

GREAT PLAINS CONFERENCE

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THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Great Plains Annual Conference
 Held in Wichita, KS
 From (date) June 13 through June 16
 Bishop Ruben Saenz, Jr. Presiding
 Date When Organized January 1, 2014 Number of This Session..... 5

PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

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

Secretary Nan Kaye-Skinner

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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)?

Name	Position	Amount Bonded
All Employees, Directors and Officers	Business of the Conference	\$500,000

Have the books of said officers or persons been audited (§617, 2511) Yes (See report, page ____ of Journal.)

4. What agencies have been appointed or elected?

- a) Who have been elected chairpersons for the mandated structures listed?

Structure	Chairperson	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Email
Council on Finance and Administration (§611)	Zach Anderson	1116 Sherman St Goodland, KS 67735	785-899-3631	zanderson@greatplainsumc.org
Board of Ordained Ministry (§635)	Amy Lippoldt	18660 158 th St., Basehor, KS 66012	913-724-2077	alippoldt@greatplainsumc.org
Board of Pensions (§639)	Mike Shockley	Wichita, KS	913-897-0120	mshockley@cox.net
Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference (§2512)	Loyd Hamrick	10323 W. Alamo St Wichita, KS 67212	316-722-3817	Lhamrick46@cox.net
Committee on Episcopacy (§637)	Maria Campbell	7433 S.W. 39 th St., Topeka, KS 66614-4700	785-478-3697	mcampbell@greatplainsumc.org
Administrative Review Committee (§636)	Michael Keating; Charlotte Abram; Brian Kottas; Alice Purvis; Nancy Lambert	Michael Keating: PO Box 448, Cimarron, KS 67835	620-855-3363	mkeating@greatplainsumc.org

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

General Agency	Conference Agency	Chairperson	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Email
General Board of Church and Society	Mercy & Justice Team	Sarah Marsh	612 Poyntz Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502-6041	785-379-1586	sarah.marsh@greatplainsumc.org
General Board of Discipleship	Vital Congregations Team	Nathan Stanton	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4226	nstanton@greatplainsumc.org
General Board of Global Ministries	Mercy & Justice Team	Carol Garwood	1212 Dakota Ave., Dakota City, NE 68731	712-301-6520	ibcisc@aol.com

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Higher Education and Campus Ministry	GP UM Campus Ministries	April Wegehaupt	321 S Larson Ave Chanute, KS 66720	620-431-0738	awegehaupt@greatplainsumc.org
General Commission on Archives and History	Archives & History Team	Lona Dearmont	4530 A St., Lincoln, NE 68510-4818	402-489-9618	lonadearmont@gmail.com
General Commission on Christian Unity and Inter-religious Concerns	Mercy & Justice Team	Sarah Marsh	612 Poyntz Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502-6041	785-379-1586	sarah.marsh@greatplainsumc.org
General Commission on Religion and Race	Mercy & Justice Team	Sarah Marsh	612 Poyntz Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502-6041	785-379-1586	sarah.marsh@greatplainsumc.org
General Commission on the Status and Role of Women	Mercy & Justice Team	Sarah Marsh	612 Poyntz Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502-6041	785-379-1586	sarah.marsh@greatplainsumc.org
United Methodist Communications	Communications	Todd Seifert	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4224	tseifert@greatplainsumc.org

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

General Agency	Name of Agency	Chairperson	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Email
Criminal Justice and Mercy Ministries (§657)?	Mercy & Justice Team	Sarah Marsh	612 Poyntz Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502-6041	785-379-1586	sarah.marsh@greatplainsumc.org
Disability Concerns (§653)?	Mercy & Justice Team	Sarah Marsh	612 Poyntz Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502-6041	785-379-1586	sarah.marsh@greatplainsumc.org
Equitable Compensation (§625)?	Personnel Team	Craig Hauschild	4407 E. Douglas Ave., Wichita, KS 67218	316-682-6518	chauschild@greatplainsumc.org
Laity (§631)?	Vital Congregations Team	Nathan Stanton	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4226	nstanton@greatplainsumc.org
Native American Ministry (§654)?	Mercy & Justice Team	DeLynn Hay	P.O. Box 296 Waverly, NE 68462	402-430-2495	dh61347@windstream.net
Small Membership Church (§645)?	Vital Congregations Team	Nathan Stanton	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4226	nstanton@greatplainsumc.org

Indicate the president or equivalent for the following organizations.

Organization	Name of Agency	Chairperson	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Email
Conference United Methodist Women (§647)	United Methodist Women	Karen Dunlap	1436 Hamilton Dr, Derby, KS 67037	316-295-2778	Kmdunlap150@att.net
Conference United Methodist Men (§648)	United Methodist Men	Charles File	1863 320 Road Beloit, KS 67420	785-738-7636	Cfile7636@gmail.com
Conference Council on Youth Ministry (§649)	Conference Council on Youth Ministry	Nathan Stanton	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4226	nstanton@greatplainsumc.org
Conference Council on Young Adult Ministry (§650)?	Campus Ministry	Nicole Conard	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4221	nconard@greatplainsumc.org

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- e) Have persons been elected for the following district boards and committees? Answer yes or no.
- (1) District Boards of Church Location & Building (§12518.2) Yes
 - (2) Committees on District Superintendency (§1669) Yes
 - (3) District Committees on Ordained Ministry (§1666) Yes

- f) What other councils, boards, commissions, or committees have been appointed or elected in the annual conference?

Structure	Chairperson	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Email
Connecting Council	Bishop Ruben Saenz, Jr.	1207 SW Executive Dr. Topeka, KS 66615	785-414-4299	bishop@greatplainsumc.org
Transition Into Ministry Team (TIM)	Dennis Livingston	100 E. First Ave., Hutchinson, KS 67501	620-669-0011	hutchds@greatplainsumc.org
GP New Church Development	Lorna Geist	4450 Auburn St Bel Aire, KS 67220	316-744-1490	lornag@redguard.com
GP United Methodist Camps	Stuart Mack	15163 SW Goldenrod Lane, Rose Hill, KS 67133	316-655-6765	Stuart.mack@me.com
Disaster Response Team	Russell Anderson	4214 W Capital Ave, Grand Island NE 68803	620-714-1499	russell.anderson@greatplainsumc.org
Annual Conference Session Planning Team	Ross Baker	245 N 4 th St Lawrence, KS 66044	785-843-1756	rbaker@greatplainsumc.org
Nominations Committee	Tessa Zehring	P.O. Box 188 Doniphan, NE 68832	402-845-2761	tzehring@greatplainsumc.org

5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept and reported their respective data in accordance to the prescribed formats? (§1606.8)?
6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report, page 181 of Journal Volume B.)
7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report, page 394 of Journal Volume A.)
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? N/A
9. What is the schedule of minimum base compensation for clergy for the ensuing year (§1342, 625.3)?
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| Full-Time Local Pastor | \$ 36,879 |
| Associate Member | \$ 39,266 |
| Provisional Member | \$ 41,653 |
| Full Member | \$ 44,040 |
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 (§1614.1a)? District office expense \$308,445 District personnel \$1,916,379
11. 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 (§1614.1d, 1507)? \$0
- b) What are the apportionments to this conference for the ensuing year?
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| (1) For the World Service Fund? | \$2,400,000 |
| (2) For the Ministerial Education Fund? | \$810,609 |
| (3) For the Black College Fund? | \$323,344 |
| (4) For the Africa University Fund? | \$72,363 |
| (5) For the Episcopal Fund? | \$710,738 |
| (6) For the General Administration Fund? | \$284,980 |
| (7) For the Interdenominational Cooperation Fund? | \$63,395 |
12. What are the findings of the annual audit of the conference treasuries? (See report, page 147 of Journal Volume B.)
13. Conference and district lay leaders (§1603.9, 660):
- a) Conference lay leader: Name: Lisa Maupin
Mailing Address: 8311 Karl Ridge Rd, Apt 206, Lincoln, NE 68506
 - b) Associate conference lay leaders: Keith Olsen
 - c) District and associate district lay leaders:
Blue River: David Jefferson

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Dodge City: Don Schwab
 Elkhorn Valley: Virginia Piper
 Five Rivers: Helen Burkett
 Flint Hills: Sandy Kramer
 Gateway: George Probasco
 Great West: Darlene Hall
 Hays: Roger Kingsley
 Hutchinson: Evy Hoyt
 Kansas City: Greg Laaser
 Missouri River: Steve Bell
 Parsons: Gary Kilgore
 Prairie Rivers: Kathy Uldrich
 Salina: Susan Higbee
 Topeka: Randall Hodgkinson
 Wichita East: Ron Holt
 Wichita West: Larry Harris

14. List local churches which have been:

a) Organized or continued as New Church Starts (§259,1-4, continue to list congregations here until listed in questions 14.c, d, e or f)

GCFA Number	Church Name	District	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Date Founded
655413	Lincoln: Neighbors	Blue River	600 Blue Sage Blvd., Lincoln, NE 68521- 6637	402-413-0015	01/01/2017
782788	LifeBridge	Kansas City	6245 Monticello Rd, Shawnee, KS 66226	913-825-9193	07/01/2008
824133	Omaha: Urban Abbey	Missouri River	1026 Jackson St., Omaha, NE 68102	402-898-7600	2014

b) Organized or continued as Mission Congregations (§259,1-4, continue to list congregations here until listed in questions 14.c, d, e or f)

GCFA Number	Church Name	District	Mailing Address	Phone Number	Date Founded
782037	Garden City Nueva Evangelica	Dodge City	614 N 13th St., Garden City, KS 67846-5108	620-276-3800	01/01/2005
830794	Gering: Centro de Alabanza y Adoracion	Great West	1825 Country Club Rd, Gering, NE 69341		
824508	Omaha: Living Hope Mission Congregation	Missouri River	2919 State St, Omaha, NE 68112	402-453-7440	2010
001276	Pittsburg: Love Korean	Parsons	415 N Pine, Pittsburg, KS 66762	620-231-2670	07/01/2013
781192	Wichita: El Mesias	Wichita West	330 N Broadway St, Wichita, KS 67202- 2308	316-267-6244	01/01/2005

c) Organized or continued Satellite congregations (§247.22, continue to list here until listed in questions 14.a, d, e or f)

GCFA Number	Church Name	Parent Church	District	Mailing Address	Date Launched
817126	West Campus	Church of the Resurrection	Kansas City	13720 Roe Blvd., Leawood, KS	
817126	Downtown	Church of the Resurrection	Kansas City		
817126	Blue Springs	Church of the Resurrection	Kansas City		

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827865	ConnectioN Point	Christ UMC	Blue River	1333 N 33 rd St, Lincoln, NE	8/27/2016
787611	Aldersgate Renew	Wichita: Aldersgate	Wichita West	7901 W 21 st St N, Wichita, KS	10/2016
	St. Mark SE Campus	Wichita: St. Mark	Wichita West	856 S. Green St, Wichita, KS	6/2/2014

d) Organized as Chartered (§259.5-10) **None**

e) Merged (§§2546, 2547)

(1) United Methodist with United Methodist **None**

(2) Other mergers (indicate denomination) **None**

f) Discontinued or abandoned (§§229, 341.2, 2549) (State which for each church listed.)

(1) New Church Start (§259.2,3)

GCFA Number	Church Name	District	Location	Date Closed
004634	Kansas City: Esperanza de Vida	Kansas City	Kansas City, KS	
832521	Papillion St. Paul (Hispanic)	Missouri River	Papillion, NE	

(2) Mission Congregation (§259.1a) **None**

(3) Satellite Congregation **None**

(4) Chartered Local Church (§259.5)

GCFA Number	Church Name	District	Location	Date Closed
782631	Gardner: First Light	Kansas City	Gardner, KS	5/20/2018
780528	Glade	Hays	Hays, KS	6/30/2018
783260	Gove	Hays	Gove, KS	6/30/2018
791783	Cedar Vale	Parsons	Sedan, KS	7/30/2018

g) Relocated and to what address **None**

h) Changed name of church? (Example: "First" to "Trinity") **None**

i) Transferred this year into this conference from other United Methodist conference(s) and with what membership (§§41, 260)? **None**

j) What cooperative parishes in structured forms have been established? (§206) **None**

k) What other changes have taken place in the list of churches? **None**

15. Are there Ecumenical Shared Ministries in the conference? (§207, 208)

a) Federated church

GCFA Number	Name	District	Other Denomination(s)
782766	Wilmore Federated Church	Dodge City	Baptist
832680	Valley United Faith Community	Missouri River	Baptist/Congregational
792060	Erie Federated Church	Parsons	Presbyterian

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785760	United Church of Bennington	Salina	Presbyterian
788568	Mayfield Federated	Wichita West	Presbyterian

b) Union Church

GCFA Number	Name	District	Other Denomination(s)
790642	United Church of Eskridge	Flint Hills	Presbyterian
824406	Fullerton Community Church	Prairie River	Presbyterian (PCUSA)
793463	Effingham Union Church	Topeka	Presbyterian
793485	Elwood United Community Church	Topeka	American Baptist
793521	United Methodist/Presbyterian Church of Highland	Topeka	Presbyterian

c) Merged Church **None**

d) Yoked Parish

GCFA Number	Name	District	Other Denomination(s)
782196	Holcomb Community Church	Dodge City	UPC-UMC
825148	Faith Fellowship Parish	Elkhorn Valley	UMC-UCC
825398	HOPE Parish	Elkhorn Valley	UMC-UPC
830327	Pender-Walthill-Rosalie	Elkhorn Valley	UMC-UPC
829911	Creighton UMC, UCC, Center UCC	Elkhorn Valley	UMC-UCC
831925	Craig Parish	Elkhorn Valley	UMC-UPC
831481	Prairie West Church ELCA UMC	Great West	UMC-ELCA
780780	Kensington United	Hays	Disciples of Christ-UMC
998153	Lenora United	Hays	UCC-UMC
786800	Wilson Yoked Parish	Hutchinson	UMC-Presbyterian
786662	Solomon Yoked Parish	Salina	UMC-Presbyterian

16. What changes have been made in district and charge lines (please list the GCFA Number beside church name)?

Blue River District, effective 7/1/2018

- DeWitt-Swanton and Daykin-Plymouth Peace become
 - DeWitt-Plymouth Peace-Daykin-Swanton
- Lincoln: New Hope and Prairie Home-Alvo and Elmwood St. Paul become
 - Lincoln: New Hope-Prairie Home
 - Elmwood St. Paul-Alvo

Dodge City District, effective 7/1/2018

- Copeland-Montezuma-Ensign becomes
 - Copeland
 - Montezuma
 - Ensign

Elkhorn Valley District, effective 7/1/2018

- Pender United and Walthill and Rosalie become
 - Pender United
 - Walthill-Rosalie

Five Rivers District, effective 7/1/2018

- Waverly-Prairie View and Melvern-Quenemo and Pomona-Vassar become
 - Waverly-Melvorn-Prairie View

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- Vassar-Pomona-Quenemo
- Ives Chapel and Edgerton become
 - Ives Chapel-Edgerton
- Centenary-Linwood and Eudora become
 - Linwood
 - Centenary-Eudora

Flint Hills District, effective 7/1/2018

- Olpe and Madison-Ebenezer become
 - Madison-Ebenezer-Olpe
- Eureka and Hamilton-Neal-Virgil become
 - Eureka-Hamilton
 - Neal-Virgil

Gateway District, effective 9/25/2017

- Minden-Upland become
 - Minden
 - Upland (closed 9/25/2017)

Great West District, effective 7/01/2018

- Gering First and Melbeta-Centro de Alabanza y Adoracion become
 - Gering First-Melbeta-Centro de Alabanza y Adoracion

Hays District, effective 6/30/2018

- Phillipsburg-Glade become
 - Phillipsburg
 - Glade (closing 6/30/2018)
- Oakley and Winona and Grainfield-Gove become
 - Oakley-Winona
 - Grainfield
 - Gove (closing 6/30/2018)

Hutchinson District, effective 2/1/2018

- Newton First-East Side-Walton become
 - Newton First-Walton
 - East Side

Hutchinson District, effective 7/01/2018

- Ellsworth: First and Kanopolis become
 - Ellsworth:First-Kanopolis
- Mitchel Chapel-Fairview and Hutchinson 10th Ave and Little River become
 - Mitchel Chapel-Little River
 - Hutchinson 10th Ave-Fairview

Parsons District, effective 9/10/2017

- Sedan-Cedar Vale-Wauneta-Elgin-Peru become
 - Sedan-Wauneta-Elgin-Peru
 - Cedar Vale (closed 9/10/2017)

Parsons District, effective 7/01/2018

- Sedan-Wauneta-Elgin-Peru become
 - Sedan-Wauneta-Elgin
 - Peru
- Baxter Springs and Galena and Opolis become
 - Baxter Springs-Galena-Opolis
- Frontenac and Arma-Pittsburg Grace become
 - Frontenac-Arma
 - Pittsburg Grace
- Coffeyville First and Edna-Bartlett-Chetopa become
 - Coffeyville First-Edna
 - Bartlett-Chetopa

Prairie Rivers District, effective 7/1/2018

- Phillips-Giltner becomes
 - Phillips
 - Giltner
- Aurora-Bradshaw and Phillips become
 - Aurora-Bradshaw-Phillips
- St. Edwards-Belgrade-Cedar Rapids and Fullerton-Pierce Chapel-Clarks become
 - St. Ed-Belgrade-Cedar Rapids-Fullerton
 - Pierce Chapel-Clarks

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- St. Ed-Belgrade-Cedar Rapids-Fullerton become
 - Fullerton Community
 - St. Ed-Belgrade-Cedar Rapids

Salina District, effective 7/01/2018

- United Church of Bennington and Solomon Yoked Parish become
 - Bennington-Solomon
- Republic-Webber become
 - Republic
 - Webber
- Mankato-Burr Oak-Esbon-Ionia become
 - Mankato-Burr Oak-Esbon
 - Ionia
- Jewel Trinity and Ionia become
 - Jewel Trinity-Ionia
- Alida-Enterprise becomes
 - Alida
 - Enterprise

Topeka District, effective 7/01/2018

- Bellevue-Highland-Denton and Zion-Robinson become
 - Highland-Denton
 - Zion-Robinson-Bellevue

PART II PERTAINING TO ORDAINED AND LICENSED CLERGY

(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)? **Yes.**

18. Who constitute:

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

Charlotte Abram Michael Keating, Chairperson Alice Purvis	Brian Kottas (alt.) Nancy Lambert (staff liaison)
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b) The Conference Relations Committee of the Board of Ordained Ministry (§635.1d)?

Barbara Jo Burns Dennis Carter Brenda Davids Becky Davison	Gary Main David Smith, Chairperson Cindi Stewart
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c) The Committee on Investigation (§2703)

Michael Gardner, Chairperson Lloyd Hamrick Rick Just Bonnie McCord Javier Rios Penny Schwab Tom Watson	Alternates: Bridget Gately Thaine Hoffman Gary Main Kennedy Mukwindidza Linda Redfern Lori Smith
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19. Who are the certified candidates (§§ 310, 313, 314) (NOTE: Everyone who wants to become a n LP, PE, or PD must first become a certified candidate.)

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

Name	District	Date Certified
Jo Ellen Axthelm	Blue River	1/4/2018
Caitlin Bentzinger	Blue River	11/21/2017
Deborah Dahlke	Blue River	1/4/2018
Helen Paus	Blue River	1/9/2018
Hyun Ju Gil	Five Rivers	10/19/15 NGA; 9/7/17 GP
Linda Hopwood (deacon track)	Five Rivers	1/31/2015

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Maria Penrod	Five Rivers	6/6/2018
Renelle Aytes	Flint Hills	12/13/2017
Spenser Johnson	Flint Hills	11/8/2017
Janelle Knowles	Flint Hills	5/10/2018
Phillip Clay	Gateway	4/21/2016
Soonil Park	Gateway	12/5/2017
Esther Achi	Great West	2/26/2018
Micah Dunn	Great West	2/26/2018
Elias Mukindia	Great West	5/21/2018
Joseph Schumacher	Great West	6/8/2018
Venedith Vargas	Great West	2/26/2018
Matt Aycock (deacon track)	Hutchinson	2/25/2016
Brian Blackburn	Hutchinson	6/26/2018; transfer from Mountain Sky Conference
Brenda Hogan	Hutchinson	4/26/2018
Jeanne Koontz (deacon track)	Hutchinson	4/26/2018
Stephanie Norton	Hutchinson	4/26/2018
Lacey Wheeler	Hutchinson	6/26/2018
Yolanda Byers	Kansas City	12/18/2017
Claire Clough (deacon track)	Kansas City	4/26/2018
Madelyn Johnson	Kansas City	4/26/2018
Nicholas Kaufmann	Kansas City	4/26/2018
Allison (Bond) Marcus (deacon track)	Kansas City	11/12/2015
John Schnake	Kansas City	2/23/2018
Jeffrey Smith (deacon track)	Kansas City	3/14/2013
Karissa Heckens	Missouri River	4/14/2018
Miriam Peralta de Garcia	Missouri River	12/13/2014
Carter Schram	Missouri River	4/14/2018
Juan Carlos Veloso	Missouri River	4/14/2018
Seulki Choi	Parsons	4/20/2018
Lindsey Clarke	Parsons	12/21/2017
Jee Sook Gil	Parsons	4/4/2018
Joel Warren	Prairie Rivers	11/9/2017
Lillian Flegle	Salina	11/19/2017
Scott Jagodzinski	Salina	11/19/2017
Caroline Morrison	Topeka	1/28/2016
Stephanie Seth	Topeka	5/23/2018
Michael Turner	Topeka	2/2/2018
Ginny Atkinson-Hall	Wichita East	12/18/2017
David Benavides	Wichita East	12/18/2017
Joseph "Joe" Mohr	Wichita East	2015 OK; 4/20/2017 GP
Victor Peterson	Wichita East	11/30/2016
Daniel Reffner	Wichita East	11/30/2016
Greg Reffner	Wichita East	11/30/2016
Debbie Senters	Wichita East	12/18/2017
William "Ray" Stone	Wichita East	12/18/2017
Steve Weathers	Wichita East	5/03/2018
Matthew Wilke	Wichita East	4/12/2018
David Brant	Wichita West	11/8/2014
Jose "Joey" Flores	Wichita West	3/22/18 KY; 5/9/18 GP
Rebekah "Bequi" Flores	Wichita West	3/22/18 KY; 5/9/18 GP
Shayla Jordan	Wichita West	5/21/2018
Patricia Tristan	Wichita West	11/8/2014

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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.)

Name	Receiving Conference	Date Originally Certified	Date Accepted by District in Other Conference
Will Deeds	Kentucky	6/1/2017	Pending confirmation
Elizabeth Evans	Northern Illinois	12/19/2014	4/25/2018
Markey Gray	Detroit	5/2/2017	Pending confirmation
Olivia Stella	North Carolina	4/24/2014	1/11/2018

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

Name	District	Date Certified	Date Discontinued
Bethanie Popejoy	Dodge City	4/24/2017	10/18/2017
Alice Koech	Hays	2012	1/31/2018
Suzanne Werthmann	Topeka	3/14/2013	1/16/2018

(Note: Once a candidate is appointed as FL or PL, They are no longer listed as a certified candidate (except the first year they are appointed when they would need to be listed in 19 and in 20 or 21). Students appointed as Local Pastors (par.318.3) are the only people who are allowed to be listed as a candidate in one conference while being listed as an LP in a different conference. Par.318.3 stipulates that students appointed as local pastors can serve in either a full or part-time capacity.)

20. Who have completed the studies for the license as a local pastor, are approved, but are not now appointed? (¶315 —Indicate for each person the year the license was approved.): (3/4v)

Name	District	Year Licensed Approved
Bailey Amtower	Kansas City	2018; 2018 Moutain Sky Licensing School
Ginny Atkison-Hall	Wichita East	2018 pending Licensing School
Caitlin Bentzinger	Blue River	2018 pending Licensing School
David Brant	Wichita West	2016 (app effective 12/18/2017)
David Daire	Salina	2015; last appt 2017
Tim Jepsen	Wichita West	2010; last appt 2017
Nancy Brown Mathis	Flint Hills	2014; last appt 2017
Cesar Garcia Rodriguez	Missouri River	2012; last appt 2017
Jeff Mildren	Hutchinson	2011 (OK); 2016 (GP); last appt 2017
Debbie Senters	Wichita East	2018; 2018 GP Licensing School
Venedith Vargas	Gateway	2018; 2017 GP Licensing school
Lacey Wheeler	Hutchinson	2018; 2018 Mountain Sky Licensing School
Tim Woods	Wichita West	2018 pending Licensing School

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)? PLEASE NOTE: Persons on this list must receive an episcopal appointment. (3/4 v)

a) Full-time local pastors? (¶318.1)

Name	First Year License Awarded	Years Completed with Course of Study
Blue River		
Lila Bottolfsen*	1999	COS 5.00 (2004)
Michelle Chesnut	2015	COS 1.50
Ruth Karlsson*	2007	COS 5.00 (2013)
Beth Menhusen	2017	Seminary (Iliff)
Victor Peterson	2018	Seminary (Asbury)
Trever Rook	2012	COS 2.25
Jay Stewart*	2016	M.Div. (SPST)
Dick Webster	2014	COS 2.00
Dodge City		
Keith Anglemeyer	2008	COS 3.50 (no progress in 2017)
Jeniffer Brand	2014	COS 1.25
Shella Choi*	2016	M.Div. 2016 (SPST)
Juan Espinoza*	2003	COS 5.00 (2009)
Robert "Mark" Fillmore*	2012	COS 5.00 completing CPE (probable ACOS)
Juan Garcia*	2009	COS 5.00 (2013)
Todd Guinn*	2010	M.Div. 2015 (Phillips)
Travis King	2013	COS 2.50
Doug Olson	2016	COS 2.00

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Eddie Pennington	2014	COS 2.00
Cyd Stein	2011	COS 4.00 (no progress in 2017)
Wayne Stephens*	Reinstated 2014	COS 5.00 (2003)
Elkhorn Valley		
Judy Carlson	2011	COS 3.75
Bruce Phillips*	1994	COS 5.00 (1999)
Joel Warren	2018	COS 0.00
Five Rivers		
Glen Duderstadt*	2000	COS 5.00 (2015)
Joshua Johnson*	2012	COS 5.00 (equiv) D.Min in process, Asbury
Dean Lashley	2014	Seminary (SPST)
Flint Hills		
Brenda Harter*	2014	M.Div. (Iliff 2016)
Tania Montero*	2002 (Wisconsin); 2010 (KSW)	COS 5.00 (2008)
Chelsea Shrack*	2018	M.Div. (Garrett 2017)
Gateway		
Melody Adams	2011	COS 3.00
Jim Bendorf*	2008	COS 5.00 (2013)
Bonnie Brock*	2011	COS 5.00 (2017)
Dennis Davenport	2011	COS 4.00
Carla Gunn*	2015 (from PE status)	M.Div. (SPST 2010)
Taejong "David" Kim*	2016	M.Div. (Drew 2015)
Jim Koontz	2014	COS 1.25
Soonil Park	2017	M.Div. (Drew 2016)
Arun Peters*	2016	M.Div. (Union Presby 2015)
Becky Saddler*	2008 (KSW); 2013 (NE)	COS 5.00 (2016)
Laura Stubblefield*	2012	COS 5.00 (2017)
Bill Williams	2012	COS 4.00
Shanon Williams	2011	COS 4.00
Jeff Wulf*	2003	COS 5.00 (2009)
Great West		
David Abbot	2016	COS 0.75
Esther Achi	2018	COS 2.75 (equiv)
Mark Baldwin*	2006	COS 5.00 (2016)
Janie Freeman*	2003	COS 5.00 (2010)
Rodney Heilbrun*	2004	COS 5.00 (2010)
Tim McCrary*	1996	COS 5.00 (2001)
Elias Mukindia	2018	COS 0.00
Toni Nolze	2014	COS 2.50
Alisa Parde	2015	COS 0.75
Joseph Schumacher	2018	COS 0.00
Marcia Stauss	Reinstated 2015	M.Div. (SPST 2010)
Paul Smith*	2014 (prev. Dakotas)	COS 5.00
Dirk Weiss	2015	COS 4.25/ACOS in process
Hays		
Anna Borders	2018	Seminary (Iliff)
Larry Brock*	1998	COS 5.00 (2010)
Laura Cherry	2010	Seminary (SPST)
Bob Clemence*	2006	COS 5.00 (2015)
Galen Crippen	2014	COS 1.00

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Dorothy Ellsworth	2015	COS 2.50
William Stacy Ellsworth	2013	COS 2.50
Kevin Dixon	2015	COS 1.50
Deb Harvey*	2004	COS 5.00 (2011)
Tricia North	2015	COS 1.75
Gordon Pettibone	2016	COS 1.25
Les Rye*	2014	M.Div. (Asbury 2011)
Jacob Schadel	2016	COS 1.00
Blake Stanwood*	2016	M.Div. (SPST 2017)
Ted Stapleton	2014	COS 2.00
Steven "Nick" Talbott	2016	COS 1.25
Everett "Bud" Tuxhorn*	2002	COS 5.00 (2007)
Hutchinson		
Kim (Benson) Andrews*	2009 KSE; 2016 GP	M.Div. (United 2017)
Brian Blackburn	2013 RMC; 2018 GP	COS 1.5
Rob Bolton	2011	COS 3.25
Darren Frazier	Reinstated 2016	COS 2.00
Nathan "Nate" Gift	2016	COS 4.75 (equiv)
Jeff Graber	2017	COS 0.00
Jeff Lee*	2013	COS 5.00 (2013 equiv)
Michael Miller	2018	COS 0.00
Thomas Reazin	2016	COS 0.25
Kansas City		
Matt Bisel*	2018	M.Div. (SPST eff 3/1/2018)
Shane Britt	2011	Seminary (Asbury)
Yolanda Byers	2018	COS 0.00
Bruce Draper*	2007	COS 5.00 (M.Div. Midwest Baptist)
Jason Gant	2013	COS 1.75
Kelly Hansen	2016	App by agreement with MO Conf; M.Div. (SPST 2016)
Allison Haynes	2017	COS 0.00
Tino Herrera	2015 OK; 2017 GP	M.Div. (SPST 2017)
Tom Langhofer	2017	COS 0.00
Sylvia Romero*	2004	COS 5.00 (2014)
Missouri River		
Mandy Barkhaus	2015	COS 2.00
Joan Frenzel*	2004	M.Div. (SPST 2008)
Dorothy Smith	2012	COS 3.00
Sandy Webster*	2006	COS 5.00 (2011)
Robert "Bob" Wynn	2013	COS 2.75
Jerry Yount*	2010	COS 5.00 (2016)
Parsons		
Marcee Binder	2014	Seminary (Iliff)
Mark Demas*	2003	COS 5.0 (2014)
Ryong Jae Jung*	2017	M.Div. (Boston Univ. 2013) FL eff 1/1/2018
Keunsik Lee*	2017	M.Div. (Drew 2016)
Annie Ricker	2014	COS 4.25/ACOS in process
Prairie Rivers		
Dan Albers	2009	COS 4.75
Lauri Bowman Beach	2016	COS 0.75
David B. Clark*	2018	1/3 M.Div by July 1, 2018 (Iliff)
Ralph Gaines*	2005	COS 5.00 (2010)
Rick Jones	2007	COS 1.50 (no progress since 2014)
Martin Leeper*	2000	COS 5.00 (2007)
Mary Scott*	2008	COS 5.00 (2013)

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Tony Serbousek	2017	Seminary (Iliiff)
Salina		
Gordon McClure	2013	COS 2.50 (equiv only)
Jim Rice*	2003	COS 5.00
Marc Riegel	2017	COS 0.50
Scott Tempero*	2006	COS 5.0 (2015)
Topeka		
Lorna Boden	2008	COS 3.00
Shawn O'Trimble	2012	COS 2.00
Alex Rossow	2018	M.Div. (SPST 2018)
David Shrum	2011	COS 1.75
Hector Sanchez	2004	COS 4.00
Gina Tyler	2015	Seminary (Asbury)
Wichita East		
Jim Helzer	2010	Seminary (United)
William "Dennis" Irwin*	2011	M.Div. (SPST 2018)
Ronda Kingwood	2016	COS 0.00
Wichita West		
Rebekah "Bequi" Flores	2018 KY; 2018 GP	M.Div. (Asbury 2017)
Marsha Haney	2015	COS 1.25
Katelyn Hilger*	2018	M.Div (Asbury 2018)
Jacob Maforo	2013	Seminary (SPST)
Paul Stephens*	2006	M.Div. (SPST)

b) Part-time local pastors? (§1318.2) (fraction of full-time in one-quarter increments)

Name	First Year License Awarded	Fraction of full time to be served	Years Completed with Course of Study
Blue River			
Jo Ellen Axthelm	2018	¼ time	COS 0.00
Brad Barrows	2015	½ time	COS 0.50
Laurel Crusinberry	2016	¼ time	COS 4.50 (4.25 equiv.)
John Goldrich	2017	¼ time	COS 0.00
Karen Lamb	2008	½ time	COS 3.25
Rod Lyon*	2001	½ time	COS 5.00 (2013)
Lori Miller	2013	½ time	COS 2.00
Hollis Patterson	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
Larry Tolen	Reinstated 2017	¼ time	COS 0.00
Dodge City			
Mary Courtney	2014	½ time	COS 1.75
Elkhorn Valley			
Duane Waddle	2012	½ time	COS 3.00
Five Rivers			
Jennifer Anderson	2012	¼ time	COS 2.25
William "Bill" Driver*	2004	½ time	COS 5.00 (2017)
Lenise Eddings	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
Connie Edgerton	2014	½ time	COS 1.75
Kermit "Ed" Flener	2015	½ time	COS 1.00
Julie Freeman	2015	½ time	Wichita State Univ/Seminary
Tony Ikenberry	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
William "Bill" Nelson	2005	½ time	COS 4.50

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Joni Raymond*	2009	½ time	COS 5.00 (equiv) ACOS (SPST)
Flint Hills			
Joyce Allen	2005	½ time	COS 3.25 (exempt over 72)
Duane Andres	2004	½ time	COS 2.50 (no progress)
Chris Aytes	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
Diane Euler	2016	½ time	COS 0.50
Susan Payne Evans*	2014	½ time	COS 5.00 (equiv)
Marc Frink*	2012	½ time	M.Div. (Wesley)
Leslye Haller*	2007	½ time	COS 5.00 (2017)
Kathy Harmon	2010 MO; 2017 GP	½ time	COS 3.50
Gene Huston	2013	½ time	COS 0.50
Janelle Knowles	Reinstated 2018	½ time	COS 0.00
Kevin Lawrence	2010	½ time	COS 3.25
Joohyun Moon*	2016	½ time	M.Div. (Drew 2013)
Kyle Scheideman*	2008	½ time	COS 5.00 (2017)
David Siler	Reinstated 2016 (2005-2008)	½ time	COS 4.75 (equiv)
Gateway			
Ryan Findley	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Great West			
Melody Newman	2015	½ time	COS 0.00 (72 yrs)
Hays			
Ed Woods	2012	½ time	COS 2.00
Hutchinson			
Scharleen Cross*	2002 (KSW); 2013 (NE) Reinstate 2018	½ time	COS 5.00 (2009)
Brian Mills	2014	½ time	COS 4.00 (equiv)
Rebecca Stredney	2012	½ time	COS 3.75
Kansas City			
Don Almond*	2009	½ time	COS 5.00 (M.Div. Midwest Bapt.)
Ron Bell	2014	½ time	Seminary (SPST)
Mike Marcus	2015	½ time	Seminary (SPST)
John Yost	2016	½ time	COS 0.75
Missouri River			
Nick Baker	2018	½ time	COS 0.00
Curt Copple	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Debra Copple	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Joan Frenzel*	2004	½ time	M.Div. (SPST 2008)
Robert "Bob" Heusman	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Dennis Wheeler	2012	½ time	COS 1.25
Marta Wheeler*	2006	½ time	COS 5.00 (2012)
Parsons			
Dena Allison*	2008	½ time	M.Div. (Phillips)
Bob "Bobby" Banks	2000	½ time	COS 4.75
Jill Chambers*	2009	½ time	M.Div. (Perkins)
Lindsey Clarke*	2009 AR; 2017 GP	½ time	COS 5.00
Susan Galvan	2008	½ time	COS 1.50
Jee Sook Gil	2018	½ time	Seminary (SPST)
Dorcia Johnson*	2016	½ time	M.Div. (Iliff 2017)
Hyunsook Kim	2017	½ time	Seminary (SPST)

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Prairie Rivers			
Oscar Perez	2013	½ time	COS 0.00
Salina			
Kathy Aeillo*	2002	½ time	COS 5.00
Doug Birdsong	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Tim Clevenger	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
DeMerle Eckart	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
Brian Faust	2014	½ time	Seminary (Asbury)
Sarah Gill	2016	½ time	COS 0.00
Kaye Metzler*	2002	½ time	COS 5.00
Rodney Rose	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Julie Truhlar	2017	½ time	Seminary (Asbury)
Randall Whitley	2015	½ time	COS 0.00
Topeka			
Les Bartlett*, retired	1994	½ time	COS 5.00 (2009)
Charles "Chuck" Higgins	2016	½ time	COS 0.25
Gerald "Jerry" Petering*	2001	½ time	COS 5.00 (2007)
Michael Turner	2018	½ time	COS 0.00
Wichita East			
David Benavides	2018	½ time	COS 3.75 (equiv)
Kent Brown	2014	½ time	COS 0.50
Russ McAlister*	2008	½ time	COS 5.00 (2014) RL2014
Rachelle Speer	2013	½ time	COS 2.25
Yolanda White-Oliver	2018	½ time	COS 0.00
Beth Wilke*	2008	½ time	COS 5.00 (2011)
Wichita West			
Daniel "Danny" Bye	2017	½ time	COS 0.00
Jose "Joey" Flores	2018 KY; 2018 GP	½ time	Seminary (Asbury)
Ken Keeling*	Reinstated 2016	½ time	M.Div. (Phillips 1998)
Russ McAlister*, retired	2008	½ time	COS 5.00 (2014)
Karen Miller*	2011	½ time	COS 5.00 (2008)
Mary Kathryn "Kathy" Webster	2014	½ time	COS 3.50
Elizabeth Young	2017	½ time	COS 3.00 (equiv)
John Wesley "Wes" Young	2017	½ time	Seminary (Asbury)

c) Students from other annual conferences or denominations serving as local pastors and enrolled in a school of theology listed by the University Senate (§1318.3,4)? **None.**

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 (§1318.3)

Name	Serving Conference	Enrolled Seminary
Phillip Clay	North Texas	Perkins

e) Persons serving as local pastors while seeking readmission to conference membership (§1365.4, 367, 368.3)? (If not in this conference indicate name of conference where serving.) **None.**

22. Who have been discontinued as local pastors (§1320.1)?

Name	Date discontinued
Jose Eston Cruz	6/30/2018; withdrawn
Will Deeds	6/30/2018; withdrawn for transfer
Eldon Fablinger	6/30/2018; retirement, not eligible for retired local pastor status
Theresa Forshee	Withdrawn/discontinued effective 9/3/2017 per letter from Theresa
Gary Ganger	Discontinued for cause eff. 6/30/2018; requesting retirement
Markey Gray	6/30/2018; withdrawn for transfer to Detroit Conference

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Susan Innes	Withdrawn/discontinued effective 11/16/2017 per letter from Susan
Paul Kim	Withdrawn/discontinued
David Lucas	Returning to Missouri Conference
Gabriel Morrero	Abandonment of appointment
Warren Olson	Discontinued; will continue as DSA
Eldo Lane Roberts	Retiring, not eligible for retired local pastor status; will continue as DSA

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

Name	Years Completed in Course of Study
Janelle Knowles	none
Scharleen Cross – appointed continuously but not DCOOM approved since RL status started	COS 5.00

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

Name	Clergy Status	Year Granted	Home Conference
Christopher (Chris) Abel	OE	2016	Missouri
Elmer Armijo	OE	2016	Rio Texas
Willy Yumba Banza	OE	2015	North Katanga
Cheryl Baker	OR/LFT	2016	Arkansas
Joshua Clough	OE	2017	California-Pacific
Robert Henre	OE	2016	Pacific Northwest
Debbie Hull	OD	2016	Rocky Mountain
Robert Glenn Johnson	OE	2016	Texas
Francis Kirimi Kinyua	OE	2016	Kenya
Bun Koo Lee	OP	2016	Mountain Sky
B. Edgar Millican	OR/LFT	2013	North Texas
Peter Mtuamwari	OE	2018	Kenya
Ever Vennah Mudambanuki	OE/LFT	2018	Zimbabwe
Charles Nyamakope	OE	2015	Zimbabwe
Kevin Rea	OE/LFT	2017	Western Pennsylvania
Abiba Alice Shomari	OE/LFT	2014	Southern Congo
Cayce Stapp	OE	2009	West North Carolina
David York	OE	2018	Rocky Mountain

- b) Other Methodist Denominations

Name	Clergy Status	Year Approved	Denomination
Kola Akinningbagbe	OE	2013	Methodist Church of Nigeria
Hyunung "Chu" Chang	OE	2018	Korean Methodist Church
Hokyoung "Peter" Choi	OE	2018	Korean Methodist Church of the Americas
Roger "Scott" Dickinson	OE/LFT	2015	Wesleyan Church
Grace Kathure Gichuru	OE	2012	Methodist Church of Kenya
Edi Gonzalez	OE	2016	Cuban Methodist Church
Sang Yeop Han	OE/LFT	2015	Korean Methodist Church
Duncan Ibuuri	OE	2015	Methodist Church of Kenya
Dawe "David" Kim	OE/LFT	2015	Korean Methodist Church
Daekyung Kim	OE	2015	Korean Methodist Church
Insung Kim	OE/LFT	2017	Korean Methodist Church
Young Je Kim	OE	2016	Korean Methodist Church
Shin Hyo Lee	OE/LFT	2014	Korean Methodist Church
Ilho Lim	OE/LFT	2018	Korean Methodist Church
Kim Martin	OE	2013	Free Methodist Church
Amos McCarthy	OE	2017	African Methodist Episcopal Church
Susan Murithi	OE	2017	Kenyan Methodist Church
Michael Park	OE	2017	Korean Methodist Church of the Americas
Robert Selvakumar (Nambinarayanan)	OE	2016	Malaysian Methodist Church
Glen P. Shoup	OE/LFT	2010	Nazarene Church
Ricky Thomason	OE/LFT	2016	Nazarene Church

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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.)

Name	Clergy Status	Year Approved	Denomination
Gideon Achi	OF	2016	Evangelical Gospel Church of Nigeria
Larry Adams	OF	2015	American Baptist
Kim Biery	OF	2014	Disciples of Christ
Beverly Baumgartner	OF	2017	Mennonite Church USA
Andrew Finch	OF	2016	Missionary Baptist
Amy Foster	OF	2015	Disciples of Christ
Jocelyn Station-Bray*	OF	2013	National Baptist Convention
Kara Hillhouse	OF	2010	PCUSA
Linda Lambert	OF/LFT	2017	PCUSA
Momo Larmena	OF	2016	Association of Independent Methodist Churches
Jim Morford	OF/LFT-retired	2016	American Baptist
Babatunde Oladimeji	OF	2017	Anglican
Seung Ho Park	OF	2013	Korean Baptist
Lee Passwater	OF/LFT	2018; 2008-2015	Assembly of God
Ralph Peters	OF/LFT-retired	2004-2012; 2013	Disciples of Christ/United Church of Christ
Daniel Springer	OF/LFT	2018	Evangelical Covenant
Lori Stevens	OF	2013	Disciples of Christ
Doug Tofteland	OF	2009	Mennonite Brethren
Brenda Ulrich	OF	2018	ELCA

26. Who are affiliate members: (List alphabetically; indicate annual conference or denomination where membership is held.)
- With vote (§586.4b [v])? **None.**
 - Without vote (§§334.5, 344.4)? (v 2/3) **None.**

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 (3/4v) (List alphabetically-see note preceding Question 27):

Name
Rob Ernest
Berniece Ludlum
Vernon Olson

28. Who are **elected** as provisional members and what seminary are they attending, if in school? (under §§322.4, 324, 325)
- Provisional Deacons under the provisions of §§ 324.4a, c or §324.5(3/4v)

Name	Seminary
Rachel Rigdon	Perkins (M.Div. 2016)

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

Name	Seminary
Darryl Burton	SPST (M.Div. 2016)
Anne Gahn	SPST (M.Div. 2016)
Hyun Ju Gil	Candler (M.Div. 2016; M.Th 2017)
Julie King	Iliff (M.Div. 2018); Family leave eff 7/1/2018
John Lewis	Asbury (M.Div. 2018)
Daniel Norwood	SPST (M.Div. 2017)
Lori Patton	Garrett (M.Div. 2018)
Christine Potter	SPST (M.Div. 2018)
Jeff Potter	SPST (M.Div. 2018)
Darlene Sheffer	SPST (M.Div. 2016)
Soyeong Son	SPST (M.Div. 2015)
Angie Vertz	SPST (M.Div. 2017)
Younghwan Won	Garrett (M.Div. 2017)

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, § 327 v)?

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

Name	Clergy Status	Date and Seminary
Emmanuel Afful	PE (2017)	Asbury (M.Div. 2016)
Michael Brown	PE (2016)	Methodist Theological School of Ohio (M.Div. 2014)
Michelle Byerly	PE (2017)	SPST (M.Div. 2014)
Hannah Ebling-Artz	PD (2017)	Candler (M.Div. 2015)
Michael "Mike" Evans	PE (2017)	United (M.Div. 2014)
Jeff Goetzinger	PE (2017)	SPST (M.Div. 2016)
Rebecca Goltry Mohr	PE (2017)	Wesley (M.Div. 2017)
William Del Valle Gonzalez	PE (2013)	Perkins (M.Div.)
Stefanie Hayes	PE (2017)	Perkins (M.Div. 2016)
Hyemi Jones	PD (2015)	Drew (MTS 2005); Yale (M.Div. 2009)
Daniel Kipp	PE (2017)	SPST (M.Div. 2016)
Sang Hak Lee	PE (2017)	Methodist Theological Seminary and KangNam University (South Korea) equiv. M.Div.
Curtis "Curt" Magelky	PE (2017)	SPST (M.Div. 2017)
Kayla Mangrich	PE (2016)	Perkins (M.Div. 2015)
Jordan McFall	PE (2017)	Asbury (M.Div. 2016)
Elizabeth "Libby" Oberdorf	PE (2017)	SPST (M.Div. 2016)
Amanda Pouget	PE (2017)	Duke (M.Div. 2009); Personal leave eff 7/1/2018
Matthew "Matt" Sigler	PE (2017)	Asbury (MA 2007) and Boston Univ. (PhD 2014) equiv
A.G. Turner	PE (2017)	Fuller (M.Div. 1989)

b) Provisional deacons who became provisional elders? (v) **None**

c) Provisional elders who became provisional deacons? (v)(Indicate year) **None**

d) Provisional members who transferred from other conferences or denominations? (§347.1) (v) **None**

The following are provisional members who are on leave of absence:

Name	Clergy Status	Seminary
William Del Valle Gonzalez	PE	Perkins M.Div.

30. What ordained clergy, coming from other Christian denominations, have had their orders recognized (§347.6): (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. **None**.

31. What ordained clergy have been received from other Christian denominations (§347.3): (List alphabetically—see note preceding Question 27):

a) As provisional members (§347.3c)? (v) **None**.

b) As local pastors (§347.3)? (v) **None**.

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 33-34 or 36, unless the clergy's orders from another denomination were recognized on question 30 in a previous year.**) (v 3/4):

a) Deacons

Name
Melissa Gepford

b) Elders

Name
Andrea Beyer
Isaac Chua
Orlando Gallardo Parra
Donna Goltry
Molly Just
Brenda Kostner Johnson
Lucas McConnell

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)

a) After provisional membership (§330)? (v 3/4)

Name	Seminary
Melissa Gepford	Perkins (MTS 2012) (BGTS Asbury & SPST)

b) Transfer from elder?(§309) (v 3/4) **None**.

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

a) After provisional membership? (§335) (v 3/4)

Name	Seminary
Andrea Beyer	SPST (M.Div. 2013)
Isaac Chua	Asbury (M.Div. 2016)
Orlando Gallardo Parra	SPST (M.Div. 2012)
Donna Goltry	Wesley (M.Div. 2014)
Molly Just	Asbury (M.Div. 2016)
Brenda Kostner Johnson	Garrett (M.Div. 2014)
Lucas McConnell	Yale (M.Div. 2015)

b) Transfer from deacon? (§309) (v 3/4)

Name	Seminary
Amy Seifert	M.Div equiv. Asbury (2011; 2017)

35. What provisional members, previously discontinued, are readmitted (§364)? (v) **None.**

36. Who are readmitted (§365-367 [v], §368 [v 2/3]): **None.**

37. Who are returned to the effective relationship after voluntary retirement (§357.7): (v) **None.**

38. Who have been received by transfer from other annual conferences of The United Methodist Church (§347.1, 416.5, 635.2n)? (List alphabetically. Indicate credential. See note preceding Question 27.): (v) **None.**

39. Who are transferred in from other Methodist denominations (§347.2)? (List alphabetically. Indicate credential.) **None.**

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? **None.**

b) Elders? **None.**

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	Clergy Status	New Conference	Date of Transfer
Rob Walters	FE	Oregon-Idaho	7/1/2018
Molly Simpson	FE	Central Texas	7/1/2018

42. Who are discontinued as provisional members (§327)? (v) **None.**

a) By expiration of eight-year time limit (§ 327) **None.**

b) By voluntary discontinuance (§ 327.6) (v) **None.**

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

Name	Clergy Status
Will Kenyon	Discontinued
Javier Martinez Osuna	Discontinued-Withdrawn under complaint

d) By reaching Mandatory Retirement Age (§ 327.7) **None.**

43. Who are on location?

a) Who has been granted honorable location (§358.1)?

(1) This year? (v) **None.**

(2) Previously?

Name	Year Originally Granted	Charge Conference Membership	Year of Most Recent Report
Steven Absher, FE	1995	Baldwin City: First, KS	
Kathryn Bannister, FE	2006	Bison UMC, KS	2012
R. Dennis Bowers, FE	1983	Lahaska, PA	
Larry W. Cartmill, FE	1985	Peculiar, MO	
Carl E. Crider, FE	1983	San Marcos, CA San Dieguito	
Douglas D. Dingel, FE	1977	Manhattan: College Avenue, KS	
Laura Felleman, FE	2017	Iowa City: First (Iowa)	2017
Ronald C. Farrell, FE	1976	Topeka: Highland Park, KS	2015
John Green, FE	2004	Omaha: St. Paul, NE	
Pamela Harris, FD	2011	Fairway: Old Mission, KS	2015

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Mark Kemling, FE	2004	Omaha: First, NE	
Michael Laing, FE	2012	Doniphan, NE	2015
Pauletta Lehn, FE	2017	Omaha: First	2017
Larry Nutter, FE	1998	Salina: First, KS	2012
Robert Dale Peterson, FE	1997	Nicholasville, KY	
Judy Ramsey, FE	2013	Spirit of Hope, Kansas City	
Daniel R. Roland, FE	1996	Emporia: First, KS	
Jeff Sheperdson, FE	2012	Ithaca, NY, St. Paul's	2015
Stephen A. Smith, FE	2010	Andover, KS	2016
Rachel A. Waddell, FE	1999	Overland Park: Indian Heights, KS	2015
Kelly Willoughby, FE	1995	Lenexa, KS	2018

- b) Who on honorable location are appointed ad interim as local pastors? (§1358.2) (Indicate date and appointment.)

Name	Appointment	Year Originally Granted Location
Kathryn Bannister	FHSU Campus Ministry	2015

- c) Who has been placed on administrative location (§1359)?

(1) This year? (v) **None.**

- (2) Ad Interim Administrative Location (v) **None.**

(3) Previously?

Name	Year Originally Placed	Charge Conference Membership	Year of Most Recent Report
Randall K. Robinson, FE	2009	Moody Memorial First UMC, Galveston, TX	2018

44. Who have been granted the status of honorable location—retired (§1358.3):

- a) This year? (v) **None.**

- b) Previously?

Name	Clergy Status	Year Honorable Location Originally Granted	Charge Conference Membership
Randel Anderson	RE	2008	Norfolk: First, NE
Elizabeth Beams-Howe	RE	1994	East Flat Rock, NC, First
Jenny Buss	RE	2012	Americus UMC
John O. Cully	RE	1977	Edge Hills, TN
Jerol W. Devor	RE		
Harvey Charles Foyle	RE	1970	Emporia: First, KS
Barbara Gotschall	RE		
Sharon H. Hunzeker	RE	2004	Bern, KS
Allen A. Jones	RE	1978	Topeka: Countryside, KS
Karl K. Luckert	RE		
Marvin H. Palmer	RE		
Lucy Pierre	RE	1984	Philadelphia, PA:Haven
John T. Rhoads	RE		
Richard E. Whitaker	RE		
John Wesley White	RE	1995	
Allen W. Wintersteen	RE	1978	Desert Southwest Conf.
Holly A. Wood	RE	2003	Belleville, IL Union

45. Who have had their status as honorably located and their orders terminated (§1358.2)? (v) **None.**

46. Who have had their conference membership terminated?

- a) By withdrawal to unite with another denomination (§1360.1, .4)? (v)

Name	Date Effective	Prior Clergy Status
Amy Crawford	5/28/2016 (confirmation received in 2017-2018)	FD

- b) By withdrawal from the ordained ministerial office (§1360.2, .4)? (v)

Name	Date Effective	Prior Clergy Status
Tim Harlan	6/1/2018	FE

- c) By withdrawal under complaints or charges (§1360.3, .4; 2719.2)?

Name	Date Effective	Prior Clergy Status
Javier Martinez Osuna	11/01/2017	PE
Cynthia Meyer	1/29/2018	FE – involuntary leave

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- d) By termination of orders under recommendation of the Board of Ordained Ministry (§§ 358.2, 359.3)? (v)
None.
- e) By trial (§2713)? **None.**
47. Who have been suspended under the provisions of §362.1d, §2704.2c or §2711.3? (Give effective dates. Indicate credential.) **None.**

48. Deceased (List alphabetically)
- a) What associate members have died during the year?
 Active: **None.**

Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Robert Dale "Bob" Stout	7/31/1935	1/19/2018

- b) What provisional members have died during the year? (Indicate credential.)
 Active: **None.**

Retired: **None.**

- c) What elders have died during the year?
 Active:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Susan Daniel-Brey	9/23/1958	4/23/2018

Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Allen E. Baumgartner	6/20/1926	6/27/2018
Charles Bennett	12/13/1929	8/24/2017
John Franklin Dale	7/26/1932	3/6/2018
Edward Des Plas	2/27/1936	11/6/2017
Robert "Bob" Eades	9/04/1929	12/04/2017
Al Hager	10/23/1923	8/25/2017
Hobart Ross Hildyard	11/18/1928	9/28/2017
Paul Wesley Iwig	9/28/1932	2/27/2018
Douglas Frank Jones	11/7/1934	6/11/2018
Philip A. Kaye	7/03/1920	1/10/2018
Mary Alice Knewtson	4/18/1938	8/15/2017
Donald J. Koehn	9/19/1931	9/06/2017
Lowen V. Kruse	2/25/1929	11/24/2017
Lawrence Kurth	11/25/1918	12/04/2017
Clarence McConkey	7/17/1925	9/15/2017
William "Bill" Moore	7/18/1926	7/31/2017
Nathan Morgan	2/2/1953	6/28/2018
Harold Lee Peck	9/07/1923	4/12/2018
Dee Allen Polen, Jr.	6/22/1941	4/23/2018
H. Gene Shoemaker	1/11/1929	9/11/2017
Cato Sims	5/26/1929	6/26/2018
James D. Uhlig	3/15/1934	4/16/2018

- d) What deacons have died during the year?

Active: **None.**

Retired: **None.**

- e) What local pastors have died during the year?

Active:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Bill (Tuffy) Linde, IV	1/19/1953	12/30/2017
Vickie Lynn McDaniel	8/05/1954	12/21/2017

Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Donna Marie Carpenter	3/07/1939	12/05/2017

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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	Clergy Status	Conference Where Appointed	Appointment
Sue Barham	FD	Wisconsin	Racine: Trinity, Racine: Faith
Cesar Duran	FE	Rio Texas	Laredo: First UMC
James Edwards	FE	Memphis	Pleasant Grove UMC, Benton, KY
Orlando Gallardo Parra	FE	Missouri	Drexel UMC (1/2 time)
Daniel Kim	FE	Northwest Texas	Lubbock Korean
Linda Kusse-Wolfe	FE	Virginia	Main Street UMC, Waynesboro, VA
Dennis Paschke	FE	Pacific Northwest	Foothills UMC (1/2 time) and Orting UMC (1/2 time)
Denny Silk	RE	Desert Southwest	First UMC, Phoenix, AZ
Mike Toluba	FE	Florida	Florida State Wesley Campus Ministry
Mark Thompson	FE	South Carolina	Johnston-Harmony UMC
Andrew Whitaker Smith	FE	Florida	Lakeland: First UMC

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 (§353)? (Indicate credential. Record Charge Conference where membership is held.)

a) Voluntary?

- (1) Personal, 5 years or less (§353.2a 3) (v)

Name	Clergy Status	Date Effective	Charge Conference	Last Report
Tiffany Baker	FE	7/1/2018		
Mark Holland	FE	7/1/2018		
Janice Japp	FE	07/01/15	Omaha: St. Luke	2018
Sheryl Johnson	AM	7/1/2018	Hays: First UMC	
Barbara Snell McLain	FE	07/01/13	Ransom, KS	
Shelly Petz	FE	7/1/2018		
Amanda Pouget	PE	7/1/2018		
Jane Voelkel	FE	7/1/2016	Wichita: University	2018

- (2) Personal, more than 5 years (§353.2a 3) (v 2/3)

Name	Clergy Status	Date Effective	Charge Conference	Last Report
Jayne Duncan	FD	6 years	Missouri	2017
Costa de Oliviera	FE	7 years	Saint Andrews	

- (3) Family, 5 years or less (§353.2b 3) (v)

Name	Clergy Status	Date Effective	Charge Conference	Last Report
Tim Ault-Duell	FE	07/01/14	Salina: Trinity UMC	2018
Jennifer Herndon	FD	10/23/15	Wichita: Chapel Hill	2017
Julie King	PE	7/01/2018		NA

- (4) Family, more than 5 years (§353.2b 3) (v 2/3)

Name	Clergy Status	Date Effective	Charge Conference	Last Report
Amy Slater	FE	07/01/13	Hutchinson: First, KS	2018
Lisa Wiens Thompson	FE	8 years	Wichita: Chapel Hill, KS	2018

- (5) Transitional (§353.2c) **None**

Name	Clergy Status	Date Effective	Charge Conference	Last Report
Lucas McConnell	FE	7/1/2018		NA

b) Involuntary?

- (1) Involuntary Leave (§354)? (v 2/3)

None.

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(2) Ad Interim Involuntary Leave (JCD 1355) (v) None.

51. Who are granted sabbatical leave (§1351)? (v) None.
52. Who have been granted medical leave due to medical or disabling conditions (§1356)? (v)

Name	Clergy Status	Date Effective	Charge Conference
Patricia Bennett	AM	07/01/13	McPherson: First, KS
Linda Bolz	FE	7 years	Bushton, KS
William Draper Finlaw III	FE	10 years	Lincoln: South Gate, NE
Mary Fuller	FL	7/1/2017	
William del Valle Gonzalez	PE	2014	
Evie Gulach-Johnson	FE	7 years	Kearney: First, NE
Rob Harper	FE	01/01/11	
Glen Holtz	FE	2013	
Penny Swift-Kelly (no benefits)	FD	07/01/17	Ellsworth: First UMC
Melody Kimbrel	FE	12/1/2015	
John D. Lansbury	FL	04/23/01	
Aaron Madondo	FE	08/21/12	Jefferson City, MO
Brad McCoy	FE	7/1/2018	
Beverly F. Meadows	FE	07/01/07	Bemidji UMC, Minnesota
Barbara G. Moore	FE	04/01/96	Topeka: Highland Park
Mary Etta Parsons	FE	07/01/01	
Gary Roellchen	FE	07/01/95	
Stephen R. Smith	FL	11/18/2012	
Terry C. Tomlinson	FE	17 years	Papillion Saint Paul, NE
William M. Williams, Jr.	FE	7/1/2016	

53. What members in full connection have been retired (§1357): (List alphabetically. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (§1357.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (Under §1357.1, no vote required; under §1357.2, v; under §1357.3, v 2/3)

Deacons

a) This year?

Name	Date Effective
Nancy Barrett Walker	7/1/2018
Dianne Tombaugh	7/01/2018

b) Previously?

Kenneth L. Butts	Karen Mitchell	Martha Sanchez
Judith Ann Castor	Pamela Bauer Nolan	Barbara Sheldon
Lurena F. Dunn	Betty L. Partridge	Janith J. Spangler
Jeannette Willis Fagerberg	Norma Jean (Missy) Patterson	Linda Stewart
Lynne Stillman Froning	Vicki Jo Reagan	Leslie K. Van Blarcom
Dee Ann Heptas	Tom Rishel	Rena Yocom
Helen J. Liston	Geraldine ReQua	

Elders

c) This year?

Name	Date Effective
Paul Blanchard	7/01/2018
Bruce Davis	7/01/2018
Eldon Davis	7/01/2018
Charles Dixon	7/01/2018
Roberta Fall	7/01/2018
Richard Haden	7/01/2018
Scott Hannon	7/01/2018
Jeannie Jensen	7/01/2018
Murray Jay Johnston	7/01/2018
Robert Laney Kuhn	7/01/2018
Karen Lampe	7/01/2018
David Lux	7/01/2018
James Mardock	7/01/2018
Michael McGuire	7/01/2018
Jeff Miller	7/01/2018
Larry Myers	7/01/2018

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Phyllis Provost-Saas	7/01/2018
Lyle Seger	7/01/2018
Scott Shreve	7/01/2018
Don Stewart	7/01/2018
David Upp	7/01/2018

d) Previously?

Charlotte Abram	Michael Graber	Judy Long O'Neal
Jim Akins	Jean Marie Grabher	Chester L. Osborn
Jean B. Alnor	Charles Grant	Teyrl T. Otto
Kay Alnor	Raymond S. Grant, Jr.	Barbara Parker
Donald D. Anderson	Wallace G. Gray	Duane F. Parker
Fred A. Anderson	Laurence Jay Greenwood	Larry A. Parrish
Jay W. Anderson	Guy J. (Jack) Gregory	Christi Patterson
Rosalie Anderson	Marilyn Dimmit Gregory	Darrell P. Patton
Norma Jean Andrews	Jim Graves	John W. Paulin
William D. Arnold	Kathryn E. Graver	M. Thomas Perkins
Gary Aten	Susan Greene	Earl A. Perry
Patricia Ault-Duell	Kenneth K. Grenz	Cheryl Peters
Truman Bachenburg	Stephen Griffith	Harold I. Peters
Harold Backus	W. Lawrence Grove	David W. Peterson
Robert Baer	Margaret A. Gungelman	Robert Dyer Peterson
Young-Gil Bahng	William R. Hammond	Vernon L. Phelps
Howard R. Bailey	Dennis Hanneman	Nancy J.H. Phillips
G. Wesly Ballard	David L. Hansen	Fred W. Pinkerton
G. Lucille Barb	Paul A. Hansen	Caroll A. Plisek
Rose M. Bartleson	Deborah Hanes-Nelson	Alton R. Pope
Linda J. Battello	Duane K. Harms	David W. Powell (KSW)
Gary Beach	Gary D. Harms	David W. Powell (NE)
David L. Bearden	Jerrald R. Harnden	Donald D. Powell
Phillip E. Bede	Jack D. Harris	Timothy Pratt
David Bell	Joyce Harris-Scott	Robert L. Priest
Susan Slusher Bell	Barbara Ann Hart	Frank Pritz
Quentin Bennett	Calvin Paul Hartman	Wallace Proctor
Charles E. Benton	Larry Harvey	Paul Quakenbush
Darrel Berg	R. Lawrence Hastings	David Ragland
Garner J. Berg	Ken Hathaway	Carol Moore Ramey
Harry S. Betts	Jan R. Hayen	Eugene M. Rasmussen
C. Rex Bevins	Leon H. Hayen	Sam Rathod
Eugene D. Beye	Kirby C. Hayes	Earl H. Reed
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Billie Blair	William F. Hemmen, Jr.	Francis L. Reichart
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Donald D. Bredthauer	Diana Gaier Hill	John F. Richter
Carol Roettmer Brewer	Harold C. Holland	William Ripley
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William P. Brigdon	Larry Hollen	Robert L. Ritter
Richard G. Brooks	Martin Holler	W. Harlan Rittgers
Robert B. Brooks	Lucinda Holmes	Richard Robbins
JerLowell H. Brown	Alyois E. Holst	Gertrude Robertson
Russell Brown	Jerald K. Hooley	Ronald Roemmich
Mary Tyler Browne	Jim Hopwood	Kenneth D. Rood
Katherine Bullard	Donald C. Houts	Delvin A. Roper
Richard L. Burgess	Michael Howard	Chester W. Ross
James R. Bush	Honor Sharon Howell	Marvin L. Ruebsaman
Jenny Buss	Jaclyn Hoy	Sally Ruggia-Haden
Larry Buss	Theresa "Tess" Hufford	Clifford "Kip" Ryherd
Patrick Buss	Stanley G. Hughes	Albert James Rymph
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Richard C. Frisbie	Hughes B. Morris, Jr.	Ronald J. Williams
Lawrence Fry	Phil Morris	Douglas J. Williamson
Robert Fukada	Ed Morrison	L. Keith Williamson
Dennis Fulton	Donald E. Morton	E. Carolyn Wills
Edith K. Funk	William W. Mountcastle	Eugene M. Wilson
Jay R. Funk	Paul G. Mugler	Carol Windrum
Ron Gaddis	Loren L. Mullins	George Winechase
Donovan V. C. Gaffney	C. Ebb Munden III	Garry Winget
Lowell Gaither	Clarke Mundhenke	Charles Winkler
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Roger K. Gillming	Don Noble	Sam Wood
John C. Gingerich	Homer E. Noley	Nicholas T. Woods
William Glaser	Floyd M. Nolin, Jr.	John Wright
James Godbey	Robert W. Nowling	John Yost
Nancy Goddard	Donald J. Nunnally	Marvin L. Zimbelman
Vernon G. Goff		Richard Zimmerman
Leonard Goosen		Donald B. Zook

54. What associate members have been retired (§357): (List alphabetically. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (§357.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (Under §357.1, no vote required; under §357.2, v; under §357.3, v 2/3)

a) This year?

Name	Date Effective
Laura Burnett	7/01/2018
Jack Dutton	7/01/2018
Sharlon Graber	7/01/2018

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Doug Smith	7/01/2018
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b) Previously?

Lawrence Barbary	Charles F. Kallaus	Verl W. Strong
Robert E. Berlie	Kay Kincaid	Robert D. Stout
John W. Bland	Harry F. Liggett	Howard L. Sudduth
Richard L. Brian	Bonnie Linton-Hendrick	Sue E. Talbot
Julie F. Bringleson	Connie L. McKee-Smith	John J. Theis
Juanita B. Catlin	Ruth J. Moorer	Irvin Dale Thiele
Charles W. Cornwall	James A. Newkirk	Kenneth Trickle, Jr.
Harry Cross	Darlene K. Nonhof	Martha E. Voigt
Dorothea Fairbanks	Harlan G. Nonhof	Valjean Warman
Keith Fink	Raymond L. Norris	Ray Weirnerman
Harry E. Graves	Gary C. Parsons	Hugo Westphal, Jr.
Bonnie M. Gilmer	Barbara Patterson	Donald "Don" Wharton
Wayne Handle	Glenn Patterson	Bob Whitaker
Nita Hinds-Park	James Pollom	R. Kenneth Wills
Elton L. Hunter	Judith J. Priest	
Steve Hysom	Gerald Pringle	
Carol L. James	William Stapleton	

55. What provisional members have been previously retired (§358, 2008 Book of Discipline)?

Stephen E. Fletcher	Karel S. Ramsey
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56. Who have been recognized as retired local pastors (§320.5):

a) This year?

Name	Date Effective
Maureen Appenfeller	7/01/2018
Janice Farrell	7/01/2018
David Geisler	7/01/2018
Stephen Holmes	7/19/2017
Nancy Modin	7/01/2018
Gerald Petering	7/01/2018

b) Previously?

Kathleen Aeillo	Edward A. English	Paul Russell McAlister
Joyce Allen	Bonnie Forney	Karen M. Elsasser Miller
Louis Anderson	Inez Foster	Jerry Odle
Larry Ankrom	Brian Fong	Mary Ohlemeier
Dorothy Elaine Aspegren	Roger Frederick	Lila Slater Picton
Sondra Atkins	Janie Freeman	Phoebe Pitney
Robert E. Atwell	Bob Gleason	Melvin Thomas Reazin
George Baldwin	Gary Gooding	William Robin Reeves
Thomas Bailey	Mary Jo Harper	Jeanine Rishel
Lesley Bartlett	John Henderson	Susan Sanders
Marvin Earl Bauer	Ruth M. Henderson	Sara Simmons Bankson
Joyce Beam	Arthur Dale Houghton	Jerilyn Soens
LaVerne Bolling	Glenn Charles Hubbard	Carol Jean Stapleton
Marilyn Cox	Glenda Jardine	Marsha Staus
Scharleen Cross	Mary Jensen	Camille Sutton
Theta Dame	Cynthia Diane Johnston	Edward Thompson
Edward DesPlas	John Jordan	Sharon Thomas
Harry Disbrow	Connie Karr	Lorna Gotschall
Judith A. Dye	Glenn Krebs	Jerry Yount
Shirley Edgerton	Barbara J. Laffin	

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

a) 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.
- (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.

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¶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)	10	272	1	22	19	130	74
Deacons (in full connection and provisional) serving Beyond the Local Church (¶331.1a, b) (78a,b)	12	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	28	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	0	0	1	0
Appointments to Extension Ministries (¶316.1; 344.1b) (77b)	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	11	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	1	0	1	2
Appointments to Extension Ministries (¶316.1; 344.1d) (77c)	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	10	xxxxx xxxxx xxxxx	1	0	4	1
Appointments to Attend School (¶331.3) (79)	0	4	0	1	0	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
Appointed to Other Annual Conferences (49)	1	10	0	0	0	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Leave of Absence (50a1, a2)	1	7	0	1	1	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Family Leave (50a3, a4)	1	4	0	1	0	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Sabbatical Leave (51)	0	0	0	0	0	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
On Medical Leave (52)	1	14	0	1	1	3	0
On Transitional Leave (50a5)	0	1	0	0	0	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
Retired (53, 54, 55)	22	577	0	2	53	xxxxx xxxxx	xxxxx xxxxx
Total Number, Clergy Members	48	938	2	28	74	129	87
Grand Total, All Conference Clergy Members	1306						

b) By gender and racial/ethnic identification? (NOTE: See the instruction for item 57 for guidelines to assist in the racial/ethnic identification count.)

<i>Clergy Demographics</i>														
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	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Asian	0	0	20	3	0	1	2	4	1	0	5	2	3	2
Black	0	2	16	17	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	5	2	1
Hispanic	0	1	10	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	2	3	0

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Native American	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pacific Islander	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White	4	41	595	264	0	1	10	11	47	26	68	39	42	34
Multi-Racial	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Grand Total, All Conference Clergy Members*	4	44	650	286	0	2	15	15	48	26	81	48	50	37

PART III CERTIFICATION IN SPECIALIZED MINISTRY

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?

Name	Clergy/Lay Status	Specialized Ministry
Adam Miller	Lay	Youth Ministry
Jennifer Mitzelfelt	Lay	Christian Education
Laura Ramsey	Lay	Youth Ministry
Laura White	Lay	Spiritual Formation
Susan Winston	Lay	Christian Education
Jane Voekel	FE	Spiritual Formation & Evangelism

59. Who is certified in specialized ministry? (List the areas of specialized ministry.)

Name	Clergy/Lay Status	Specialized Ministry
Billie Blair	FE	Spiritual Formation
W. Jerald Brabec	FD	Music Ministry
Kim L. Burnett	Lay	Christian Education
Tammy Dees	Lay	Christian Education
Gary D. Harms	RE	Music Ministry
Elizabeth Lippoldt	Lay	Christian Education
Karen Nyhart	FD	Christian Education
Bill Podschun	Lay	Youth Ministry
Lori Richey	Lay	Youth Ministry
Leslie Van Blarcom	RD	Christian Education
Constance L. Wilson	FE	Spiritual Formation

60. Who are transferred in as a certified person in specialized ministry? **None.**

61. Who are transferred out as a certified person in specialized ministry? **None.**

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

Brenda Heard	Cheri Kneifel
Pamela Bauer Nolan	

Certifications through General Commission of Finance and Administration and United Methodist Communications

Name	Clergy/Lay Status	Specialized Ministry
Kathy Kruger Noble	FD	Christian Communications (UMCOM)
Bob Potter	Lay	Church Administration (GCFA)
Linda Stewart	RD	Business Administration (GCFA)

PART IV CERTIFIED LAY MINISTRY

(¶ 268, and 666.10 *The Book of Discipline*)

63. Who are certified as lay ministers (¶ 268, and 666.10)? Only persons with completed education and credentialing will be listed. (List alphabetically, by district)

Name	District
Dan Dempsey	Elkhorn Valley
Jada Hodgson	Five Rivers
Dorothy Welch	Five Rivers

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Malonne Davies	Flint Hills
Jane Blum	Gateway
Peggy Cranford	Gateway
Lizabeth Galindo	Great West
Tim Horn	Great West
Norma McNair	Hays
Rebecca Stark	Hutchinson
Laurie White	Hutchinson
Susan Stauch	Kansas City
Phyllis Stauffer	Kansas City
Sherri Williams	Kansas City
Russ Faust	Missouri River
Bryan Hankins	Missouri River
Bill Booe	Parsons
Linda Stotler	Parsons
Myron Stover	Parsons
Kim Dunker	Prairie Rivers
Mina Nutter	Prairie Rivers
Kathy Uldrich	Prairie Rivers
Don Alt	Salina
Jeff Metzler	Salina
Lori Persighel	Salina
Charlotte Milroy	Topeka
Paula Scott	Wichita East
David Watters	Wichita East
Louis Keeling	Wichita West

PART V DIACONAL MINISTERS

(Paragraph numbers in questions 64-71 refer to *The 1992 Book of Discipline*)

64. Who are transferred in as diaconal ministers (§312)? **None.**
65. Who are transferred out as diaconal ministers (§312)? **None.**
66. 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) None.**
67. What diaconal ministers have died during the year?
- a) Effective: **None.**
 - b) Retired: **None.**
68. What diaconal ministers have been granted leaves of absence under ¶313.1a, c, d) (disability, study/sabbatical, or personal leave): (v) **None.**
69. What diaconal ministers have been granted an extended leave (§313.1e):
- | Name | Type of Leave | Date Originally Granted |
|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Sherry Wright | Family Leave | 7/1/2011 |
70. Who have returned to active status from extended leave (§313.1e)? (v)? **None.**
71. Who have taken the retired relationship to the Annual Conference as diaconal ministers (§313.2): (**Under ¶313.2b, v 2/3**)
- a) This year? **None.**
 - b) Previously?

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Judy Atwood	Darlene Montgomery
Floy Barnes	Susan Rood
June Caler	Mary Seaver
Merna Greer	Nancy Sorensen
Ruth Cruse	Elizabeth Swarthout
Sondra Matthaei	

PART VI APPOINTMENTS AND CONCLUDING BUSINESS

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

- a) What associate members and elders (full and provisional) 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 of service (in one-quarter, one-half, or three-quarter increments) is approval granted (¶1338.2, 342.2, 1506)? (v 2/3, after 8 years v 3/4):

Name	Appointment	Fraction of Full-Time Service
Ken Baker (FE)	1 year	75%
Ross Baker (FE)	1 year	75%
Pauline Clugston (AM)	8 years	50%
Jennifer K. Collins (FE)	19 years (3/4 vote)	50%
Nancy Crowl (FE)	2 years	75%
Jaime Farias (FE)	2 years	75%
Bruce Ferguson (AM)	5 years	25%
Katherine Ebling Frazier (FE)	1 year	25%
Orlando Gallardo Parra (FE)	1 year	50%
Melinda Harwood (AM)	6 years	50%
Casey A. Karges (FE)	13 years (3/4 vote)	25%
Hyeayoun Kim (FE)	2 years	50%
Nancy Liston (FE)	4 years	50%
Kate Johnson Martin (FE)	6 years	50%
John Martyn (FE)	3 years	75%
Pat Norris (FE)	2 years	50%
Nancy Pauls (FE)	1 year	25%
Lyn Seiser (FE)	3 years	75%
Cheryl Somers-Ingersol (FE)	1 year	50%
D. Rick Souter (FE)	5 years	50%
Anne Williams (FE)	5 years	75%
Albert S. Winseman (FE)	12 years (3/4 vote)	25%

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

Name	Appointment	Fraction of Full-Time Service
Abby Caseman (FD)	Atwood UMC	50%
Diana Marie Chapel (FD)	Ogden Friendship House	50%
Brenda Heard (FD)	Wichita: East Heights UMC	25%
Hyemi Jones (PD)	Overland Park: Central Korean	25%
Karla Woodward (FD)	Louisburg UMC (missional service)	50%

73. Who have been appointed as interim pastors under the provisions of ¶338.3 since the last session of the annual conference, and for what period of time? **None.**

74. What elders, deacons (full connection and provisional), associate members, local and supply pastors are appointed to ministry to the local church and where are they appointed for the ensuing year? (Attach a list.) **List included in Conference Journal.**

75. What changes have been made in appointments since the last annual conference session? (Attach list. Include and identify Appointments Beyond the Local Church (Deacons) and Appointments to Extension Ministries (Elders). Give effective dates of all changes.)

Name	Effective Date	Appointment Change
Esther Achi (DSA)	10/26/2017	From no appointment-volunteer to Hemingford
Kathleen Aeillo (RL)	8/02/2017	From no appointment to ½ time Agenda UMC
Kola Akinngbagbe (OE)	11/01/2017	From Plainview/Crawford Valley to no appointment
Russel Anderson (FE)	2/01/2018	From Grand Island Trinity to St. Paul NE
Janet Arnold (CLM)	9/01/2017	From ½ time Arkansas City St. Paul and Arkansas City Grandview to no appointment
Chris Aytes (PL)	1/01/2018	From no appointment to ½ Wamego First, associate
David Benavides (PL)	1/01/2018	From DSA ½ time Potwin and Rock to PL ½ time Potwin and Rock
Matthew Bisel (FL)	3/01/2018	From no appointment to Church of the Resurrection Downtown, associate
Bonnie Brock (FL)	11/01/2017	From PL Miller/Oconto/Eddyville to FL North Loup/Scotia/Greeley
Michael Brown (PE)	1/01/2018	From ¾ time Spring Hill/Bucyrus to full time Spring Hill/Bucyrus

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Larry D. Buss (RE)	8/16/2017	From retirement to ½ time Winchester/Nortonville: New Covenant
David Clark (PL)	2/01/2018	From no appointment to ¼ time Grand Island Trinity
David Clark (FL)	5/01/2018	From ¼ time Grand Island Trinity to full time Grand Island Trinity
S Lindsey Clarke (PL)	12/21/2017	From Arkansas Conference to ¼ time Columbus/Cherokee/Weir
Amy Crawford (FD)	5/28/2016	From United Church of Canada Communities in Mission to withdrawn to join with another denomination
Harry Cross (RA)	4/01/2018	From ¼ time Arlington to no appointment
Scharleen Cross (DSA)	4/01/2018	From retirement to ¼ time Arlington
Scharleen Cross (RL)	6/01/2018	From DSA ¼ time Arlington to RL ¼ time Arlington
Laurel L. Crusinberry (PL)	1/09/2018	From Extension Ministry full time Bryan Medical Center West-Chaplain to Extension Ministry ¼ time Bryan Medical Center West and ¼ time St. Elizabeth Regional Medical Center-Chaplain
Laurel L. Crusinberry (PL)	6/01/2018	From Extension Ministry ¼ time Bryan Medical Center West and ¼ time St. Elizabeth Regional Medical Center-Chaplain to Extension Ministry (chaplain) ¼ time Bryan Medical Center West, ¼ time St. Elizabeth Regional Medical Center and ¼ time Horisun Hospice
David L. Daire (PL)	4/02/2018	From ½ time Republic to no appointment, discontinued
Rebecca Davison (FE)	10/01/2017	From Hugoton to Hugoton/Rolla
Charlie Dixon (FE)	10/01/2015	From Extension Ministries Mirror Inc (Director) to Extension Ministries Therapeutic Counseling Services
Charlie Dixon (FE)	5/05/2016	From Extension Ministries Therapeutic Counseling Services to personal leave
Bruce Draper (FL)	1/01/2018	From PL Kansas City: Bristol Hill/Metropolitan Ave to FL Kansas City: Bristol Hill/Metropolitan Ave
Hannah Ebling-Artz (PD)	9/05/2017	From transitional leave to Extension Ministries Kansas City Community Gardens-Assistant Schoolyard Gardens Program
Ryan Findley (PL)	1/01/2018	From ¼ time Miller/Eddyville/Oconto to ½ time Miller/Eddyville/Oconto
Richard Fitzgerald (FE)	10/01/2017	From Johnson to Johnson/Richfield
Theresa Forshee (FL)	9/04/2017	From Mentor/Gypsum to discontinued
Anne K. Gatobu (FE)	7/01/2017	From Ashland to Extension Ministries Flourishing Springs Ministry, Co-Founder
Bill Gies (DSA)	4/02/2018	From no appointment to ½ time Brookville
Hyun Ju Gil (PL)	10/01/2017	From DSA Waverly/Prairie View to PL (½ time) Waverly/Prairie View
Kelly Hansen (PL)	7/31/2017	From St. Luke's CPE to approved but not appointed
Kelly Hansen (PL)	8/01/2017	From approved but not appointed to Waldo: Keystone
Doug Harris (DSA)	6/01/2018	From no appointment to ½ time Copeland
Allison Haynes (PL)	1/01/2018	From ¼ time Olathe Grace, associate to ½ time Olathe Grace, associate
Brenda Heard (FD)	2/01/2018	From ½ time East Heights to ¼ time East Heights
John Hogue (OF)	7/16/2017	From Falls City First and Rulo Trinity to withdrawn
Stephen Holmes (RL)	7/19/2017	From ½ time Agenda/Barnes to retirement
Steve Hysom (RA)	2/01/2018	From retirement to ½ time Newton East Side
Susan Innes (PL)	11/19/2017	From no appointment (Q.20 on BAC) to discontinued: voluntary withdrawal from denomination
Dorcia Johnson (PL)	1/01/2018	From ¼ time Galena to ½ time Galena
Ryong Jae Jung (FL)	1/01/2018	From ½ time Pittsburg College Heights/Pittsburg Korean to full time Pittsburg College Heights/Pittsburg Korean
Hyeayoun Kim (FE)	8/01/2017	From full time Alida/Enterprise to ½ time Alida
Travis King (PL)	10/15/2017	From Harvard/Trumbull/Inland to ½ time Harvard/Trumbull/Inland
Reuben Langat (OF)	5/01/2018	From Great Bend Trinity/Hoisington to no appointment (voluntary)
Tom Langhofer (PL)	8/01/2017	From no appointment to ¼ time Church of the Resurrection, associate
Momo S. Larmena (OF)	2/01/2018	From St. Paul NE to Extension Ministries National Guard Army Chaplain, deployed
Shin Hyo Lee (OE)	12/11/2017	From ¼ time Columbus/Cherokee/Weir to withdrawn, returning to Korean Methodist Church in Korea
William Linde	12/30/2017	From ½ time Elgin NE to no appointment, deceased
Brian G Loy (DSA)	11/26/2017	From no appointment to O'Neill First
Gabriel Marrero (FL)	3/31/2018	From Roeland Park to no appointment, discontinued (abandoned appointment)
Javier Albert Martinez-Osuna (PE)	11/01/2017	From Copeland/Montezuma/Ensign to no appointment, withdrawn under complaint
Paul Russell McAlister (RL)	10/01/2017	From ½ time Mount Hope to ½ time Mount Hope and Arkansas City Grandview
Amos McCarthy (OE)	2/01/2018	From full time Newton First/Walton/Newton East Side to ¼ time Newton First/Walton
Vickie McDaniel (PL)	12/21/2017	From Wichita St. Mark to no appointment, deceased
David Mendyk (DSA)	1/01/2018	From no appointment to ¼ time Huntley
Gary Dale Merritt (AM)	11/26/2017	From O'Neill to Plainview/Crawford Valley
Cynthia S. Meyer (FE)	1/29/2018	From involuntary leave of absence to withdrawal (while under complaint) to transfer membership out to UCC, surrendered credentials
Tania Montero (FL)	4/01/2018	From KCK Hispanic Church Start to Roeland Park
Joohyun Moon (PL)	1/01/2018	From ½ time Junction City Korean to ¼ time Junction City Korean

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Susan Murithi (OE)	11/12/2017	From no appointment to Mentor/Gypsum
Janet Myers (FE)	8/28/2018	From transitional leave to CPE Residency, Indiana
Toni Nolze (FL)	11/01/2017	From North Loup/Scotia/Greeley to no appointment, voluntary withdrawal
Toni Nolze (PL)	1/01/2018	From no appointment to ½ time Elgin NE
Stephanie Norton (PL)	11/30/2017	From ½ time Claflin/Bushton to no appointment, voluntary withdrawal (see dcoom minutes for 2018 status—Cert Cand)
Daniel Norwood (PL)	10/01/2017	From Washington/Haddam to Washington/Haddam/Barnes
Soonil Park (FL)	1/01/2018	From DSA Elwood/Bertrand to FL Elwood/Bertrand
Lori Persigehl (DSA)	4/02/2018	From ½ time Brookville to ½ time Salina Trinity, associate
Christine Potter (FL)	6/01/2018	From ¼ time Topeka: Countryside to full time Topeka: Countryside
Kevin Rea (OE)	7/09/2017	From ¼ time Hiawatha Trinity/Powhattan and Extension Ministries Forest Park to ¼ time Hiawatha Trinity/Powhattan
Mahlon Richardson	7/31/2017	From Phillips/Giltner to withdrawn, leaving Conference
Ron Schultz (RE)	1/02/2018	From ¼ time Ozawkie to ¼ time Ozawkie and ½ time Extension Ministries Aldersgate Village, Chaplain
Glen Shoup (OE)	2/01/2018	From ½ time Church of the Resurrection, associate to full time Church of the Resurrection, associate
Chelsea Shrack (FL)	1/01/2018	From DSA Kansas State University Campus Ministry to FL Kansas State University Campus Ministry
Denny Silk (RE)	4/02/2018	From retirement to St. Matthew Mesa, AZ (Desert Southwest Conference)
Rebecca Stredney (PL)	6/01/2018	From full time Wilson to ¼ time Wilson
Mark Thompson (FE)	1/01/2018	From Chaplain US Army to ½ time Johnston/Harmony UMC, South Carolina
Kathleen Uldrich (DSA)	8/01/2017	From no appointment to ¼ time Giltner
Daniel Vandenburg (DSA)	8/27/2017	From no appointment to ½ time Enterprise
Joel Warren (DSA)	8/01/2017	From no appointment to ½ time Phillips
Dennis Wheeler (PL)	1/01/2018	From full time Schuyler Christ/Fremont Calvary/Hooper to ¼ time Schuyler Christ/Fremont Calvary/Hooper
Morgan Whitaker Smith (FE)	9/25/2017	From transitional leave to Extension Ministries FACT Mental Health Worker/Therapist, Peace River Center, Florida
Yolanda White-Oliver (PL)	1/15/2018	From no appointment to ½ time Wichita St. Mark

76. What elders (full connection and provisional), associate members, and local pastors are appointed to extension ministries for the ensuing year?

(Attach a list)

a) Within the connectional structures of United Methodism (§344.1a, c)?

Ashlee Alley Crawford (FE), Great Plains Recruitment and Development Coordinator
 Chad Anglemeyer (FE), District Superintendent, Missouri River-Elkhorn Valley District
 Claudia Bakely (FE), District Superintendent, Flint Hills District
 H. Eduardo Bousson (FE), University Minister, Nebraska Wesleyan University
 Kalaba Chali (FE), Great Plains Mercy & Justice Coordinator
 Lance Clay (FE), District Superintendent, Prairie Rivers-Elkhorn Valley District
 Nicole Conard (FE), Great Plains Young Adult Leadership Coordinator
 Junius Dotson (FE), General Secretary of Discipleship Ministries, Nashville
 Susan Emel (FE), Baker University, Professor of Communication Studies
 Anne Gatobu (FE), District Superintendent, Kansas City District
 Ben Hanne (FE), Southwestern College Campus Minister, Winfield, KS
 Don Hasty (FE), District Superintendent, Dodge City-Hays District
 Kevin Hopkins (FE), University Minister to Baker University
 Karen Jeffcoat (FE), Registrar, Great Plains Board of Ordained Ministry
 Molly Just (FE), Director of Discipleship-Service Learning Team, Southwestern College, Winfield, KS
 Israel Kamudzandu (FE), Associate Professor, Saint Paul School of Theology
 Cindy Karges (FE), District Superintendent, Gateway-Great West District
 Nancy Lambert (FE), Great Plains Director of Clergy Excellence
 Dennis H. Livingston (FE), District Superintendent, Hutchinson-Hays District
 Todd Maberry (FE), Duke Divinity, Director of Admissions, Recruitment & Student Services
 Wendy Mohler-Seib (FE), Director of Faith Formation for Youth & Young Adults, Southwestern College, Winfield
 Mitch Reece (FE), District Superintendent, Wichita East-Wichita West District
 Bill Ritter (FE), District Superintendent, Blue River-Elkhorn Valley District
 Kay Scarbrough (FE), District Superintendent, Topeka District
 Chelsea Shrack (FL), Kansas State Wesley Campus Ministry-Manhattan First, Manhattan, KS
 G. Deann Smith (FE), Executive Minister, UM Open Door (Wichita East)
 Nathan Stanton (FE), Great Plains Director of Congregational Excellence
 David Watson (FE), District Superintendent, Five Rivers and Parsons District
 Delores J. Williamston (FE), District Superintendent, Hays-Salina District

b) To ministries endorsed by the Board of Higher Education and Ministry (344.1b)?

Don Almond (PL), Clinical Chaplain, Lansing Correctional Facility
 Lauren Baker (FL), Internship with University of Virginia Hospital
 Larry W. Biederman (RE), Chaplain, Cass County Sheriff, Plattsmouth, NE

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Brad Devor (FE), Chaplain, VITAS Innovative Hospice
Joan Frenzel (PL), Chaplain, Madonna Rehabilitation, Lincoln-Omaha, NE
James Godbey (RE), Pastoral Counselor, Counseling and Mediation Center (Dodge)
Claudia Hubbard (FE), Staff Chaplain Children's Mercy Hospital and Clinics (KC)
Rebecca Johnson (FE), Senior Staff Chaplain, University of Kansas Hospital, Kansas City
Paul Lee (FE), Chaplain, Fundraiser, Love International School, Daejeon, Republic of Korea
Gregory John McCrimmon (FE), Chaplain, Michael E. DeBakey VA Medical Center, Houston TX
J. Douglas Morphis (RE), Counseling and Mediation Center, Inc. (Wichita West)
Denise Sawyer (FE), Chaplain Lee Memorial Health System, Cape Coral, FL
Ron Schultz (RE), Chaplain, Aldersgate Village, Topeka, KS
Lynn Sifrit (FE), Montgomery Hospice, Rockville, MD
Matt Sigler (PE), Assistant Professor of Wesleyan Theology/UM Liaison, Seattle Pacific University
Susanna Southard (FE), Professor of Teaching with Technology, Phillips Theological Seminary
James E. Taylor III (FE), Chaplain U.S. Air Force, Columbus, Mississippi
Russ Terman-White (FE), Staff Chaplain, Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha
Rob Winslow (RE), Chaplain, Galichia Heart Hospital

c) To other valid ministries under the provisions of ¶344.1d? (v 2/3)

Adam Barlow-Thompson (FE), SoCe Life, Wichita, KS
John Blackwell (FE), Barrow Chair of Biblical Studies, Mount Olive College, NC
Darryl Burton (PE), "Miracle of Innocence" (MOI) 501(c)(3), Kansas City, KS
Jill Chambers (PL), Via Christi Chaplain, Pittsburg, KS
Michelle Chesnut (FL), Director of Campus Ministries, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE
Laurel Crusinberry (FL), Bryan Medical Center and St. Elizabeth Med. Center, Lincoln, NE
Melissa Finlaw Draper (FE), Northeast UCC, Lincoln, NE
Casey Karges (FE), Executive Director, The Mediation Center, Lincoln, NE
Ruth Karlsson (FL), Executive Director, Released and Restored, Inc., Lincoln, NE
Lew Kaye-Skinner (FE), Bryan College of Health Sciences, Lincoln, NE
Dustin Petz (FE), President and CEO, Kansas Area United Methodist Foundation
Sylvia Romero (FL), Executive Director, Center of Grace, Olathe, KS
James B. Smith (FE), Faculty, Friends University, Wichita, KS
Laura Stubblefield (FL), Campus Ministry, University of Nebraska - Kearney
David Upp (RE), Faculty, Bishop Han Theological College, Malaybalay, Bukidnon, Philippines
Morgan Whitaker Smith (FE), Florida Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) Team Counselor, Lakeland
Lee Wigert (FE/LFT), Professor, Hastings College, NE
Albert Winseman (FE), Senior Consultant, Gallup Organization, Omaha, NE

77. Who are appointed as deacons (full connection and provisional) for the ensuing year? (Attach a list.)

a) Through non-United Methodist agencies and settings beyond the local church (¶331.1a)?

Amy Bowers (FD), Chaplain Home Care and Hospice, Manhattan, KS
Jennifer Bryan (FD), CEO, Better Together, Inc., Lenexa, KS
Curley M. Darnell (FD), D&R Tender Loving Care Services
Hannah Ebling-Artz (PD), Schoolyard Gardens Program, Kansas City Community Gardens
Erin Walley Ford (FD), Licensed Independent Clinical Social Worker, OBGYN Specialty Clinic, Swedish First Hill and Issaquah Med, Seattle, WA
Melissa Gepford (PD), Curriculum Development/Consultation
Dayna Hauschild (FD), Linwood Elementary School Counselor, Wichita, KS
Lois Johnson (FD), Professional Renewal Center, Lawrence, KS
Barbra Lenz (FD), Staff Chaplain, CHI Health, Creighton University Medical Center, Omaha
Rachel Rigdon (PD), Pediatric Staff Chaplain, Cook Children's Medical Center, Fort Worth, TX

b) Through United Methodist Church-related agencies or schools within the connectional structures of The United Methodist Church (¶331.1b)?

Kurt Cooper (FD), Campus Ministry, Emporia State University
Katherine Kruger Noble (FD), Editor, United Methodist Communications
Hollie Tapley (FD) Disaster Response Coordinator, Great Plains Conference
Cynthia Wilson (FD), Associate General Secretary of Leadership Ministries, GBOD

c) Within a local congregation, charge, or cooperative parish (¶331.1c)?

Tamlyn Aubushon (FD), Elsie-Madrid UMCs (license for pastoral ministry)
Ashley Barlow-Thompson (FD), Wichita: Calvary
Jerald W. Brabec (FD), Omaha: Saint Paul UMC
Abby Caseman (FD/LFT), Atwood UMC (license for pastoral ministry)
Diana Chapel (FD/LFT), Ogden Friendship House
Hannah Ebling-Artz (PD), Indian Heights UMC, Kid's Outreach and Worship Coordinator
Melissa Gepford (PD), Fremont UMC
Brenda Heard (FD/LFT), Wichita: East Heights
Deborah Hull (FD), Old Mission UMC
Hyemi Jones (PD/LFT), Overland Park: Central Korean Associate
Melanie Martin (FD), Manhattan: First UMC Associate
Karen Nyhart (FD), Old Mission UMC Associate

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Karla Woodward (FD/LFT), Louisburg (missional service)

78. Who are appointed to attend school (§1416.6)? (List alphabetically all those whose prime appointment is to attend school.)

Name	Clergy Status	School
Eric Ford	FE	Seattle Pacific University, Ph.D. Program
Joe McColligan	FE	University of Aberdeen (Scotland), PhD program
Janet Myers	FE	CPE Residency Community Howard Regional Health, Kokomo, IN
Lori Patton	PE	CPE Wesley Medical Center, Wichita
Jan Todd	FE	Kansas State University, PhD program

79. Where are the diaconal ministers appointed for the ensuing year (§1310) [1992 Discipline]? (Attach list)

Name	Membership	District	Relationship	Appointment
Melissa Iutzi Calvillo	University UMC	Salina	Deaconess	Kansas Wesleyan; Clinical Instructor
Mary Ellen Kilmer	Mitchell UMC	Great West	Deaconess	Scottsbluff Public Schools; Substitute Teacher

80. What other personal notations should be made? (Include such matters as changes in pension credit (§1506.5), 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.)

Ashlee Alley name change to Ashlee Alley Crawford
Allison Bond name change to Allison Noel Marcus
Kimberly Maie Benson name change to Kimberly Maie Andrews
Susan Rae Brown name change to Susan Rae Knewton
Jocelyn Foster name change to Jocelyn Station-Bray
Kirstie Jeanette Garnes name change to Kirstie Jeanette Engel
Amanda Nicole Simon name change to Amanda Nicole Pouget
Bonnie Linton-Hendrick, co-appointed at Chapman UMC eff. 7/01/2017; omitted from appointment listing in 2017 Journal
Wayne Morrison name change to Caroline Morrison
Pat Norris, appointed LFT (50%) eff. 7/01/2017; notation omitted from appointment listing in 2017 Journal
Debra McKnight, appointed FT eff. 7/01/2017; incorrectly listed as LFT in appointment listing in 2017 Journal
Ralph Peters, omitted from question 25 in 2017 BAC report
Mary Fuller, listed as medical leave (no benefits) in 2017 BAC; retroactively approved for medical leave with benefits eff. 7/01/2017

81. Where and when shall the next Conference Session be held (§1603.2, 3)?

May 29-June 1, 2019 in Topeka, Kansas

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Certificate of Ordination

This is to certify that I recognized, commissioned and ordained the following individuals after they were elected by the Ministerial Members of the Great Plains Conference in Executive Session in Wichita, KS on June 14, 2018.

Commissioned for the work of Provisional Elder were:

Darryl Andre Burton, Anne Christine Gahn, Hyun Ju Gil, Julie Dawn King, John Richard Lewis, Daniel Norwood, Lori Jo Patton, Christine Elizabeth Potter, Jeffrey Paul Potter, Darlene May Sheffer, So Yeong Son, Hui Angie Vertz, Younghwan Won

Commissioned for the work of Provisional Deacon was:

Rachel Elizabeth Rigdon

Recognized as Associate Members were:

**Robert Stanley Ernest
Berniece Dawn Ludlum
Vernon Scott Olson**

Ordained as Full Member, Order of Deacons, in the United Methodist Church was:

Melissa Gepford

Ordained as Full Members, Order of Elders, in the United Methodist Church were:

Andrea Anna Beyer, Isaac Chua, Orlando Gallardo Parra, Donna J. Hull Goltry, Molly Danielle Just, Brenda Jane Kostner Johnson, Lucas Frederick McConnell

Ordained as Full Member, Order of Elders, following transfer from Full Member, Order of Deacons is:

Amy Michelle Seifert



Ruben Saenz, Jr.

Presiding Bishop

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2018 ORDAINED ELDERS

Back row from left: Rev. Amy Seifert, Rev. Lucas McConnell, Bishop Ruben Saenz Jr., Rev. Isaac Chua. Front row: Rev. Brenda Kostner Johnson, Rev. Donna Goltry, Rev. Melissa Gepford, Rev. Orlando Gallardo Parra, Rev. Andrea Beyer, Rev. Molly Just

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2018 PROVISIONAL MEMBERS

Back row: Jeff Potter, John Lewis and Darryl Burton. Middle row: Anne Gahn, Julie King, Christine Potter, Darlene Sheffer, Hyun Ju Gil, and Daniel Norwood.. Front row: Lori Patton, Younghwan Won, Angie Vertz, So Yeong Son, and Rachel Rigdon

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2018 RETIREES

Front Row: Rev. Maureen Appenfeller, Rev. Roberta Fall, Rev. Diane Tombaugh. Second Row: Rev. Karen Lampe, Rev. Nancy Barrett Walker, Rev. Scott Hannon, Rev. Richard Haden, Rev. Douglas Smith. Third Row: Rev. Laura Burnett, Rev. Eldon Davis, Rev. Jerry Petering, Rev. Sharlan Graber, Rev. Jeannie Jensen, Rev. Phyllis Provost-Saas, Rev. Paul Blanchard, Rev. Douglas Smith, Rev. Janice Farrell. Fourth Row: Rev. David Geisler, Rev. David Upp, Rev. Michael McGuire, Rev. Lyle Seger, Rev. Jeff Miller, Rev. Scott Shreve, Rev. David Lauk

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