

2007 Journal

Oklahoma Annual Conference



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BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

SECTION F

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The Minutes of the Oklahoma Annual Conference
Held in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, at Oklahoma City University
and St. Luke's United Methodist Church
From May 27, 2007 through May 31, 2007
Bishop Robert E. Hayes Jr., Presiding
Date When Organized: 1844
Number of This Session: 164

PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

- 1. Who are elected for the quadrennium (§603.7, 617):
Secretary? Joseph L. Harris
Mailing Address: 1501 NW 24th, Oklahoma City OK 73106
Telephone: (405) 530-2077
Statistician? Kenneth Smith
Mailing Address: PO Box 197, Aline OK 73716
Telephone: (580) 463-2515
Treasurer? T. Brian Bakeman
Mailing Address: 1501 NW 24th, Oklahoma City OK 73106
Telephone: (405) 530-2067
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated (§603.1)?
No, the Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference is incorporated.
3. Bonding and auditing:
a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts (§616, 2511)?
Conference Treasurer has \$1,000,000 commercial bond. All other employees of the Conference and of its several entities are covered by a blanket position bond in the amount of \$50,000 each.
b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited (§615, 2511)?
Yes. (See report in Conference Journal.)
4. What agencies have been appointed or elected?
a) Answer Yes or No for each of the councils, boards, commissions, or committees listed:
(1) Board of Ordained Ministry (§632)? yes
(2) Board of Pensions (§636)? yes
(3) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference (§2512)? yes
(4) Committee on Episcopacy (§634)? yes
(5) Committees on Investigation (§2703.2, .3)? yes
(6) Administrative Review Committee (§633)? yes
b) Indicate the name of the agency (or agencies) in your annual conference which is (are) responsible for the functions related to each of the following general church agencies (§608.1):
(1) General Council on Finance and Administration?
Council on Finance & Administration
(2) General Council on Ministries?
Annual Conference Council

- (3) General Board of Church and Society?
Mission and Service Ministry Team
- (4) General Board of Discipleship?
Discipleship Ministry Team
- (5) General Board of Global Ministries?
Mission and Service Ministry Team
- (6) Higher Education and Campus Ministry?
Discipleship Ministry Team
- (7) General Commission on Archives and History?
Discipleship Ministry Team
- (8) General Commission on Christian Unity and Inter-religious Concerns?
Mission and Service Ministry Team
- (9) General Commission on Religion and Race?
Leadership Development Ministry Team
- (10) General Commission on the Status and Role of Women?
Leadership Development Ministry Team
- (11) United Methodist Communications?
Department of Communications

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

- (1) Criminal Justice and Mercy Ministries (§652)?
Mission and Service Ministry Team
- (2) Disability Concerns (§649)?
Mission and Service Ministry Team
- (3) Equitable Compensation (§623)?
Commission on Equitable Compensation
- (4) Laity (§629)?
Leadership Development Ministry Team
- (5) Native American Ministry (§650)?
Mission and Service Ministry Team
- (6) Small Membership Church (§642)?
Department of Congregational Development

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

- (1) Conference United Methodist Women (§644)? yes
- (2) Conference United Methodist Men (§645)? yes
- (3) Conference Council on Youth Ministry (§646)? yes
- (4) Conference Council on Young Adult Ministry (§647)? no
- (5) District Boards of Church Location & Building (§2518)? yes
- (6) Committees on District Superintendency (§663)? yes
- (7) District Committees on Ordained Ministry (§660)? yes

e) What other councils, boards, commissions or committees have been appointed or elected in the annual conference? (See Section C - Boards, Councils,

Commissions, Committees, Trustees, Lay Members.)

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

6. What is the report of the statistician? (See Section H - Reports.)

7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See Section H - Reports.)

8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? None were given.

9. What is the schedule of minimum base compensation for pastors for the ensuing year (§§333, 623.3)? (See Section H - Reports.)

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 (§612.1a)? \$1,397,000

11. 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 (§612.1d, 1507)? \$4,323,000

12. What are the apportionments to this conference for the ensuing year:
- | | |
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| a) For the World Service Fund? | \$1,659,041 |
| b) For the Ministerial Education Fund? | \$539,194 |
| c) For the Black College Fund? | \$214,704 |
| d) For the Africa University Fund? | \$47,413 |
| e) For the Episcopal Fund? | \$433,873 |
| f) For the General Administration Fund? | \$146,046 |
| g) For the Interdenominational Cooperation Fund? | \$42,586 |

13. If the annual conference apportions to the local church a fund that combines two or more general apportioned funds with one another, or that combines one or more general apportioned funds with funds other than a general apportioned fund, list below for each combined fund: a) the name and amount of each general fund included in the apportionment; b) the percentage of the combined fund total that corresponds to each general fund apportionment (§612.3d, 613.4).

World Service and Conference Benevolences: 64.05%

Episcopal Fund and Housing: 99.50%

14. Conference and district lay leaders (§603.9, 655):
- Conference lay leader: Judy Benson
Mailing Address: 1000 Wall St., Frederick OK 73542
 - Associate conference lay leaders: Herschel Beard, Frank Denney,
Mark Springer
 - District and associate district lay leaders: Ardmore: Chuck Stewart;
Bartlesville: Donna Helderman; Clinton: Harold Wright; Enid: Paul Babiak;
Lawton: Howard Kuchta; McAlester: Linda DeBerry; Muskogee: Fred Sordahl;
OKC North: Bill A. Junk; OKC South: Donald Kim; Stillwater: Sam Welch;
Tulsa: Linda Calhoun; Woodward: David Terry

15. What local churches have been:

- Organized (§259)?
- Merged (§2545, 2546)?
(1) United Methodist with United Methodist

SOKC District: Mission Metodista del Norte has merged with Hillcrest/
Fuente de Vida. No longer using Mission Metodista del Norte name.

- Other mergers
- Discontinued or abandoned (§228, 332.2, 2548? (State which for each church listed.)

Discontinued and Abandoned: Maud (Ardmore District) effective May 31, 2007
Afton (Bartlesville District) effective May 30, 2007
Picher (Bartlesville District) effective May 30, 2007

- Relocated and to what address?

NOKC District:

Edmond, Acts 2 - First Building at 4848 W. Covell Rd, Edmond OK 73003

Tulsa District:

Bixby moved to 15502 S. Memorial, Bixby OK 74008

Abiding Harvest moved to 4407 S. Olive Ave, Broken Arrow OK 74011

- Changed name of church?

f. Transferred this year into this conference from other United Methodist conference(s) and with what membership (¶¶39, 260)?

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

Ardmore District:

Ardmore First - one Associate position closed May 1, 2007

Bartlesville District:

Bartlesville First - one Associate position closed September 1, 2006

one Associate position closed December 31, 2006

one Associate position added June 1, 2007

Commerce/Picher/Quapaw (three point charge) became

Commerce/Quapaw (two point charge) as of March 4, 2007

Copan (one point charge) and Wann (one point charge) became

Copan/Wann (two point charge)

Lawton District:

Duncan First - one Associate position closed July 1, 2006

McAlester District:

McAlester Wesley/Savanna (two-point charge) and McAlester Christ

(one point charge) and Pittsburg (one point charge) are now

McAlester Wesley/Christ (two point charge) and

Pittsburg/Savanna (two point charge)

Heavener Hispanic Fellowship/Howe (two point charge) is now

Heavener Hispanic Fellowship (one point charge) and

Howe (one point charge)

Muskogee District:

Muskogee First - Associate position closed June 2006

Circle of Care Chaplain - new position June 2006, position closed June 2007

Wagoner - Associate position closed June 2007

Connors Wesley Foundation - Director position closed June 2007

North OKC District:

Edmond Chinese International - Associate position closed

Wickline - Associate position closed

Church of the Servant - Associate position added

South OKC District:

Hillcrest/Fuente de Vida - Associate position added

Norman McFarlin - Associate position added

University of Oklahoma Wesley Foundation - two Associate positions added

Tulsa District:

Boston Avenue - one Associate position closed

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

District Lines:

Clinton/Lawton/SOKC District:

Alfalfa was moved from Lawton District to the Clinton District

Tipton was moved from Lawton District to the Clinton District

Verden was moved from SOKC District to the Lawton District

Hydro/Eakly (Clinton District) and Alfalfa/Gracemont (Lawton District)

became Eakly/Alfalfa (Clinton District)

Elmer (Clinton District) and Tipton/Manitou (Lawton District)

became Elmer/Tipton (Clinton District)

Charge Lines:

Ardmore District:

Wanette/Maud (two point charge) became Wanette (one point charge) and

ECU Campus Ministry/Maud (two point charge) February 1, 2007

ECU Campus Ministry/Maud (two point charge) on June 1, 2007 became

ECU Campus Ministry (one point charge) with Maud discontinued

Clinton District:

Hydro/Eakly (two point charge) became Hydro (one point charge) and

Eakly/Alfalfa (two point charge)

Elmer (one point charge) became Elmer/Tipton (two point charge) June 1, 2007

Lawton District:

Duncan St. Paul's (one point charge) and Rush Springs (one point charge)

became Duncan St. Paul's/Rush Springs (two point charge)

Alfalfa/Gracemont (two point charge) became Gracemont (one point charge)

and Eakly/Alfalfa (two point charge in Clinton District)

Bethel (one point charge) and Hulen (one point charge) became

Bethel/Hulen (two point charge)

Tipton/Manitou (two point charge) and Snyder/Mountain Park (two point

charge) became Elmer/Tipton (two point charge in Clinton District) and

Manitou/Mountain Park (two point charge) and Snyder/Indianahoma

(two point charge)

Verden (one point charge in SOKC District) and Anadarko St. Paul (one point

charge) became Verden/Anadarko St. Paul (two point charge)

Muskogee District:

Chouteau/Bryan Chapel (two point charge) became Chouteau (one point

charge) and Bryan Chapel (one point charge)

Muskogee Wesley/Oktaha (two point charge) became Muskogee Wesley

(one point charge)

Warner/Connors Wesley Foundation (two point charge) became

Warner/Oktaha (two point charge)

South OKC District:

Linwood/Clark Memorial (two point charge) became Linwood (one point charge)

and Clark Memorial (one point charge)

PART II PERTAINING TO ORDAINED MINISTERS AND LOCAL PASTORS

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

17. Are all the clergy members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration (§§604.4, 605.6)? Yes

18. Who constitute:

a) The Committee on Investigation (§2703.2)? (v)

Clergy: Stanley Warfield, Sheila Combs-Francis, Lynn Brack

Clergy Alternates: Larry Bauman, EvaMarie Campbell, Ashley Green-Young, David Karges, and Lyle Shipley

Lay Members: Dianne Bauman, Deborah Davis, and Carl Young

Lay Alternate: Claude Evans, Larry Hodges, Mary Ann Karnes, Kelly Junk, and Chuck Stewart

b) The Administrative Review Committee (§635)? (v)

Clergy: George Warren, Rebecca Morton, and Don Lehman

Clergy Alternate: Chuck Dollarhide

19. Who have received the certificate of candidacy for ordained ministry? (§§311, 312 —Include the names and year of certificate of all candidates for ordained ministry who have been certified or approved for continuance by the district committee on ordained ministry. Do not list as continued those licensed as local pastors in question 21 or as probationary members in question 28.)

a) This year?

Ardmore District: Patti McCall

Bartlesville District: Matthew D. Franks

Clinton District:

Enid District:

Lawton District:

McAlester District: Madelyn Ruch

Muskogee District: John Crogan

North OKC District:

South OKC District: Linda Truitt

Stillwater District:

Tulsa District: Kevin Hall, Dorothy Laurent, William A. Queen, Joey Wilson

Woodward District: W.W. Harmon, Jr., Jeff Ralston

b) Continued?

Ardmore District: Matthew Scraper (2004)

Bartlesville District:

Clinton District: Sheri Smith Lashley (2006)

Enid District: Nathan Mills (2006)

Lawton District: Josue Araujo (2006)

McAlester District: Sara Fuchs (2003), James T. Hunt (2006)

Muskogee District: Cindy Bright (2005), Lance Dixon (2006)

North OKC District: Crystal Hughes-Murphy (2005), Cheryl Newton (2006), Richard W. Norman (2005), William Pasieczny (2005), Bryan P. Tener (2005), Erica C. Thomas (2002)

South OKC District: Hae Jung (Grace) Um (2004), Robert Harmon (2002), James Lambert (2006), Horace Martin (2006), Joseph D. Nelson (2003), Wendelyn Perceful (2003), Ulrick Peterson (2001), Aaron Racs (2003), Tedd Steele (2005)

Stillwater District:

Tulsa District: Jeffrey Barbeau (2006), Chris Beach (2005), Patrick Jackson (2006), Tiffany Kirkland (2004), Stephen H. Morgan (2003), John Slater, Jr. (2006), James Stillwell (2006), Peter White (2006)

Woodward District: Tiffany Smith (2005)

c) Discontinued?

Mark Lyon (B, 2004)

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.):

Debra K. Allen (C, 2006)

Kris Bell (W, 1999)

Anna Bridgewater (A, 2000)

Paul Corr (W, 1999)

Lisa Dellinger (T, 2005)

Robert Harmon (OCS, 2003)

Mark Howard (Mu, 2001)

Horace Martin (OCS, 2006)

Irene Potts (L, 2007)

Frank Simpson (A, 2000)

Alex True (T, 2005)

Chris Beach (T, 2006)

Nicole Benson (Mc, 2005)

Deb Corr (W, 1999)

Laura Deerwester (OCS, 2004)

Judith Eichling (L, 2000)

Felicia Hensley (OCN, 2006)

Kay Karen Kennedy (A, 2000)

John Perkins, II (B, 2000)

Jean Radabaugh (T, 1992)

Unchu “Kim” Slattery (T, 2006)

Marilyn Weathers (S, 2001)

21. Who are approved and appointed as: (indicate for each person the first year the license was awarded. (v)

a) Full-time local pastors (§318.1) and what progress has each made in the course of study? (Indicate with an asterisk those who have completed the five year course of study or the M.Div. — §319.4):

Completed Course of Study:

*Ruth Atterberry (L) (2000)

*Terry W. Fox (Mu) (1990)

*Aaron Lee Martin (W) (1996)

*Sue Bateman (T) (KS East)

*Larry Harlan (C) (1994)

*Vera Walton (E) (2007)

*Janelle Brammer (B) (1993)

*Barry Hayes (Mu) (1995)

*Tony Zahn (OCN) (2007)

Completed Four (4) Years:

Theodore C. Hoffman (B) (2001)

Daniel Llanos (T) (2006)

Completed Three (3) Years:

Robert W. Foos (E) (2000)

R. Chuck Gilbert (L) (1996)

Darlene Johnson (T) (1997)

Completed Two (2) Years:

Bonnie Batman (E) (2001)

Charles Baumann (A) (1998)

John K. Curtis (W) (2000)

Robert Duran (Mc) (2004)

David K. Gardner (L) (2004)

Perla Martinez Goody (A) (2001)

Jennifer K. Long (L) (2004)

Michael E. Mahaffy (L) (2000)

Fernando Padilla (C) (2000)

Gary Vincent (C) (1999)

Completed One (1) Year:

Jim Bradford (B) (2004)

Gregory A. Keith (W) (1993)

Pamela E. Shirk (A) (1997)

Don Whitman (McA) (2004)

Completed Less than One (1) Year:

Richard Brasher (B) (2006)

Charles Broam (OCN) (2001)

Thomas Corrigan (W) (2003)

Stephen Davis ((OCS, 2006)

Deborah Kerr (B) (1998)

Elizabeth M. Kirkwood (W) (2002)

Daniel Ramey (OCS) (1996)

Al Scifres (C) (2005)

Karen Slater (C) (2006)

Terry L. Thomas (A) (2004)

Craig M. Wilson (E) (1996)

Completed Seminary and Appointed as a Full-Time Local Pastor:

Lester D. Bussell (A) (1996)

Everisto W. Chikanga (A) (2003)

Michael Frazier (OCN) (1995)

Timothy Heemstra (W) (2003)

Attending Seminary and Appointed as a Full-Time Local Pastor:

Jacqueline Banks (L) (2006)—Perkins School of Theology

Daniel Dennison (OCS) (2005)—Phillips Theological Seminary

W.H. “Kip” Heatley (A) (2004)—Phillips Theological Seminary

Gloria Denton-McGee (A) (2004)—Perkins School of Theology

Lucinda Melton (S) (2005)—Phillips Theological Seminary

Mike Melton (S) (2005)—Phillips Theological Seminary

Adrian E. Pollard (S) (1995)—Phillips Theological Seminary

Gerald Powley (Mu) (2007)—Phillips Theological Seminary

George M. Rowe (E) (2003)—Phillips Theological Seminary

Susan Whitley (E) (2006)—Phillips Theological Seminary

b) Part-time local pastors (§318.2) and what progress has each made in the course of study? (Indicate with an asterisk those who have completed the five year course of study or the M.Div. — §319.4):

Completed Course of Study:**Completed Four (4) years:****Completed Three (3) years:**

Harold D. Hunt (A) (1969/2003)

David W. Jones (L) (1998)

Max Rudd (S) (1977/2004)

Completed Two (2) years:

Richard W. Ehlers (OCS) (1998)	Earlene Reedy (B) (1999)
Jerry Coldren (B) (1999)	Tom Riley (A) (1998)

Completed One (1) year: Seminary Student designated with *.

Russell Currie (S) (1990)	*Lori Fahle (L) (2003)
Leonard R. McCarty (Mu) (2002)	James R. Peek (T) (1993)
Steven T. Taylor (A) (2005)	

Completed Less Than One (1) Year: Seminary Student designated with *.

Herlinda Aleman (L) (2006)	Roland Barrick (A, 2007)
Debra M. Campbell (OCS) (2004)	*Dylan Cole (OCS) (2005)
Lamarla Cook (OCS) (2006)	*Ivy Collier (B) (2004)
Peggy DeMent (E) (2005)	Tara Foos (E) (2006)
*Rudy Freese (T) (2005)	Kurt Glassco (T) (2006)
*Robert Harrison (A) (2005)	Jim Harvey (E) (2007)
Ed Harwood (A) (2005)	Gary Haynes (L) (2005)
Debra Hobson (E) (2007)	Furan Jackson (B) (2005)
Sherry Kendrick (A) (2006)	Michael Kirkpatrick (Mc) (2003)
Rose Marie LeRoy (E) (2002)	Stephen Littrell (E) (2006)
Scott Northrip (C) (2005)	David W. Reynolds (T) (1997)
*Peggy Risenhoover (OCN) (2002)	S. Kaye Smith (OCS) (2003)
Chris Talley (OCS) (2005)	Burt Todd (B) (2006)
W. Don Venable (A) (1996)	William Welch II (T) (2006)
Micah Welcher (A) (2006)	Joyce Wells (W) (2006)
Michael Winchell (OCS) (2005)	

c) Student local pastors (§18.3), and in what schools are they enrolled?

Victoria S. Fishel (B) (2003)—Phillips Theological Seminary
 Patricia Harris (Mu) (2000)—Phillips Theological Seminary
 Andrew Haynes (S, 2005)—Saint Paul School of Theology
 Marsha Purtell (Mu) (2003)—Phillips Theological Seminary
 Estelle Ray (T) (2002)—Phillips Theological Seminary
 Adam Ricks (OCS) (2006)—Perkins School of Theology
 Carla Robison (Mu) (2003)—Phillips Theological Seminary
 Marcia Shoemaker (T) (2002)—Phillips Theological Seminary

Completed Seminary and Appointed as a Part-Time Local Pastor

Andrew Tevington (OCN)

d) Student local pastors (§18.3) from other annual conferences?

e) Students of other denominations serving as local pastors and enrolled in a school of theology listed by the University Senate (§18.4)?

f) Persons serving as local pastors while seeking readmission to conference membership (§§364.4, 365, 367.3)? (If not in this conference indicate name of conference where serving.)

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

Margaret Forthman, Diana Izquierdo, Philip Jones, ED Law, John May,
 Daniel Roberts, Nathan Smith

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

24. What ordained ministers 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.)

Eleazar Guillen (FE)	The Methodist Church of Mexico
Kiyong Jeong (FE)	SW Texas
Victor McCullough (FE)	Louisiana
Elijah W. Nagbe (FE)	Liberia
Ron Newhouse (FE)	Central Texas
J. Stephen Posey (FE)	S. Georgia

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.)

Claud G. Baltimore	Cumberland Presbyterian, Ordained
James W. Hilton	Congregational Methodist Church, Ordained
Sherron Hughes-Tremper	Evangelical Covenant, Ordained
Dennis Yates	Southern Baptist

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

- With vote (§586.4 [v])?
- Without vote (§§334.4, 344.4)? (v 2/3)
Henry F. Knight Tennessee

NOTE: If your conference has admitted or ordained persons as a courtesy to another conference, list these persons in Question 44 only. If persons have been admitted or ordained by another annual conference as a courtesy to your conference, list these persons in Questions 27-43, whichever are appropriate, giving the date and name of the accommodating conference.

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

- §420 [1992]
Marvin Stuckey
- §322 [2004]

28. Who are elected as probationary members? (under §§322, 324, 325)

- Probationary Deacons:
 - Under the provisions of §§ 324.4a, c? (v)
Julie Conrady, Tom Howard, and Harriette Kemp
 - Under the provisions of §324.5? (v)
- Probationary Elders:
 - Under the provisions of §§ 324.4a, b? (v)
Derrek Belase, Dennis Taud Boatman, Pam Cottrill, Elizabeth Horton, Kathy Morris, Wendi Neal, Rachel Parrott, Jennifer Pasco, and Mark Whitley
 - Under the provisions of §324.6? (v)
 - Under the provisions of §322.4? (v 3/4)

29. Who are elected as probationary members under the 1992 Discipline? (List alphabetically—see note preceding Question 27.)

- Under the provisions of §415 (1992)? (v)
- Under the provisions of §416.1 (1992)? (v 3/4)
- Under the provisions of §§416.2, 421 (1992)? (v 3/4)

30. Who are continued as probationary members, and in what year were they admitted to probationary membership (§326)?

- In preparation for ordination as a deacon? (PD) (§326.1)
Sharon Elizabeth Brooks Capron (2005), Gail Ann Edmison (2006), Philip Andrew Greenwald (2005), Erma Pregler (2005), Jeremy Lee Sanders (2006), Kristopher Ode Tate (2006), Rebekah Byrns Wallace Belase (2006)
- In preparation for ordination as an elder? (PE) (§326.2)
Becky Baxter-Crowell (2006), Barry Bennett (2006), Trina Ann Bose North (2005), Kyle Clark (2006), Karen Clewell (2006), Barry Collins (2006), Michelle Denise Coulter (2005), Bruce Davis (2006), William Christopher Dodson (2005), Brandon Dollarhite (2006), Michael Dye (2006),

Connie Jean Gibson (2005), Steve Harshaw (2006), Cynthia L. Havlick (2005), Scott Elliott Heusel (2004), Patricia Hoerth (2006), Deborah Ingraham (2006), Jeff Jaynes (2006), David Johnson (2006), Matthew Blake Judkins (2005), Kyle Winfield Kiner (2005), Amanda Lockwood (2006), William Long (2006), Claudia Lovelace (2006), Margaret Sue Lykins (2004), Nathan Mattox (2005), Michelle McCarty (2006), David Mingus (2006), Kirtley E. Moelling (2005), Chad Perceful (2006), Diana J. Pruitt (2005), Jerry Raab (2006), Carlos Ramirez (2006), Paul Reed (2006), Cynthia Robertson (2006), Randy Shrauner (2005), Jeremy D. Smith (2006), Tae Won Son (2005), Valerie Jones Steele (2006), Don Tabberer (2006), Sonja Tobey (2006), Fuxia Wang (2006), Kevin M. Watson (2005), Lisa Dawn Wiens (2005)

- c) Probationary deacons who became probationary elders? (Indicate year) None
- d) Probationary elders who became probationary deacons? (Indicate year) None
- e) Probationary members who transferred from other conferences or denominations? (¶347)

Philis Griffin (06/01/06) David Mercer (06/01/06) Jim Shepherd (06/01/04)

31. Who are continued as probationary members under the 1992 Discipline, what progress have they made in their ministerial studies, and in what year were they admitted to probationary membership (¶369.1; ¶¶417, 424 [1992]):

a) As students in approved schools of theology? (¶417(1) [1992])—Indicate for each person the number of years completed and the year admitted to probationary membership): None

b) In the advanced ministerial course of study? (¶417(2) [1992])—Indicate for each person the number of years completed and the year admitted to probationary membership): None

c) Following completion of their educational requirements? (¶424(1) [1992])—Indicate for each person the year admitted to probationary membership):

Young Ko (2006)

32. Who have been received from other Christian denominations (¶347.3): (List alphabetically—see note preceding Question 27):

- a) As probationary members (¶347.3a,b)? (v)(date received)

David Wheeler (PE) Church of the Nazarene 10/24/06

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

33. 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 34-35 or 37, unless the clergy's orders from another denomination were recognized on question 43 in a previous year.:**

- a) Deacons

Beverly Renee Alford Powell, Todd Miller Craig, and Donald Mark Vaught

- b) Elders

Lisa Renee Beavers, Glenda Kay Bean Buchanan, C. Allen Carson, Jr.,
Wendy Mae Lambert, Brian Lee Matthews, and Amy Venable

34. Who are elected for ordination as deacons in full connection: (List alphabetically—see note preceding Question 27)

- a) Under the transitional provisions for diaconal ministers (¶369.3)? (v 2/3) None
- b) After probationary membership (¶330)? (v 2/3) Beverly Renee Alford Powell, Todd Miller Craig, and Donald Mark Vaught
- c) Transfer from elder in full connection? (¶ 309.3) (v 2/3) None

35. Who are elected for ordination as elders?

- a) Under the transitional provisions for associate members (¶369.2)? (v 2/3) None

- b) After probationary membership under the 1996 Discipline (¶335)? (v 2/3) Lisa Renee Beavers, Glenda Kay Bean Buchanan, C. Allen Carson, Jr., Wendy Mae Lambert, Brian Lee Matthews, and Amy Venable

c) Transfer from deacon in full connection? (§ 309.3) (v 2/3)

36. Who have been elected and ordained deacons under the 1992 Discipline (§369.1; §434 [1992]): (v) (List alphabetically—see note preceding Question 27. Indicate by an asterisk the names of persons elected but not ordained.)

a) As associate members (§434.1 [1992])?

b) As probationary members (§434.2 [1992])?

37. Who have been elected and ordained elders **under the 1992 Discipline** (§369.1; §435 [1992]): (v) (List alphabetically—see note preceding Question 27. Indicate by an asterisk the names of persons elected but not ordained.)

a) As theological graduates (§435.1 [1992])?

b) As probationary members previously associate members (§435.2 [1992])?

38. What probationary members, previously discontinued, are readmitted (§363)? (v)

39. Who are readmitted (§§364–366 [v], §367 [v 2/3]):

a) As associate members?

b) As members in full connection?

40. Who are returned to the effective relationship after voluntary retirement (§359.7): (v)

a) As associate members?

b) As probationary members? (Indicate credential)

c) As members in full connection? (Indicate credential)

41. Who have been received by transfer from other annual conferences of The United Methodist Church (§§347.1, 416.5, 634.2m)? (List alphabetically. Indicate credential. See note preceding Question 27.)

Name	Conference	Date
Mary Beth Foye (FD)	Louisiana	06/01/07
Norma Gravely-Quinn (FE)	Central Texas	06/01/07
Don McAvoy (FD)	SW Texas	06/01/07
Mark Taylor (PE)	Mississippi	08/01/06

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

Name	Denomination	Date
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43. What clergy, coming from other Christian denominations, have had their orders recognized (§348): (v)

a) As deacons?

b) As elders?

44. 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 in full connection?

b) Elders in full connection?

c) Deacons under 1992 Discipline?

d) Elders under 1992 Discipline?

45. 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	Conference	Date
Stan Cosby	NW Texas	06/01/07

46. Who are discontinued as probationary members (§327.6)? (Indicate credential) (v).

47. Who are on location?

a) Who has been granted honorable location (§360.1) ? (Give date when this action became

effective. Record Charge Conference where membership is held. Indicate credential.):

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| (1) This year? (v) | |
| Bisby Wierick (FD)12/31/06 | First, Bartlesville |
| Brian Anderson (FD)06/01/07 | Goodrich, Norman |
| (2) Previously? | |
| Richard Ayers | Durant |
| Linda Brinkworth | St. Luke's, OKC |
| Joel R. Clay | Choctaw |
| Mark Davis | First, Alva |
| Woody Davis | Faith, North Canton, OH |
| Daniel C. Duncan | Asbury, OKC |
| Robert Gardenhire III | St. Luke's, OKC |
| Bob Gregory | St. Paul's, Shawnee |
| Anthony L. Howard | St. Luke's, OKC |
| Dennis Carlton Jones | Skiatook |
| David Lowry (AM) | Wright City |
| Nancy Mumma Salisbury | Abiding Harvest, Tulsa |
| Steve Spradling | First, Bixby |
| A. Vaughn Story | Asbury, Tulsa |
| Douglas E. Walker | Asbury, Tulsa |

b) Who on honorable location are appointed ad interim as local pastors? (§360.2) (Indicate date and appointment.)

c) Who has been placed on administrative location (§362.4c)? (Give date when this action became effective. Record Charge Conference where membership is held. Indicate credential.):

- (1) This year? (v)
(2) Previously?

48. Who have been granted the status of honorable location—retired (§360.3)? (Record Charge Conference where membership is held. Indicate credential.):

- a) This year? (v)
b) Previously?

M. Gerald Ball (St. Paul's, Shawnee)	Neil Baumwart (Nichols Hills, OKC)
J. Warren Boley	Bascom O. Doak (Cherokee)
Jerry Neal Fast (Weatherford)	Joe P. Foor
Leland Gardner Griffin, Jr. (St. Paul's, Musk)	Noel Aaron Mann (First, Ardmore)
Robert McMasters (Village, OKC)	Don Nelson (Centenary, Lawton)
Darrel R. Osborn (First, Broken Arrow)	A.W. Robinson (Centenary, Tulsa)
Gary Warman (Batavia, Batavia OH)	Ernest Wotring, Jr. (St. Luke's, OKC)

49. Who have had their status as honorably located and their orders terminated (§360.2)? (v) (Give date when this action became effective. Indicate credential.)

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

- a) By withdrawal to unite with another denomination (§361.1, .4)? (v)
b) By withdrawal from the ordained ministerial office (§361.2, .4)? (v)
Mackenzie Clow Harkins (PD) Darlene Ursula Branch Lichtenberger (PE)
Stacy Lee Miller (PE) Mark Taylor (PE)
c) By withdrawal under complaints or charges (§361.3, .4; 2719.2)? (v)
d) By termination of orders under recommendation of the Board of Ordained Ministry (§354.5)? (v)
e) By trial (§2713)? (v)

51. Who have been suspended under the provisions of §362.1c, §2704.2c or §2711.3? (Give effective dates. Indicate credential.)

Stacy Miller (12/05/06, PE)

52. Deceased (List alphabetically in the spaces provided)

a) What associate members have died during the year?

Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Lester L. Bottoms	10/04/1925	02/03/2007
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b) What probationary members have died during the year? (Indicate credential.)

Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Retired:

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

Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Paul D. Bowles	10/07/1942	06/27/2006
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Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Albert Peak	09/22/1918	06/03/2006
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W. Gordon Spencer	03/30/1921	08/25/2006
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Otto Elling	03/22/1913	12/02/2006
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John H. Kapp (HL)	03/25/1934	12/05/2006
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Marcus K. Barnett	08/13/1938	12/13/2006
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Horace M. Mudd	01/18/1911	12/26/2006
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C. Dene Brown	12/29/1935	01/29/2007
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John C. Stow	02/28/1927	01/29/2007
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Howard W. Roberts	07/21/1918	01/31/2007
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Richard Fox	07/26/1929	03/10/2007
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d) What deacons in full connection have died during the year?

Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Retired:

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

Active:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
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53. What probationary or ordained members have received appointments in other Annual Conferences of The United Methodist Church while retaining their membership in this Annual Conference (¶¶331.8, 346.1)? (List alphabetically; indicate annual conference where appointed. Indicate credential.)

Name	Conference	Date
Linda Baggett (AM)	Alaska Missionary	07/01/05
Trent Baggett (FE)	Alaska Missionary	07/01/05
Julie Conrady (PD)	New England	06/01/07
Glen Lee Biggs-Scribner (FD)	Central Texas	09/01/01
Lauren Kay Shock (FE)	Alaska Missionary	07/01/03
Jeremy Smith (PE)	New England	06/01/06
Richard Whetsell (FE)	Alaska Missionary	07/01/05

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

Name and Number of Years Charge Conference

a) Voluntary? (v; v 2/3 after 5 years)

Charles Rettig (FE) 1 First, OKC

Karen Styers (FD) 2 Putnam City, OKC

b) Involuntary? (v 2/3)

c) Who have been placed on leave of absence since the last session of the annual conference (ad interim)?:

* designates maternity/paternity leave

Name Effective Date Charge Conference

(1) Voluntary? (v)

Michael Dye 06/01/07

Darin McCarty 03/01/07 Owasso

Scott E. Heusel 04/01/07 Verdigris

*Glenda Skinner-Noble 04/23/07 Harrah

(2) Involuntary? (v 2/3)

d) Who on leave of absence have had their leaves terminated since the last session of the annual conference (ad interim)?

Name Effective Date

Mary Irby 11/29/06

Teresa Green 03/14/07

Charles Rettig 06/01/07

55. Who have been granted family leave, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation (§355)? (Indicate credential.) (v; v 2/3 after 5 years)

a) At this session of the annual conference (include names of persons listed in Question 55b, if their leaves are continuing)?

Name Effective Date

Dawna Dhaenens (FD) 06/01/07

b) Since the last session of the annual conference (ad interim)?

Name Effective Date

c) Who have had their family leave terminated since the last session of the annual conference (ad interim)?

Name Effective Date

56. Who are granted sabbatical leave (§352)? (v) (Give date when this relation became effective; indicate credential.)

Steve Brant (FE) 06/01/07

Cheryl Lynn Wofford Hill (FE) 06/01/07

57. What actions have been taken concerning disabled members (§358)? (Indicate credential.)

a) Who were granted incapacity leave since the last annual conference session (§358.2)? (Give effective dates)

Cynthia Schillinger (FE) (12/01/06)

b) Who have had their incapacity leave terminated since the last conference session (§358.3)? (Give effective dates of terminations):

Chester Phyffer 01/01/07

c) Who are granted incapacity leave at this session (§358.1)? (v)

Paulette Albright (FE) (06/01/06) Leon D. Crouch (LP) (11/01/1984)

Gary Lynn Graham (06/01/1980) Raymond E. McCartney (06/01/1994)

Ronald W. Miller (LP) (02/01/1986) James Moody (LP) (06/01/06)

Danny E. Paddack (AM) (12/01/1991) Cynthia Schillinger (FE) (12/01/06)

Laura Wolfe (FE) (09/01/02)

58. What deacons have been granted transitional leave (§357)? (v)

Teresa Green 02/01/07

59. What members in full connection have been retired (§359): (List alphabetically giving full name—first, middle, last—in that order. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (§359.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (**Under §359.1, no vote required; under §359.2, v; under §359.3, v 2/3**)

Deacons

a) This year?

LaVerne Short 06/01/07

b) Previously?

Virginia L. Gray, Mary Lou Martin-Hartung, Virginia N. Howl, Jan Lewis-Boyd, Sara Jacobson, Linda L. McFadden, Linda L. Muterspaugh, Elizabeth Box Price, Emma Richardson, Paul Overton, Wiley Walker, Marilyn Williams

Elders

a) This year?

Michael Asher 06/01/07

Doug Burr 06/01/07

John Crooch 01/01/07

Torrey Curtis 06/01/07

Jon Farris 06/01/07

Dan Frisby 06/01/07

Andrew M. Hall, Jr. 06/01/07

Gene Hunt 08/01/06

Tomisene Ingram 06/01/07

Wanda Murray 12/01/06

Norman Neaves 06/01/07

Roger Wood 06/01/07

b) Previously?

Jerry D. Abbott, Larry Acton, Eakle P. Allen, Jr., Jack Anderson, Jack Lee Atkinson, Henry Clay Ballard, James Robert Bartlett, Sr., Matthew David Bates, Lonzo F. Battles, Jr., Martin Stanley Beason, Larry G. Becker, Henry Bell, T. Theo Benson, William H. Bentley, Charles Willis Benton, Robert C. Bjorklund, Cecil LaVaughn Bolding, Boyce A. Bowdon, William Dean Bowles, Russell Edward Bracy, Judy Bradford, Herbert G. Bridgewater, Don Q. Brown, James Robert Bullock, Milburn R. Burrow, Jack Dean Burton, Richard C. Bush, Jr., James B. Buskirk, William R. Buttram, Steve D. Byrd, Donald Rea Calvert, M. Carl Cartwright, Jr., William R. Chace, O. Annette Clement, Alvin R. Cobb, Robert W. Cocks, Wayne W. Coffin, Victor Fouad Cohlmiya, Don Combs, Orra George Compton, Dwayne Conner, Foy Sims Conrad, W. Wayne Cook, Billy Howard Cooke, Charles Raymond Cooley, Burney C. Cope, Randy Crownover, Randy Crumley, L. Dean Cullop, J. C. Curry, Jr., Warren Danskin, Dwight D. Darrah, Jerry A. Darter, Joe A. Davis, William H. Davis, Durward Ocie Deaver, Robert A. DeMoss, Jerrie Dexter, Tolbert B. Dill, Robert E. Dotson, Clem H. Dozer, Joseph Preston Dulany, James Durham, Dale Dyer, Robert Edde, Jr., Justus H. Edmondson, Dan Eischen, Phillip D. Erwin, Phil Fenn, John H. Foster, John Gable, Jr., Vancel Wayne Garoutte, Charles H. Germany, Richard E. Gibbens, Connell Ghormley, James Gragg, Kerney F. Graham, Jr., Raymond Griffin, Donald Joseph Groves, Argus J. Hamilton, Jr., William Eugene Hancock, Charles W. Hanna, James W. Hardwick, Elson P. Hargrove, Paul D. Hardy, Leon Harrel, Nicholas E. Harris, Wilbur Frank Hathaway, Jr. Barbara Le Hays, J. A. Hazlitt, Robert E. Healey, Joe W. Heaton, Richard C. Hedger, William R. Henry, Charles M. Herndon, Hardie Higgins, William Jake Higgins, Robert Harvey Hill, Harold E. Himes, Joe L. Hock, Olaf Hoggard, Harold A. Honnold, Denny G. Hook, Donald C. Horton, Kenneth W. Howard, Donald Hull, George Vernon Isbell, Gale IZard, Frank Jaap, Larry Jacobson, Don T. Johnson, Montie

D. Jones, Phillip Lee Jones, John Horace Keefe, Kenneth D. Killion, Wesley Robert Kimball, Jack R. King, Jr., Beryl L. Kingsbury, Virginia Kingsolver, Thomas F. Kirby, Fred C. Knight, Brian Kovacs, Harold Joseph Langley, Jr., Guy O. Langston, Robert E. Langston, Vernon E. Lawrence, Paul M. Leaming, Lawrence Gerald Lee, Wishard F. Lemons, Jr., Harold D. Leveridge, Jack Eugene Lyons, Calvin C. McCarter, C. Woody McClendon, J. Quitman McCrory, Grady Pink McCullough, Arthur R. McGrew, Richard B. McInay, Alan McIntyre, Burrel J. McNaught, Douglas D. McPherson, Robert Majors, Robert Mansfield, Homer Martin, Jr., Bobby Wayne Mash, William Cameron Mason, Bennie U. Mathews, Richard Mauldin, Glen E. Millard, Donald Farron Miller, George Dean Miller, Glen O. Miller, Walter Jene Miller, W. L. Milner, J. Frank Mitchell, A. Eldon Moelling, Joe Molencupp, Robert H. Moody, William B. Moorer, Robert Blair Montgomery, John B. Morgan, Michael M. Morgan, Billy Joe Moss, George L. Needham, Marvin D. Nelson, Marion Ray Nesmith, Mike S. Nicholson, Don Nobles, Billie Joe Norman, Tom Oden, Russell E. Owen, Paul Overholt, George Samuel Palmer, David E. Parker, Jr., Wayne B. Parker, L. Ralph Patterson, Jerry W. Perryman, James W. Phares, Robert Pierson, Roy E. Pike, Carl G. Plischke, Howard L. Plowman, Marvin M. Polson, Don C. Price, John R. Price, Charles D. Puckett, Virgil Troy Pults, Merle B. Pulver, V. Clinton Purtell, Arthur Radabaugh, Harold W. Reynolds, Charles H. Richardson, Duane F. Roeber, Roy Clifford Rowland, Larry Sachau, David Sanders, Charles Leon Sapp, Charles D. Saviers, Donald Scott, David Severe, James C. Shields, James E. Shock, Golden V. Shook, Arnold L. Short, Elbert L. Shumaker, Arden J. Smith, Irving L. Smith, William A. Smith, Verlyn R. Snell, James Clifton Sprouls, Garland Boyd Spurgin, William A. Stacy, Bill L. Steele, Charles Stewart, Joe F. Stewart, Fredrick E. Still, Willett Wilson Story, Jr., Ray B. Stratton, John R. Stuckey, Helen Taylor, James C. Taylor, Bonner Earl Teeter, John Lee Terneus, David W. Thomas, H. Leroy Thompson, Leslie Paul Thompson, Jr., MacKenzie C. Thompson, Tim Thurston, Kenneth L. Tobler, Robert O. Tupper, Jarrell Tyson, Robert W. Van House, Randy Van Nostrand, Phil Wahl, Jerald Walker, Charles P. Wallace, Rayford Leon Wallace, Donald C. Waters, Charles Watson, Ronal Weathers, Richard Leon Wehrman, John B. Welch, Charles E. Wells, Lowrie Welton, William Anderson Wenker, Norton E. Wey, James C. Wheeler, James Troy White, Joe H. White, John Fianis Whittington, Rex Wilkes, Oscar I. Wilkie, Donald Paul Williams, J. Weegie Williams, Hugh Willoby, James A. Wilshire, Jessie Lee Willsie, John H. Winkler, Jr., Neil Winslow, Udell H. Wolff, Kent William Wood, D. Dean Wynn.

60. What associate members have been retired (§359): (List alphabetically giving full name—first, middle, last—in that order. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (§359.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (**Under ¶359.1, no vote required; under ¶359.2, v; under ¶359.3, v 2/3**)

- a) This year?
- b) Previously?

Robert Barr, Leo V. Culver, John DeYong, Denis H. Dieker, Douglas A. Griggs, James W. Hanes, Reva M. Hensley, L. Neal Kennedy, Don A. Martin, Gary Moody, Ralph Dale Radcliff, David Bruce Smith, Betty C. Stone, Gene Teel, Leonard T. Tolle, Forrest A. Wilkins, Homer R. Williams, O. Edward Williams

61. What probationary members have been retired (§359): (Indicate credential. If retiring in the interim between conference sessions (§359.2d), indicate the effective date of retirement.) (**Under ¶359.1, no vote required; under ¶359.2, v; under ¶359.3, v 2/3**)

- a) This year?
- b) Previously?

Larry Stoops

62. Who have been recognized as retired local pastors (§320.5):

- a) This year?

Chester Phyffer	01/01/07
Jim A. Adams	06/01/07
Elsie Mitchell	06/01/07

b) Previously?

Joseph B. Albrecht, Sara Sally Barber, Richard Benefield, Ray Blakely, Milton O. Carlin, John Doyal Chand (OD), Carl T. Cochran, Jr., John Cramer, Charles E. Dozer, Edward L. Eastwood, Daniel Eppler, John Ferguson, Juanita Fletcher, William Forrest, Gwenda Gay Freeman, Faye Good, Bruce Govett, Jr., Clinton W. Heusel, Gerald E. Holden, Orval Ray Howard, Elbert C. Johnson, Beatrice Kilborn, Jessie Lourine Leonard, Royce Littrell, Clint G. Livingston, Galeda M. Mannschreck Jones, Reed Montgomery, Joe Milton Murphy, Charles Lenn Murray, Randa Norman, Douglas Norris, James Ogden, R.T. Perry, William S. Pirtle (OD), William B. Post (OD), Harwood Slate Rowe, Kay Sallee, Jack D. Simmons, Mary Sue Sprouse, Dale Sullivan, Arch J. Taylor, Bennie Waller, Conrad Young.

63. Changes in clergy membership: What is the number of ordained ministers: (NOTE: The numbers in parenthesis following each category listing are the question numbers in this report form where ministers in that category are listed. The number reported below should agree with the number of names listed in the corresponding questions.)

- a) Elected as associate members? (27)..... 1
- b) Elected as probationary members? (28a, b; 29a, b, c) 12
- c) Elected as deacons in full connection? (33a) 3
- d) Elected as elders in full connection? (33b) 6
- e) Readmitted? (38, 39a, b) 0
- f) Retired made effective? (40a, b, c) 0
- g) Transferred in? (32a, 41, 42) 5
- h) Transferred out? (45) 1
- i) Discontinued as probationary members? (46) 0
- j) Honorably located this year? (47a1) 2
- k) Administratively located this year? (47b1)..... 0
- l) Withdrawn? (50a, b, c) 4
- m) Termination of orders? (50d) 0
- n) Terminated by trial? (50e) 0
- o) Deceased? (52a, b, c) 12

64. What is the number of:

- a) Pastoral charges? 437
- b) Local churches? 539

65. 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, please report as follows:

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

¶344.1b, c): 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.

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

Categories	Deacons in Full Connection	Elders in Full Connection	Probationary Deacons	Probationary Elders	Associate Members & Affiliate Members	Full-time Local Pastors	Part-time Local Pastors
Pastors and Deacons whose primary appointment is to a Local Church (323.1c, 339)	20	243	6	53	6	62	44
Deacons (in full connection and probationary) serving Beyond the Local Church (321.1a,b) (87)	10	X	2	X	X	X	X
Appointments to Extension Ministries (316.1, 344.1a,c) (88a)	X	25	X	1	0	3	0
Appointments to Extension Ministries (316.1; 344.1b,c) (88b)	X	5	X	0	0	0	0
Appointments to Extension Ministries (316.1; 344.1b,c) (88c)	X	5	X	0	0	0	0
Appointments to Attend School (89)	0	0	0	0	0	X	X
Appointed to Other Annual Conference (53)	1	4	1	1	1	X	X
On Leave of Absence (54a, 54b)	1	1	0	0	0	X	X
On Family Leave (55a)	1	0	0	0	0	X	X
On Sabbatical Leave (56)	0	2	0	0	0	X	X
On Incapacity Leave (57c)	0	5	0	0	1	X	X
Deacons on Transitional Leave (58)	0	X	0	X	X	X	X
Retired (59, 60, 61)	13	274	0	1	18	X	X
Total Number of Clergy Members	46	564	9	56	26	65	44
Grand Total, All Conference Clergy Members	810						

- b) By gender and racial/ethnic identification? (NOTE: See the instruction for item 65 for guidelines to assist in the racial/ethnic identification count.)

Categories	Deacons in Full Connection	Elders in Full Connection	Probationary Deacons	Probationary Elders	Associate Members & Affiliate Members	Full-time Local Pastors	Part-time Local Pastors
Female	31	66	5	24	4	19	13
Male	15	498	4	32	22	46	31
Total Number Clergy Members*	46	564	9	56	26	65	44
Grand Total, All Conference Clergy Members*	810						
Asian	0	4	0	2	0	0	1
African America/Black	0	6	1	1	0	1	1
Hispanic	0	6	0	2	0	2	0
Native American	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Pacific Islander	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
White	45	540	6	50	25	61	41
Multi-Racial	0	3	2	1	1	1	1
Total Number Clergy Members*	46	564	9	56	26	65	44
Grand Total, All Conference Clergy Members*	810						

* (The totals entered in these spaces should agree with the comparable totals in the bottom two lines of question 65a).

PART III CERTIFICATION IN SPECIALIZED MINISTRY

(¶634.2t, *The Book of Discipline*)

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

66. Who are the candidates in process for certification in specialized ministry?

Tim Bodenstein (Lay), Edward Davis (Lay), Lori Foster (Lay), William Harrison (Lay), Becky Jackson (Lay), Patrick Jackson (Lay), Amy Muegge (Lay), Suzy Sharp Morgan (Lay), Kathy Morris (Lay), Diana Northcutt (FE), Amy Oden (Lay), Jon-Philip Olson (Lay), Cynthia Smith (Lay), Hae Jung (Grace) Um (Lay), Kimberly Van Gundy (Lay), Joe Taylor, Jr. (Lay), Greg Tener (FE), Leslie Long (FE), and Christian Wylder (Lay)

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

Indicate by an asterisk those certified this year.)

Christian Education: Marsha Gail Alexander (FD), Warren D. Ambrose (FD), Eva Marie Campbell (FD), Kathryn J. Coit (FD), Suzanne Lynch Davis (FD), Mary Lue Eastmond (FD), Donald Emler (FE), Kathleen Frye (Lay), Teri Green (PD), Leslie Long (FE), Rebecca Morton (FD), Diana Anderson Northcutt (FE), Dana Jean Hodge Parker (Lay), George Shepherd (FD), Karen Sledge (Lay), Kristi Swink (FD), Charlotte Teel (FD), Suzann Statham Wade (Lay), Bisby Wierick, III (FD), and *Sharon Capron (PD)

Music: Janet Boone (Lay), Steven Wayne Clark (Lay), Donna Jean Dodson (FE), P. David Roman (FD), David Stewart (FE), Charlotte Teel (FD)

Youth: Warren D. Ambrose (FD), Mary Lue Eastmond (FD), Mary Ann Emmons (FD), Thomas K. Hoffman (FE), Randy McCurdy (Lay), Diana Anderson Northcutt (FE), Richard D. Read (FD)

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

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

70. Who have been removed as a certified person in specialized ministry? None

PART IV DIACONAL MINISTERS

(Paragraph numbers in questions 71–82 refer to *The 1992 Book of Discipline*)

71. Who constitute the Committee on Investigation (¶2625.4)? (v)

Virginia Gray and Elizabeth Box Price

72. Who are the candidates for diaconal ministry (¶304–305)? None

73. Who are consecrated this year as diaconal ministers (¶307)? (v) (List alphabetically):
None

74. Who are reinstated as diaconal ministers (¶313.3c)? (v) None

75. Who are transferred in as diaconal ministers (¶312)? None

Name	Conference	Date

76. Who are transferred out as diaconal ministers (¶312)? None

Name	Conference	Date

77. 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)

78. What diaconal ministers have died during the year?

a) Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death

b) Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death

79. What diaconal ministers have been granted leaves of absence under ¶313.1a, c, d) (disability, study/sabbatical, or personal leave): (v)

a) Since the last session of the Annual Conference? (Give effective date of each):

b) At this session of the Annual Conference? (Include names of persons listed in Question 79a, if their leaves of absence are continuing):

80. What diaconal ministers have been granted an extended leave (§313.1e):
- Since the last session of the Annual Conference? (Give effective date of each):
 - At this session of the Annual Conference? (Include names of persons listed in Question 79a, if their leaves of absence are continuing):

Kathleen Frye 06/01/06

81. Who have returned to active status:
- From disability, study/sabbatical, or personal leave of absence (§313.1a, c, d)?
 - From extended leave (§313.1e)? (v)

Phyllis Ford 06/01/07

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

- This year?
- Previously?

Mary Becker, Fern Cassel, Paul Chambers, Doris Fair, Peggy Patrick Fox, Gail Dunskey, K. Norwood Hawkins, IvaMay Holloway, Bonnie Miller, Kathleen Stephenson Pierson, Bruce Stevens, Randall Thompson

PART V APPOINTMENTS AND CONCLUDING BUSINESS

83. Who are approved for less than full-time service?
- What associate members, elders and probationary members (1992) are approved for appointment to less than full-time service, what is the total number of years for which such approval has been granted to each, and for what fraction of full-time service (in one-quarter increments) is approval granted (for purposes of equitable compensation claim and pension credit) (§338.2, 342.2, 1506.4b)? (v ¾):

Roy Betz (13 yrs.)	½ time
Dick Bland (22 yrs.)	½ time
Mary Irby (1 yr.)	½ time
Ernest Jackson (3 yrs.)	½ time
David Rose (2 yr.)	¾ time
Paul Vickery (13 yrs.)	½ time

- What deacons in full connection and probationary deacons are approved for less than full-time service (§331.7)?

Kathy Coit	½ time
Trinnette Smith	¼ time
Jack Terrell-Wilkes	¾ time

84. 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?

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

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
06/01/06	Judith Banya	Asbury Tulsa Assoc.	Asbury Assoc./Tulsa Mission Intrpt.
06/01/06	Dianna Izquierdo	Commerce/Picher/Quapaw (SY)	Commerce/Picher/Quapaw (FTLP)
06/06/06	Phillip Jones	Kellyville (FTLP)	Discontinued
06/06/06	Charles Hanna	Retired	Kellyville (SY)
06/30/06	Burt Todd	Wann (SY)	Wann (PTLP)
06/30/06	Furan Jackson	Big Cabin (SY)	Big Cabin (PTLP)
07/01/06	Wendi Neal	Mc. Wesley/Savanna (SY)	Mc. Wesley/Savanna (PTLP)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
07/01/06	James Jeffcoat	1st, Tulsa, Asstc.	Hunting College, Ala-WFla Conf
07/01/06	Karen Slater	Geary (SY)	Geary (FTLP)
07/01/06	Sherry Kendrick	Wilson (SY)	Wilson (PRLP)
07/01/06	Tara Foos	Prairie Chapel (SY)	Prairie Chapel (PTLP)
07/01/06	Susan Whitley	Drummond (SY)	Drummond (FTLP)
07/01/06	Stephen Littrell	Hulen (SY)	Hulen (FTLP)
07/01/06	Herlinda Aleman	Wesley, Lawton (SY)	Wesley, Lawton (PTLP)
07/01/06	Steve Davis	St. John's, OKC (SY)	St. John's, OKC (FTLP)
07/01/06	Jeff Ralston	Sharon/Mutual (SY)	Sharon/Mutual (FTLP)
07/09/06	Burt Todd	Wann (PTLP)	Copan/Wann (PTLP)
07/15/06	Robert Pierson	Retired	Bartlesville 1st, (SY)
08/01/06	William Welch, II	West Tulsa (SY)	West Tulsa (PTLP)
08/01/06	Patricia Harris	No appointment	Chouteau/Bryan Chapel (PTLP)
08/01/06	Lamarla Cook	New	Clark, OKC (PTLP)
08/01/06	Reed Montgomery	Retired	Linwood, OKC (SY)
08/01/06	Mark Taylor	Mississippi Conf.	NSU Wesley Foundation (PE)
08/09/06	Nathan Smith	LP-no appointment	Discontinued
08/15/06	Daniel Llanos	Nueva Esperanza (SY)	Nueva Esperanza, Tulsa (FTLP)
08/15/06	Stephen Hale	St. Pauls, Lawton	Bahamas Conf. of the Methodist Church
09/01/06	Terry Koehn	Marlow	St. Paul's, Lawton
09/01/06	Stacy Miller	Bartlesville 1st, Asstc.	Marlow
09/01/06	Martin Barnes	Tuttle	US Air Force Chaplain (FE)
09/01/06	Jan Lewis Boyd	Exodus House	Retired
09/15/06	Scott Heusel	New Horizon/Quinlan	Tuttle
10/01/06	Ernest Jackson, Jr.	Shalom Zone	Christ, OKC
10/19/06	E D Law	Hobart (FTLP)	Discontinued
10/24/06	Ray Blakely	Retired	New Horizon/Quinlan (SY)
11/01/06	Micah Welcher	Colbert (SY)	Colbert (PTLP)
11/29/06	Mary Irby	LOA	Norman Reg. Hosp. Chaplain
12/01/06	Cynthia Schillinger	Wickline, Asstc.	Incapacity leave
12/01/06	Paul McDowell	St. Paul's, Duncan	Hydro
12/05/06	John DeYoung	Retired (AM)	Marlow (SY)
12/05/06	Stacy Miller	Marlow (PE)	Suspended
12/15/06	Erick Puente	Mission Del Norte, OKC (FTLP)	No appointment
12/15/06	James Lester	Talihina (SY)	Resigned
12/31/06	Daniel Roberts	Nowata (FTLP)	Discontinued
12/31/06	Margaret Forthman	Rush Springs (FTLP)	Discontinued
12/31/06	Buz Wierick	Bartlesville, 1st	Honorable Location
01/01/07	Thomas Corrigan	Hunter	New Horizon/Quinlan (FTLP)
01/01/07	Jennifer Pasco	Wagoner, Asstc. (SLP)	Wagoner, Asstc. (FTLP)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
01/01/07	Laura Deerwester	Friendship/Pocasset (PTLP)	No appointment
01/01/07	Mike Winchell	New	Pocasset/Friendship (PTLP)
01/01/07	Horace Martin	Bowman, Purcell (PTLP)	No appointment
01/01/07	Joyce Wells	New	Arnett (PTLP)
01/01/07	Ray Blakley	New Horizon/Quinlan (SY)	Retired
01/01/07	Daniel Fletcher	Valiant/Wright City	St. Paul, Duncan/Rush Springs
01/01/07	Oscar Wilkie	Retired	Valliant/Wright City
01/01/07	Duane Baker	Healdton/Loco	Horizon Communities Prison, Holdenville
01/01/07	Mary Gaudreau	Disaster Response	UMCOR Field Staff Consultant
01/01/07	Carolyn Higdon	New	Courtney (SY)
01/01/07	Barry Collins	Wilburton/ United Campus Ministry /OIMC Campus Minsitry	Wilburton/United Campus Ministry
01/01/07	Scott Keneda	Wesley, OKC	Candler School of Theology
01/14/07	Jim Perkin	Boys Ranch	Nowata (FTLP)
01/15/07	Jim Hilton	Lone Wolf (SY)	Lone Wolf (FTLP)
02/01/07	Adonna Bridges	New	Gracemont (SY)
02/01/07	Jaime Espinoza	New	Hillcrest/Fuente de Vida, OKC (PTLP)
02/01/07	Virgil Payne	Alfalfa/Gracemont	Eakly/Alfalfa
02/01/07	Teresa Green	CJAMM	Transitional leave
02/11/07	Steven Littrell	Hulen (PTLP)	Garber/Hunter (FTLP)
02/15/07	Roland Barrick	Calera (SY)	Calera (PTLP)
02/18/07	Daniel Eppler	Retired-LP	Hulen (SY)
02/25/07	James Redden	Afton (SY)	No longer serving-church closed
03/01/07	Daniel Dennison	New	OU Wesley Foundation Associate (FTLP)
03/01/07	Darin McCarty	Sapulpa	LOA
03/01/07	Joel Thompson	New	Healdton/Loco (SY)
03/10/07	Stacy Miller	Suspension	Withdrawn
03/15/07	Kurt Glasco	Harvard Ave, Tulsa (SY)	Harvard Ave, Tulsa (PTLP)
04/01/07	Teresa Green	Transitional leave	KAT Long-Term Recovery Specialist
04/01/07	Diana Izquierdo	Commerce/Picher/Quapaw	Discontinued
04/01/07	Nathan Mills	New	Bethel/Hulen (SY)
04/01/07	Timothy Wicker	Bethel, Lawton (SY)	Talihina (SY)
04/01/07	Scott Heusel	Tuttle	LOA
04/01/07	Dan Rider	Colbert (SY)	Discontinued
04/06/07	Allen Mitchell	Agra/Ripley (SY)	No longer serving
04/23/07	Glenda Skinner-Noble	Harrah	LOA
05/01/07	Debra Hobson	Kremlin (SY)	Kremlin (PTLP)
05/01/07	Jim Harvey	Billings (SY)	Billings (PTLP)

86. Who are appointed to ministry to the local church and where are they appointed for the ensuing year? (Attach a list. Include: elders, deacons, associate members, local pastors, and probationary members.)

Refer to appointments in the 2007 Journal

87. What deacons in full connection are appointed beyond the local church for the ensuing year (§331.1a, b)? (Attach a list. Include: deacons in full connection and probationary.)

Refer to appointments in the 2007 Journal

88. Who are appointed to extension ministries for the ensuing year? (Attach a list. Include: elders, probationary members, associate members and local pastors.)

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

Scott Keneda Candler School of Theology, Director of Development 01/01/07

Refer to appointments in the 2007 Journal

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

Refer to appointments in the 2007 Journal

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

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89. Who are appointed to attend school (§416.6)? (List alphabetically all those whose prime appointment is to attend school.)

Associate Members:

Probationary Members:

Members in Full Connection:

90. Where are the diaconal ministers appointed for the ensuing year (§310) [1992 Discipline]? (Attach list)

Refer to appointments in the 2007 Journal

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

Pension Credit

A. A grant of seventeen (17) years times the annuity rate for surviving spouses for **Geraldine Egan**, the surviving spouse of **James Albert Egan**, for the years of pension credit which he earned between 6/04/50 and 5/25/67.

B. A grant of twenty (20) years times the annuity rate for the surviving spouses for **Joy Viers**, the surviving spouse of **Robert C. Viers, Jr.**, for the years of pension credit which he earned between 6/08/47 through 5/25/67. less 10% of the annuity to go toward the indebtedness of the Special Assessment for Conference Claimants.

C. Recognize action of the 1982 Annual Conference to change status for **Deloris Stoda-Click** to Full-Time Local Pastor for her service from 06/01/82 through 12/31/82.

D. Add 3.5 years of service for **Frankye Anthea Johnson**, which she earned between 01/01/92 through 05/31/95.

Corrections to the 2006 Business of the Annual Conference Report

Question 19a Add to Bartlesville District Michael Callahan

Question 22 Add Gary Shryock 06/01/06

Question 30b Omit Jim Shepherd

Question 30e Add Jim Shepherd

Question 32 Add Philis Griffin 06/01/06

Question 42 Add Philis Griffin

Question 57a Add Chester Phyffer (LP) 06/01/06

Question 59b Elders Add Homer Martin, Jr.

92. Where and when shall the next Conference Session be held (§603.2, 3)?