (.5) (2006)

### Palisades

James Chin Cho (M.Div. 2004)	M. Elouise Hill-Challenger, MDiv* (2015)
Scott Griffith, COS* (1994)	Jin Kook Kim, M.Div. (2012)

### Raritan Valley

Lakesha Groover, MDiv* (2015)	George Rodney (2014)
Gabrielle Martone (Princeton) (2014)	Andrew Ryoo (United) (2015)

### Skylands

Robert Mayer, COS * (2002)	Nancy Robinson COS * (2007)
Charles Perez, MDiv* (2013)	Lora J. Villinger, MDiv*(1994)

b) Part-time local pastors? (§318.2) (fraction of full-time in one-quarter increments)

### Cape Atlantic

Joseph Breig, COS* (2003) ¼ time	Albert Moir, RL, COS* (1997) ¼ time
David Carber, COS (3.0) (2009) ¾ time	Debra Neill, COS* (2002) ¼ time
Shawn Cooper, COS* (2005) ¼ time	Thomas Novack COS (3.25) (2010) ½ time
Melissa Doyle-Waid, MDiv* (2011) ¾ time	Marcia Pankey-Stanford, COS (2.25) (2009) ¼ time
Joyce Dunne, COS (1.0) (2013) ½ time	Philip Pelphrey, COS (1.5) (2012) ¾ time
Thomas Fisher, RL, COS * (1996) ¼ time	Gerri Ridings, COS (3.25) (2009) ½ time
Carol A. Hutchison, COS (.25) (2014) ¼ time	James Rixon, COS* (1986) ¾ time
Yo Seeb Jeob, MDiv* (2015) ½ time	Carl Shinn, COS (.5) (2014) ½ time
Kenneth Johnson, MDiv* (2001) ¾ time	Thomas Stark, MDiv* Palmer, (2007) ¾ time
Ginnie Keiser, COS (3.25) (2009) ¾ time	Clifford Still, MDiv, Palmer (2008) ¾ time
Donald McMahon, MDiv, (2015) ½ time	Michael W. Turner, MDiv., Lutheran (2016) ¼ time

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### Capital

Samuel Arroyo, MDiv, (2015) ¼ time  
McWilliam Colon, COS (1.5) (2009) ¼ time  
Jessica Davis, MDiv (2013) ½ time  
Paul Fenn, COS (2015) ¼ time  
David Gardner COS (2) (2012) ¼ time  
Rupert Hall, COS (2013) ½ time  
Wesley Hawk, COS\* (2001) ¼ time

Geralda Hill, MDiv\* (2016) ½ time  
Shivonne McKay, MDiv\*(2016) ½ time  
Linda Taylor, M.Div\* (1999) ½ time  
Waleska Trinidad, COS (1) (2015) ½ time  
Elizabeth Vaneekhoven, MDiv\* (2006) ½ time  
Vanessa Wilson, MDiv (Drew) (2014) ¼ time

### Delaware Bay

Diane Arthur, COS: (4.5), (2004) ½ time  
Clarence Bentley, COS\* (2005) ¼ time  
Roy E. Bundy, COS\*, (2000) ½ time  
Sandra Callahan, COS (1) (2012) ½ time  
Janet Church, COS (.25) 2014 ¾ time  
Michael Denelsbeck, COS (.75) (2013) ½ time  
Wilbert Frazer, COS\*, (1982) RL, ¼ time  
Thomas Gilchrist, COS\*, (1991) RL ¼ time  
James Gillard, COS\*, (1991) RL ¼ time  
Marikay Green, MDiv\* (2007) ¼ time  
Clint Hudnall, COS\* (2002) RL ¼ time  
Walter Kellen Jr., COS\* (1996) RL ¼ time  
Denise Kostiak, COS (.5) (2014) ¾ time  
Seunghyun Lee, MDiv\* (2015) ½ time

Terri McCarson, Palmer (2013) ½ time  
Richard Miles, COS\* (2000) ¼ time  
John Mitchell, COS\* (2002) RL ¼ time  
Lori Mitchell, Palmer (2014) ¼ time  
Dae Hyun Park, MDiv\* (2015) ½ time  
John Redkoles, Palmer, (2014) ½ time  
Margaret Reid, MDiv\* (2012) ½ time  
Jack R. Schaser, MDiv\*, (2003) ½ time  
Danny Thomas. MDiv\* (2005) ¼ time  
Robert Bret Walker, COS (.25) (2013) ½ time  
Emerson Woodward, COS\* (1997) RL, ¼ time  
Myounghun Yun, MDiv\* (2015) ½ time  
Sherry Zappola, COS\* (2005) ¾ time

### Gateway North

Annie Bevacqua MDiv\* (2006) ½ time  
Prescott Butler, Div\*(NYTS)(2015) ¾ time  
Sonia Cancel (2014) ½ time  
Chong Wan Kim (2014) ¼ time

Heejo Lee (2016) ¼ time  
Hee Young Lim (2015) ¾ time  
Esther Morales (2016) ½ time  
Yoomi Yi, MDiv\* (2014) ½ time

### Gateway South

Deborah Barnett, COS (1.75) (2010) ¾ time  
Alice Cook, RL ¼ time  
Cherese Evans, MDiv\* (2009) ¼ time  
Shawn Forman, COS (0) (2014) ½ time  
Marikay Green, MDiv\* (2007) ½ time  
Harry Gutelius COS (0) (2001) ¼ time

Joyce Mooney, RL, COS\* (2004) RL (¶316.8)  
Steven Philipp, MDiv\* (2015) ½ time  
Pedro Pillot, MDiv, (2015) ½ time  
Shelley Smith, MDiv\* (2011) ½ time  
George Softly COS\* (1996) ½ time  
Carl Styles, MDiv\* (1993) ¼ time

### Northern Shore

Sandra Campanell, MDiv\* (Palmer) (1997) ¾ time  
Bernadette Cataline, MDiv\* (Drew) (2008) ½ time  
Eugene Chamberlin COS (.5) (2010) ¼ time  
Joy Geldart, COS (.75) (2008) ¼ time  
Sarah Grant, MDiv, (Drew) (2016) ½ time

Wade Jackson, MDiv (United) (2013) ¼ time  
Beverly Jones, RL, COS\* (2003) ½ time  
Catherine Jordan-Latham, M.Div., (NYTS) (2016) ½ time  
Barry Steinmetz, COS\* (2001) ¼ time  
Michael A. Turner, Sr., COS (.5) (2011) ½ time

### Palisades

Benjamin Burgos (2015) ½ time  
Ray Boyd, COS (2008) ¼ time  
Amanda Cosnett (2016: Raritan Valley) ½ time  
Innica Humphrey, MDiv (2004) ½ time

Jae Pil Lee, MDiv\*(2013), ½ time  
Sung Woo Lee (2015) ½ time  
Teresita Matos-Post (2016: Raritan Valley) ½ time  
Miso Park (2015) ¼ time

### Raritan Valley

Shikaorsor Ademu-John, MDiv\* (2014), ½ time  
Tim Espar, MDiv\*, (2010) ½ time  
Vincent Frunzi, MDiv\*, (2011) ¼ time

Lynn Mears, MDiv\* (2002) ¾ time  
Wilhelmina Opoku, MDiv\* (2007) ½ time  
Holly Paul, ¼ time

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Gerard Jameson, MDiv\* (2014) ¼ time  
 Margaret Kaleh, RL, ½ time  
 Benjamin Lee, MDiv (Drew) (2014) ¾ time  
 Peter Mantell, MDiv (Drew) (2014) ½ time

Amanda Rohrs-Dodge, MDiv\* (2013) ½ time  
 Sandra Santangelo (2015) ½ time  
 Darleen Schott, RL, ¼ time

### Skylands

Linda Bohs, COS\* (2003) ¼ time  
 Nancy Cooke, MDiv. (2010) ½ time  
 Carla Costantino, MDiv\* (2005) ¾ time  
 Dianna Damstra Stone, MDiv, Drew (2008) ½ time  
 David Edwards, MDiv\* (2008) ½ time  
 Amy Garrett, COS (3.0) (2011) ½ time  
 Wen-Ling Lai, MDiv\* (Drew) (2013) ½ time  
 Scott Maat, COS (3.5) (2012) ½ time  
 Dawn Maffetone COS (0.5) (2014) ½ time  
 Lourdes L. Matos-Delgado COS (1.5) (2011) ½ time  
 Timothy Nicinski, COS (4.0) (2010) ½ time

Terry Perkins, COS\* (2007) ½ time  
 Nikolay Petrov, MDiv\* (2015) ¼ time  
 Richard J. Peter, Jr, (0) (2013) ¼ time  
 Patricia Piazza (.5) (2013) ½ time  
 Walter Schwarz, MDiv\*, (2012) ½ time  
 Craig Spears (0) (2016) ½ time  
 Constance Squire, MDiv (2015) ¼ time  
 Nancy Vonderhorst, RL, COS\* (1998) ½ time  
 Jo-Anne Winzer (1.0) (2014) ¼ time  
 Lynn Zaremba (1.0) (2014) ¾ time

c) Students from other annual conferences or denominations serving as local pastors and enrolled in a school of theology listed by the University Senate (§318.3,.4)?

**Raritan Valley** Kara Berg, Northern Illinois, (Princeton) ½ time

d) Students who have been certified as candidates in your annual conference and are serving as local pastors in another annual conference while enrolled in a school of theology listed by the University Senate (§318.3)

e) Persons serving as local pastors while seeking readmission to conference membership (§366.4, 367, 369.3)? (If not in this conference indicate name of conference where serving)

**Cape Atlantic** Steve Gifford, Kentucky Conference (2016)

22. Who have been discontinued as local pastors (§320.1)?

**Gateway South** Joe Kim

23. Who have been reinstated as local pastors (§320.4)(v)?

**Gateway South** Harry Gutelius  
**Palisades** Chong Kyun Hong, Eun Kyung Kim  
**Raritan Valley** Ralph Terrell

24. What ordained ministers or provisional members from other Annual Conferences or Methodist denominations are approved for appointment in the Annual Conference while retaining their conference or denominational membership (§331.8, 346.1)? (List alphabetically; indicate Annual Conference or denomination where membership is held. Indicate credential.)

a) Annual Conferences

Benedicto Azurin	(FE)	Middle Philippines
Albert Barchue	(FE)	Liberia
Arturo Bautista	(FE)	Manila Philippines
Wilfredo Barrera	(RE)	North Mindanao A.C. of the Philippines
Manny Cruz	(FE)	East Philippines
Thomas James	(RE)	Eastern PA
Bernie Khaw	(FE)	South Georgia
Faindan Blessings Magomero	(FE)	Malawi
Thomas Mineyah	(FE)	Liberia
Benny Pillot	(FE)	Puerto Rico
Reynaldo Q. Salazar	(FE)	Bulacan, Philippines
Luana Cook Scott	(FE)	West Virginia
David Tokpah	(FE)	Liberia

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### b) Other Methodist Denominations

Nathan Addo-Nartey	(FE)	Methodist Church of Ghana
Ivan Paulinus Alberts	(FE)	Church of South India
Alfredo Caballero	(FE)	Cuba Methodist Church
Jevon Caldwell-Gross	(FE)	African Methodist Episcopal
Jun Ho Choi	(FE)	Korean Methodist
Connie Heiges	(FE)	Church of the Nazarene
Hebert Silva Junker	(FE)	Methodist Church of Brazil
Jaeyoun Kim	(FE)	Korean Methodist Church
Jonghwa Kim	(FE)	Korean Methodist Church
Lourdes Teixeira Magalhaes	(FE)	Methodist Church of Brazil
Cesar Miyares	(FE)	Cuba Methodist Church
Sam Mountain	(FE)	Church of the Nazarene
Samuel Daeyong Park	(FE)	Korean Methodist Church

25. What clergy in good standing in other Christian denominations have been approved to serve appointments or ecumenical ministries within the bounds of the Annual Conference while retaining their denominational affiliation (§§331.8, 346.2)? (v) (Designate with an asterisk those who have been accorded voting rights within the annual conference. Indicate credential.)

26. Who are affiliate members: (List alphabetically; indicate annual conference or denomination where membership is held.)

a) With vote (§586.4 [v])?

b) Without vote (§§334.5, 344.4)? (v 2/3)

James Mills	New York (Livingston)
Michael Rivas	Florida (Bloomfield, Park)

*NOTE: If your conference has admitted or ordained persons as a courtesy to another conference, list these persons in Question 40 only. If persons have been admitted or ordained by another annual conference as a courtesy to your conference, list these persons in Questions 27-39, whichever are appropriate, giving the date and name of the accommodating conference.*

27. Who are elected as associate members? §322 (v) (List alphabetically-see note preceding Question 27):

28. Who are elected as provisional members and what seminary are they attending, if in school? (under §§322.4, 324, 325)

a) Provisional Deacons under the provisions of §§ 324.4a, c or §324.5?(v)  
Maylis de la Fe-Rodriguez

b) Provisional Elders under the provisions of §§ 324.4a, b or §324.6 (v); § 322.4 (v 3/4)

Sarah Borgstrom	JongIn Lee
Blair Goold	Daeil Min
Katelyn Hillis	Richard Romero
Michael A. Howard	Joshua Shuster
Elizabeth Ealie	William B. Wilson Jr.
David Ledford III	

29. Who are continued as provisional members, in what year were they admitted to provisional membership, and what seminary are they attending, if in school (§326)?

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a) In preparation for ordination as a deacon or elder? (¶326)

### 2010

Colleen Fitch (PE)

### 2012

Susan Iliff (PD)

### 2013

Lorie Beth Caulfield (PE)

Pamela James (PE)

Amarylis Gonzalez-Lopez (PE)

### 2014

Kaleigh Corbett (PE)

Todd Lattig (PE)

Kyle Cuperwich (PE)

David Tillisch (PE)

Kristin Helms (PD)

### 2015

Dawn Corlew (PE)

Ninabeth Metcalf (PE)

Debra DeVos (PD)

Tae Youl (Leo) Park (PE)

Karline Dubuisson (PE)

SandraLee Stenstrom (PE)

John Inverso (PE)

June Tamburro (PD)

Yeol (Earl) Kim (PE)

Heather Valosin (PE)

Frederick R. Marz (PE)

Catherine Williams (PE)

b) Provisional deacons who became provisional elders? (Indicate original year of membership)

c) Provisional elders who became provisional deacons? (Indicate original year of membership)

d) Provisional members who transferred from other conferences or denominations? (¶347.1)

30. What ordained clergy, coming from other Christian denominations, have had their orders recognized (¶348): (v) A person's orders may be recognized when they are transferring their membership into your annual conference from another Christian denomination. A person who is listed in Q.30 must also be listed in either Q. 31 a or b, depending on the transfer status.

31. Who have been received from other Christian denominations (¶347.3): (see note preceding question 27)

a) As provisional members (¶347.3a,b)? (v) (date received) (former denomination)

b) As local pastors (¶347.3a)? (v) (date received) (former denomination)

32. Who are elected as members in full connection? (List alphabetically-see note preceding Question 27. Anyone appearing on this question must also be listed somewhere in questions 32-33 or 35, unless the clergy's orders from another denomination were recognized on question 39 in a previous year.) (v 2/3):

a) Deacons

Sharon Yarger

b) Elders

Anna Gillette

Christina Lelache

John Randall

Peter Jamieson

Ayn Masker

Brian Rhea

Woo Min Lee

Cameron Overbey

Jessica Stenstrom

33. Who are ordained as deacons and what seminary awarded their degree? Or, if their master's degree is not from a seminary, at what seminary did they complete the basic graduate theological studies?: (List alphabetically-see note preceding Question 27):

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a) After provisional membership (§330)? (v 2/3)

Sharon Yarger (Drew)

b) Transfer from elder in full connection (§309)? (v 2/3)

34. Who are ordained as elders and what seminary awarded their degree?

a) After provisional membership? (§335) (v 2/3)

Anna Gillette (Princeton)

Peter Jamieson (Palmer)

Woo Min Lee (Hyupsung Univ., Harvard Div. School)

Christina Lelache (Methodist Theol.)

Ayn Masker (Eastern Baptist)

Cameron Overbey (Duke)

John Randall (Eastern Baptist)

Brian Rhea (Asbury)

Jessica Stenstrom (Drew)

b) Transfer from deacon? (§309) (v 2/3)

35. What provisional members, previously discontinued, are readmitted (§365)? (v)

36. Who are readmitted (§366-368 [v], §369 [v 2/3]):

37. Who are returned to the effective relationship after voluntary retirement (§358.7): (v)

38. Who have been received by transfer from other annual conferences of The United Methodist Church (§347.1, 416.5, 635.2m)? (List alphabetically. Indicate credential. See note preceding Question 27.)

Name	Credential	Conference	Date
Alison Vanuskirk Philip	(PE)	New York Annual Conference	5/15/2016
Jennifer K. Smith Walz	(FE)	Desert Southwest	7/1/2016
Richard L. Work	(FE)	West Virginia	7/1/2016

39. Who are transferred in from other Methodist denominations (§347.2)? (List alphabetically. Indicate credential.)

Name	Credential	Denomination	Date
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40. Who have been ordained as a courtesy to other conferences, after election by the other conference? (See note preceding Question 27. Such courtesy elections or ordinations do not require transfer of conference membership.)

a) Deacons?

b) Elders?

41. Who have been transferred out to other annual conferences of The United Methodist Church (§416.5)? (List alphabetically. Indicate credential. See note preceding Question 27.)

Name	Credential	Conference	Date
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42. Who are discontinued as provisional members (§327)? (Indicate credential) (v).

a) By expiration of eight-year time limit (§ 327)

Ralph B. Terrell

b) By voluntary discontinuance (§ 327.6) (v)

c) By involuntary discontinuance (§ 327.6) (v)

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d) By reaching Mandatory Retirement Age after December 31, 2012 (§ 327.7)

43. Who are on location?

a) Who has been granted honorable location (§359.1)? (Give date when this action became effective. Record Charge Conference where membership is held. Indicate credential and year of most recent report.):

(1) This year? (v)

(2) Previously?

Lynn M. Cheney (FE) (1985)	South Seaville
John H. Coffee (1978)	Atco
Robert Godleski (FE) (1990)	Changewater
Richard W. Johnson (FE) (1991)	First UMC, Vorheesville, NY
Charnell Kolm (FE) (2011)	Hamilton: Neptune
Karen Onesti (FE) (2010)	Cross Keys
Edward Marks (2001)	Riverside First
Bonita Merk (FE) (1996)	Milford
C. Garland Pollard (1979)	Calvary: Dumont
William H. Rhines (1987)	Ezion-Mt. Carmel, DE
David E. VanSciver (1988)	Haddonfield
Kenneth Williams (1994)	Bridgewater

b) Who on honorable location are appointed ad interim as local pastors? (§359.2) (Indicate date and appointment.)

c) Who has been placed on administrative location (§360?) (Give date when this action became effective. Record Charge Conference where membership is held. Indicate credential.):

(1) This year? (v)

(2) Previously?

44. Who have been granted the status of honorable location—retired (§359.3)? (Record Charge Conference where membership is held. Indicate credential.):

a) This year? (v)

b) Previously?

Vicki Hanjian	Midland Park
Michael Crigger	Dover
Richard Sidener	Yardley, PA
Bernard J. Shropshire	First, Cocoa, Fl.
James Sterman	Bridgeton: Central
Ronald VanderSchaaf	Piscataway
Susanna VanGelder Coxo	Waterloo
Paul L. Wells	Hackettstown
Annemarie Anderson Yeo	Washington

45. Who have had their status as honorably located and their orders terminated (§359.2)? (v)

46. Who have had their conference membership terminated? (Give date when this action became effective. Indicate credential.)

a) By withdrawal to unite with another denomination (§361.1, .4)? (v)

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Name	Credential	Denomination	Date
James Keeton	(FE)	African Methodist Episcopal	10/1/2015

b) By withdrawal from the ordained ministerial office (§361.2, .4)? (v)

c) By withdrawal under complaints or charges (§361.3, .4; 2719.2)? (v)

d) By termination of orders under recommendation of the Board of Ordained Ministry (§354.12 )? (v)

e) By trial (§2713)? (v)

47. Who have been suspended under the provisions of §363.1d, §2704.2c or §2711.3? (Give effective dates. Indicate credential.)

48. Deceased (List alphabetically in the spaces provided)

a) What associate members have died during the year?

**Effective:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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**Retired:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Francis Coyle	August 8, 1927	September 25, 2015
Richard J. Herritt	May 31, 1923	September 29, 2015
William J. McCullough	June 4, 1924	October 20, 2015
E. Douglas Strickland	January 30, 1928	January 28, 2016

b) What provisional members have died during the year? (Indicate credential.)

**Effective:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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**Retired:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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c) What elders have died during the year?

**Effective:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Glenn K. Miller	December 11, 1955	September 21, 2015
LaGretta Bjorn	November 30, 1950	April 8, 2016

**Retired:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Doris L. Williams	November 5, 1929	June 15, 2015
George C. Schlesinger	September 14, 1923	August 4, 2015
Robert D. Simpson	October 16, 1924	August 6, 2015
Harold P. Johnson	April 19, 1923	August 15, 2015
Douglas F. Dorchester	March 17, 1924	November 1, 2015
Robert E. Davidson	May 4, 1934	December 23, 2015
Eugene Foote	March 21, 1929	December 26, 2015
Donald F. Derse	June 17, 1939	February 12, 2016
James Hofacker Jr.	June 7, 1950	March 15, 2016
Carl G. Farrell	October 20, 1931	April 5, 2016
Constance A. Martin	November 25, 1937	April 30, 2016
Ethel M. Brodie	April 21, 1943	May 8, 2016

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Vern A. Jensen	August 4, 1932	May 6, 2016
Ralph Leon Barrett	July 28, 1924	May 20, 2016

d) What deacons have died during the year?

**Effective:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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**Retired:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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e) What local pastors have died during the year?

**Active:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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**Retired:**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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49. What provisional or ordained members (elders and deacons) have received appointments in other Annual Conferences of The United Methodist Church while retaining their membership in this Annual Conference (§331.8, 346.1)?

Name	Conference	Date
Jun Namkoong (FE)	North Georgia	September 1, 1997
Don Mitchell (FE)	North Carolina	July 1, 2014

50. Who are the provisional, ordained members or associate members on leave of absence and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation (§354)? (Indicate credential. Record Charge Conference where membership is held.

Name	Number of Years	Charge Conference
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a) Voluntary?

(1) Personal, 5 years or less (§354.2a 3) (v)

Name	Number of Years	Charge Conference
Kristin Helms (PD)	1	St. Paul's: Thorofare
David Jones (FE)	4	Waterloo
Matthew Na (FE)	2 (eff. 8/1/15)	Cornerstone: Hasbrouck Heights

(2) Personal, more than 5 years (§354.2a 3) (v 2/3)

Name	Number of Years	Charge Conference
Holly Hughes Cartwright (FE)	16	Keyport: Calvary

(3) Family, 5 years or less (§354.2b 3) (v)

Name	Number of Years	Charge Conference
Allyson Estes (FE)	4	Asbury Park: Ballard

(4) Family, more than 5 years (§354.2b 3) (v 2/3)

Name	Number of Years	Charge Conference
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(5) Transitional (¶354.2c)

Name	Number of Years	Charge Conference
Eric Helms (FE)	1	St. Paul's: Thorofare
William Benjamin (FE)	1	Asbury: Woodlynn

b) Involuntary (¶ 355)? (v 2/3)

51. Who are granted sabbatical leave (¶352)? (v) (Give date when this relation became effective; indicate credential, and charge conference.)

52. Who have been granted medical leave due to medical or disabling conditions (¶357)? (v)

Wayne Ackerman (FE)	Thomas McKee, Jr. (FE)
Barbara Frohock (FE)	Mark O'Shields (FE)
Maria P. Vizcarrondo Lafontaine (FE)	David Turner (FE)
Matthew Linden (FE)	

53. What members in full connection have been retired (¶358): (List alphabetically giving full name—first, middle, last—in that order. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (¶358.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (Under ¶358.1, no vote required; under ¶358.2, v; under ¶358.3, v 2/3)

### Deacons

a) This year?

Marilyn Balzer

b) Previously?

Elaine R. Cuff	Diane Klemann	Kathleen B. Morris Linda Tocher
Norma M. Hockenjos	Barbara Ann Glessman	Clara English Thomas
Karen Gazillo	Carol Freeman Hann	Christina Zit
Joanne Drane	Marilyn Pote Hutton	
Dorothy F. Gilbert	Joyce Radcliffe Mayer	

### Elders

a) This year?

Joel Ajo-Fernandez	Jack Copas	Wayne Plumstead
Hemesias Ares	Stuart Dangler	Bruce Quigley
Nelson Arroyo	Brian Eble	Kenneth Robinson
Carletta Aston	Glenn Ferguson	Nehemiah Thompson
Gary Bartlett	Valerie Garron	Patricia Wentworth
Robert Cassidy (eff. 12/31/15) Dennis	Larry Kalajainen	Michael Williams
Chung	Nelson Lamb	Annie Wright-Cherry
Jungrea Chung	Hee Duk Lee	Paul Yun
William Cook (eff.1/10/17)	Donald S. Medley	

b) Previously?

William A. Abrams	David Lee Bailey	Charles Bender
Franck Aguilh	Richard Banach	Mildred E. Bender
Willard W. Albertus	Robert S. Barnard	John A. Benson
E. Jay Amey	Bruce E. Barrabee	Robert J. Beyer
Roy C. Amore	Patricia Barrett	John F. Bickerstaff
Layton P. Anderson	James C. Batten	James H. Biggs
Sony Augustin	Robert E. Bavender	Marcia Krause Bilyk
Kenneth A.Austenberg	Harlan M. Baxter	Herman Otto Bips
Emil Augustine	David W. Beach	Clyde Bradway
Kathryn Avery	E. Randall Bean	Robert L. Boettner

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David James Bort  
Dan Bottorff  
Carl R. Bowser  
Frederick Boyle  
John Lawrence Brasher  
Richard J. Bridge  
Gregory Bruton  
Marie Burger  
Rose Burns-Hayes  
Barbara D. Burrus  
Thomas R. Bush  
Grant Buttermore  
Clark David Callender  
Eldrich C. Campbell  
John R. Carty  
Wauneta J. Catlett  
Paul Dong Chang  
Edward B. Cheney  
Sung Whan Cho  
Hysup Choi  
Thomas R. Christie  
John Chung  
Samuel Chung  
Paul K. Chyung  
Hermes Clemente  
Nicholas Connolly  
Wayne Conrad  
Edward F. Conway  
Merle Duane Cooper  
Edward F. Conway  
Merle Duane Cooper  
Robert Costello  
Ron Crouch  
Robert W. Crowther  
Carlton Curtin  
Dorothy Dann  
William A. Davis  
James H. Davis  
James W. Davis  
Donald DeGroat  
Henry DeKolf  
Joan DeSanctis  
Linda Del Sardo  
James Dewart  
Philip R. Dietterich  
Edna Dismus  
J. Evans Dodds  
Jere Hopkins Doer  
James E. Doran  
John F. Dow  
John S. Du Bois  
Raymond DuBois  
Richard Dudinak  
William Duke  
Robert Duncan Jr  
Robert J. Duncan, Sr  
Sheila Shields Duncan

Lawrence L. Dunn  
David Dutcher  
Mark Earl  
Lester Eugene Eberhart  
William F. Edsall  
John Edwards  
William Elkins  
Marjorie Eriksen  
Beverly A. Erickson  
Ramon Evangelista  
G. Dane Ewen  
Jose R. Fernandez  
David M. Finch  
Gretchen D. B. Fischer  
George P. Fischer  
Charles D. Follansbee  
John Foster  
Geraldine I. Fowler  
Boyd Fox  
Horace M. Frantz  
George Frederick  
Herbert T. Freeland  
Steven Frick  
Robert L. Frost  
B. James George  
Elizabeth B. Gibbons  
Howard S. Gifford  
Champion B. Goldy  
Julio Gomez  
Galen Goodwin  
Raymond H. Gough  
Robert Ernest Grant  
Charles A. Green  
William E. Greene  
Garfield L. Greene  
Newton W. Greiner  
Daniel Gueh  
Linda Hale  
Eugene W. Hamilton, Jr.  
Armen Hanjian  
Edwin F. Hann III  
James H. Harris, Jr.  
Lawrence Harris  
David Harwood  
Jay K. Helms  
Ruth Hennessey  
Sylvestus Hyatt Hensen  
June Daniels Hewitt  
Thomas Higgins  
Harry Hill  
Susan G. Hill  
Linda Mahan Hofacker  
James Hofacker  
Joseph Hofer  
Wilbert Hoffman  
Elbridge T. Holland  
Cynthia Hollenbeck  
Theresa Hoover

W. Garey Hope  
Betty Horne  
David F. Housten, Jr.  
Jack Thomas Howard  
Virginia Stein Hubbard.  
Clark Wilber Hunt  
Joan D. Hutchinson  
George Imhoff  
David Isch  
Marion Jackson  
William Jacobsen  
John Janka  
Philip Jensen  
Gregory J. Johnson  
John V. Johnson  
Sherrie Dobbs Johnson  
Donald B. Jones  
Mary F. Jones  
George Lynch, Jr.  
Deborah A. Kauffman  
Carl H. Kearns  
Wesley A. Kemp  
Ai Ra Kim  
Bo Joong Kim  
Hae-Jong Kim  
Hee Ryun Kim  
Sun Ryang Kim  
Gerald B. Kinney  
Thomas Kinter  
William K. Kirby  
Richard Klein  
Daniel Klement  
Donald T. Knott  
E. Richard Knox  
Chris Seog Ko  
John Koch  
Diane W. Koob  
Gerard J. Koob  
Frank Kowar  
Karl R. Kraft  
Jung John Kwon  
Dean Lanning  
Sharon Ladd  
Richard Leaver  
Duk Kyun Lee  
Hee Moon Lee  
Sang Kyoo Lee  
Henry Leono  
Estelle K. Lewis  
Richard Carl Ley  
Theodore Linn  
Dennis Lippart  
Ellen Little  
Norman Madsen  
Paul Maliel  
Donald A. Marks  
W. Howard Marshall  
Edmund Martin

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 Rozellia Matthews  
 John Charles Maun  
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 William McAllister, III  
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 Carole E. McCullum  
 Joseph McCarthy  
 William R. McElwee  
 Karen McMartin  
 Malcolm J. McVeigh  
 Betty L. Megill  
 Rollo A. Michael  
 C. Ronald Miller  
 Charles W. Miller, Jr.  
 Douglas S. Miller  
 Roderick B. Mills, Sr.  
 Frederick V. Mills, Sr.  
 E. Robin Mitchell  
 Carolyn Montgomery  
 Elizabeth (Sue) Moore  
 George Morris  
 Robert Morris  
 Edwin Mark Muller  
 Eileen Murphy  
 Sandra Murphy  
 Vena Murphy  
 Koo Yong Na  
 Thomas B. Naglee  
 Nishan Najarian  
 Charles Mc Neil  
 Murray W. Neumeyer  
 John Nolan  
 William T. Noll  
 F. Barrett O’Rear  
 Carolyn D. Ocheltree  
 David J. Ourisman  
 James D. Overcash  
 John D. Painter  
 Joan Palmer  
 Sung Eun Park  
 Suk Kyu Park  
 James Archibald Parr  
 Jeanne Pearson  
 James D. Peterson  
 Bruce G. Phillips  
 David C. Pierson  
 Roger W. Plantikow  
 B. Bianca Podesta-  
 Armitage

Shelly Potter-Abrahamsen  
 William Presnell  
 Fred Price  
 Lanie Price  
 Walter Quigg  
 Rebeca Radillo  
 Robert Ralph  
 Barbara Rambach  
 Robert L. Reasner  
 William S. Reasner  
 Ralph M. Reed  
 George C. Reid  
 Noah W. Reid, III  
 Lee Van Rensburg  
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 Wayne C. Richards  
 Jose Rivera-Bocanegra  
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 Charles K. Root  
 Charles J. Rounds  
 Leonard Rowell  
 Jerry D. Ruff  
 Edward Rusk  
 Sydney Sadio  
 James W. Sainsbury  
 Marilyn K. Sainsbury  
 Jorge Sanchez  
 Charles A. Sayre  
 Geraldine Scheimeyer  
 Harold Schmul  
 Robert W. Scott  
 Stanley B. Scott, Jr.  
 Ronald Stuart Sell  
 Jae Jeong Shim  
 M. Russell Shivers  
 Hazel Thomas Shue  
 Caroline Smallwood  
 Kenneth Smith  
 Deloris Smith  
 Carter A. Smith  
 Barrie T. Smith  
 Harold Warson Smith  
 Malcolm H. Smith, III  
 Robert Smith  
 Richard Smyth  
 Earl C. Snyder  
 G. Willard Southwick

William Spangler  
 Carol Spellman  
 Cleon Spencer  
 Robert B. Steelman  
 Harry R. Stevenson  
 Nancy T. Sturdivant  
 Margaret J. Styles  
 Roger K. Swanson  
 Donald Tabler  
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 James Terry, III  
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 Doris Thompson  
 Robert W. Tomer  
 Thomas T. Trainor  
 Pedro Trinidad  
 Gary Turk  
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 Robin E. Van Cleef  
 Paul W. Van der Loo  
 Harvey E. VanSciver  
 Thomas John Venables  
 Thomas Wadas  
 Charles Wagner  
 Robert Webster  
 Barry Wehrle  
 H. Alden Welch  
 Judy Anne White  
 W. James White  
 Thomas M. White  
 David Wiley  
 Ernest Williams  
 Robert J. Williams  
 E. Bruce Wills  
 Frederick Wilkes, III  
 David T. Wilson  
 Clarence Wilson  
 Richard Wittig  
 John P. Wood, II  
 Anna Elizabeth Wright  
 W. Joel Wright  
 John Walter Wright, Jr.  
 Edward J. Wynne, Jr.  
 Alan Yeo  
 Gregory Young  
 William Ziegler

54. What associate members have been retired (¶358): (**List** alphabetically giving full name-first, middle, last-in that order. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (¶358.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (**Under ¶358.1, no vote required; under ¶358.2, v; under ¶358.3, v 2/3**)

a) This year?

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b) Previously?

Frances Ballinger  
Nyada G. Clarke  
Francis M. Coyle

William Hess  
Charles D. Mitchell  
Elizabeth K. Mitchell

Alfred Murray  
Noemi Perez

55. What provisional members have been retired before January 1, 2013 (§1358, 2008 *Book of Discipline*): (Indicate credential. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (§1358.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) **(Under §1358.1, no vote required; under §1358.2, v; under §1358.3, v 2/3)**

a) This year? (NOTE: Provisional members who reach mandatory retirement age and have not retired by Jan. 1, 2013 shall be discontinued (§1327.7) and listed in Q. 42.)

b) Previously?

Donna Conkwright (2007)  
Adma Ross (2007)

Darlene M. Schott (2006)  
Joseph Scott (2008)

56. Who have been recognized as retired local pastors (§1320.5):

a) This year?

Maurice Brown  
Pasqual DeEsposito (eff.4/1/16)

Everett Dickinson  
Richard Esher

Maxine Johnson-Harris  
Joyce Mooney (eff 9/1/15)

b) Previously?

Dean Amelung  
Harry L. Anderson, Jr.  
Grace Benson  
Elizabeth Ann Berry William Bishop  
Warren R. Brandt  
Zacharie Cazeau  
Thomas Chalfont  
Bettie Chaplin  
Glenn D. Chaplin  
William G. Chew  
Alice Cook  
Willard Cotton  
James Craig  
Richard DeRick  
Alma Dobson  
G. Mel Dunn  
Norman J. Eckley  
Eugene Errickson  
Thomas E. Fisher  
William Foster  
Wilbert L. Frazer  
Judith Gehrig  
Thomas Gilchrist

James H. Gillard  
Lester W. Guilfoyle, Jr.  
Doris Haley  
Polly Hare  
William E. Hess, Sr.  
Clint Hudnall  
Alfred Jaeger  
Beverly Jones  
Margaret Kaleh  
Walter Kellen  
Beatrice Knowles  
Johnny Levant  
Larry S. Long  
Lillian Lopez-Mazza  
Melva Matlack  
John Mitchell  
Shirley Mitchell  
Albert H. Moir  
Vada Moore  
William C. Moore  
Frank Moran  
George H. Munn  
Carlos Nolasco

Barbara J. Novick  
Stephen Palmer  
Karen Popjes  
Ramon S. Putnam  
Robert E. Ringenwald  
John Robbins  
Maria Royle  
Gloria Sanchez  
Elsie Levvari Scattergood  
Efrain D. Segui  
Linwood G. Sharp  
Anita Sinclair  
Deloris Smith  
William Sutton  
Everett Sykes  
Cynthia Taylor  
Raul Terrero  
Judith Todt  
Jane Verstoep  
Nancy Vonderhorst  
Johnnie R. White  
Calvin Woods  
Emerson Woodward

57. What is the number of clergy members of the Annual Conference:

By appointment category and conference relationship?

(NOTES:

(1) Where applicable, the question numbers on this report form corresponding to each category have been placed in parenthesis following the category title. Where these question numbers appear, the number reported in that category should agree with the number of names listed in the corresponding questions.

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(2) For the three categories of Appointments to Extension Ministries, report as follows:

¶344.1a, c): the number of clergy members appointed within United Methodist connectional structures, including district superintendents, or to an ecumenical agency.

¶344.1b): the number of clergy members appointed to extension ministries, under endorsement by the Division of Chaplains and Related Ministries of the General Board of Higher Education and Ministry.

¶344.1d): the number of clergy members appointed to other valid ministries, confirmed by a two-thirds vote of the Annual Conference.

**Note: Report those in extension ministry in one category only.**

See the Discipline paragraphs indicated for more detailed description of these appointment categories.)

**Note: Those approved to serve as a local pastor, but not currently under appointment, are not counted as clergy members of the conference.**

Categories	Deacons in Full Connection	Elders in Full Connection	Provisional Deacons	Provisional Elders	Associate Members & Affiliate Members With Vote	Full-time Local Pastors	Part-time Local Pastors
Pastors and deacons whose primary appointment is to a Local Church (¶¶331.1c, 339) (76, 78c)	9	229	3	29	2	24	115
Deacons (in full connection and provisional) serving Beyond the Local Church (¶331.1a, b) (78a,b)	8	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	1	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx
Appointments to Extension Ministries (¶316.1; 344.1a, c) (77a)	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	20	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	1		2	1
Appointments to Extension Ministries (¶316.1; 344.1b) (77b)	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	14	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	2			
Appointments to Extension Ministries (¶316.1; 344.1d) (77c)	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	17	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	1		2	1
Appointments to Attend School (¶331.3)(79)		1				xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
Appointed to Other Annual Conferences (49)		4				xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Leave of Absence (50a1, a2)		3	1			xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Family Leave(50a3, a4)		1				xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Sabbatical Leave (51)						xxxxx	xxxxx
On Medical Leave (52)		6					
On Transitional Leave (50a5)		1				xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
Retired (53, 54, 55)	15	384		4	10	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
Total Number, Clergy Members	32	680	5	37	12	28	117
Grand Total, All Conference Clergy Members	911						

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## PART III CERTIFICATION IN SPECIALIZED AND CERTIFIED LAY MINISTRY (¶635.2u, v, *The Book of Discipline*)

**Note: Indicate credential of persons in Part III: FD, FE, PD, PE, AM, FL, PL, and LM.**

58. Who are the candidates in process for certification in specialized ministry? (note clergy/lay status, and specialized ministry area):

Jacqueline Burgess (FE—Camp/Retreat)  
Chester G. Caufield (LM—Camp/Retreat)  
Marilyn Hughes (LM—Spiritual Formation)  
Ninabeth Metcalf (FE—Spiritual Formation)  
Jan Mercacante (LM—Music)

Constance Palmer (LM—Spiritual Formation)  
Shelley Potter-Abrahamsen (RE—Spiritual Form.)  
Frances Preston (FE—Spiritual Formation)  
Yuko Unehara (LM—Spiritual Formation)

59. Who is certified in specialized ministry? (List the areas of specialized ministry. Indicate by an asterisk those certified this year.)

### Certified Ministers of Christian Education

Steven Bechtold (FE)                      Christina Zito (RD)

### Certified Directors of Christian Education

Marilyn I. Balzer (FD)                      Carol Freeman Hann (RD)

### Certified Associates in Education

Linda J. Tocher                              Ruth Townsend (LM)

### Certified Ministers of Music

Anthony Godefski (FE)                      Donna J. Nilson (LM)

### Certified Associates of Music

Karen Popjes (RL)

### Certified Church Business Administrator

Diane W. Klemann (RD)

### Certified in Spiritual Formation

Stafford J. Miller (FE)

### Certified in Evangelism

Helen McCahill

60. Who are transferred in as a certified person in specialized ministry

61. Who are transferred out as a certified person in specialized ministry?

62. Who have been removed as a certified person in specialized ministry?

## PART IV CERTIFIED LAY MINISTRY

63. Who are certified as lay ministers (¶ 271, and 666.10)? (List alphabetically giving full name—first, middle, last—in that order, by district)

**Cape Atlantic**  
**Capital**                      Cindy Gordon  
**Delaware Bay**  
**Gateway North**

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**Gateway South** Jay Wilford Brown, William Robert Chew, Ellen Sparks Cusack, Janine Osman Flint  
**Northern Shore**  
**Palisades**  
**Raritan Valley** Dale Caldwell, Helen Frances Hunter  
**Skyands** John Hartman, Fred Laux, John Scharf, Diane May Sommers

### PART IV DIACONAL MINISTERS

(Paragraph numbers in questions 67-72 refer to *The 1992 Book of Discipline*)

64. Who constitute the Committee on Investigation of a Diaconal Minister (§2703.3)? (v)

Diaconal Ministers or Professing Members

Winifred Asa-Awuku  
Cynthia Kent  
May Cummings  
Jose Suarez

Clergy in Full Connection

Edmund Martin  
David Ravinder

Alternates: Diaconal Ministers or Professing Members

Juanita Rodriguez  
Heike Graef  
Elizabeth Burrus  
John Hartman

Alternates: Clergy in Full Connection

Carletta Aston  
Edna Dismus  
Myungsun Han  
Doug Baitinger

65. Who are transferred in as diaconal ministers (§312)?

66. Who are transferred out as diaconal ministers (§312)?

67. Who have had their conference relationship as diaconal ministers terminated by Annual Conference action (§313.3)? (**Under §313.3a, no vote; under §313.3b, v 2/3**)

68. What diaconal ministers have died during the year?

a) Effective:

b) Retired:

69. What diaconal ministers have been granted leaves of absence under §313.1a, c, d) (disability, study/sabbatical, or personal leave): (v) (Give name, date, type of leave)

70. What diaconal ministers have been granted an extended leave (§313.1e):

Molly B. Foulks

71. Who have returned to active status from extended leave (§313.1e)? (v)

72. Who have taken the retired relationship to the Annual Conference as diaconal ministers (§313.2): (Under §313.2b, v 2/3)

a) This year?

b) Previously?

Peggy L. Barton  
Natalie Bergen  
Marguerite Davis

Betsy K. Ewing  
Marian Styles-McClintock

Charles R. Murray  
Donna Nilson

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## PART V APPOINTMENTS AND CONCLUDING BUSINESS

73. Who are approved for less than full-time service?

a) What associate members, provisional, or full elders are approved for appointment to less than full-time service, what is the total number of years for which such approval has been granted to each, and for what fraction of full-time service (in one-quarter increments) is approval granted (for purposes of equitable compensation claim and pension credit) ¶¶338.2, 342.2, 1506)? (v **2/3, after 8 years v 3/4**):

H. Grace Chung (FE) (1/4 time)	8 <sup>th</sup> year
Kaleigh Corbett (PE) (1/2 time)	2 <sup>nd</sup> year
Amarilys Gonzalez (PE) (3/4 time)	1 <sup>st</sup> year
JinWook Jeong (FE) (1/2 time)	7 <sup>th</sup> year
*Marvin Krieger (FE) (1/2 time)	19 <sup>th</sup> year
*Todd Lattig (PE) (1/2 time)	3 <sup>rd</sup> year
Marion Sanders (FE) (1/2 time)	6 <sup>th</sup> year
Jennifer Smith Walz (FE) (1/2 time)	1 <sup>st</sup> year
*Catherine Williams (PE) (1/2 time)	2 <sup>nd</sup> year

\* For Pension Purposes Only

\*\* Requires 3/4 vote

b) What deacons in full connection and provisional deacons are approved for appointment to less than full-time service (¶331.7)?

Brenda Wheeler Ehlers (FD) (3/4 time)	6 <sup>th</sup> year
Susan Iliff (PD) (1/2 time)	5 <sup>th</sup> year
*June Tamburro (PD) (1/4 time)	1 <sup>st</sup> year
Sharon Yarger (FD) (1/4 time)	8 <sup>th</sup> year

\* For Pension Purposes Only

81. What other personal notations should be made? (Include such matters as changes in pension credit (¶1506.6), corrections or additions to matters reported in the "Business of the Annual Conference" form in previous years, and legal name changes of clergy members and diaconal ministers.)

Corrections to Previous Journals

Year:	Question #	Correction:
2015	21a	Remove: Gateway North: Nathan Addo-Nartey (2015)
2015	21b	Add: Gateway North: Nathan Addo-Nartey (2015) ¾ time
2015	63	Add: Gateway North: Juan Flores-Ponce
2015	19a	Add: Gateway North: Geralda Hill (2016)
2015	21b	Add: Gateway North: Geralda Hill (2016) ¼ time
2015	52	Add: LaGretta Bjorn (7-1/15 – 4/8/16)

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**Please identify any spelling/editorial corrections and forward them to the Chairperson of the Board of Ordained Ministry at the conclusion of the Clergy Session.**

**Question #**

**Correction:**