



2020 Virtual Annual Conference Nominations Report



Michigan Conference

The United Methodist Church

NOMINATIONS REPORT

for the

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Nominations Effective September 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021
(Year elected in parenthesis following name)

**The Annual Conference Granted the Nominations Committee to Fill Vacancies Between Annual Conferences.
July 27, 2020**

AGENCIES RELATING TO CHRIST-CENTERED MISSION AND MINISTRY

Annual Conference Session, Commission on the (1.1)

Eight voting members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations, in consultation with the Executive Team, who shall be either Clergy Members of the Annual Conference or Lay People who are members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable twice, in annually staggered classes.

Commission shall elect from among its membership the following:

Chairperson: **Rev. David Eardley**
Vice Chairperson: Rev. Marsha Woolley
Head Usher: Mara Marsman
Worship Coordinator: Rev. Marsha Woolley

The Conference Secretary, Rev. Joy Barrett, shall serve as the Secretary of the Commission.
Annual Conference Coordinator/Events Planner: Nancy Arnold

<u>Class</u>	<u>Lay People</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Mara Marsman (2018)	Anna Moon (2018)
2022	Don Archambeau (2018)	David Eardley, Chairperson (2018)
2023	Lisa Poy (2020)	Marsha Woolley (2018)
2024	Elizabeth "Liz" Carr (2020)	Leslee Fritz (2018)

Executive Committee: Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), Clergy Assistant to the Bishop (Rev. John Boley), Chairperson (**Rev. David Eardley**), Worship Coordinator (Rev. Marsha Woolley), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler), Legislative Coordinator (Diane Brown), Director of Communications (Mark Doyal), Conference Secretary (Rev. Joy Barrett), Annual Conference Coordinator/Events Planner (Nancy Arnold).

Ex officio with vote: Resident Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard) or representative, Conference Lay Leader (**Annette Erbes**) or Representative, Conference Secretary (Rev. Joy Barrett), Chair of the Committee on Rules (Todd Price), District Superintendent designated by the Cabinet (Rev. Jodie Flessner), Legislative Coordinator (Diane Brown), Conference Facilitator (**Jennifer "Jen" Peters**), A Representative of the Board of Ordained Ministry (Rev. Lynn Hasley).

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler), Director of Communications (Mark Doyal).

Given voice, per Commission Action: Annual Conference Registrar (Sarah Vollmer).

Communications, Commission on (1.2)

Four persons who shall be Clergy Members or Local Pastors of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations, in consultation with the Director of Communications.

The Conference Director of Communications (Mark Doyal) shall chair the commission.

Communications, Commission on (1.2) – Continued

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2022	Clayton Hardiman (2018)	Victoria “Vicky” Prewitt (2018)
2023	Oneika Mobley (2018)	
2024		Dillon Burns (2018)

Ex officio with vote: Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), or Clergy Assistant to the Bishop (Rev. John Boley), at the Bishop’s discretion, Conference Lay Leader (**Annette Erbes**), Board Members of UM Communications residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference.

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Senior Editor of Conference Communications (Rev. Mariel “Kay” DeMoss), IT Specialist (Rev. Michael Mayo-Moyle) or representative, Conference Director of Communications (Mark Doyal), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler).

Journal, Committee on the (1.3)

Four people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or
Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

The Conference Secretary shall serve as Chairperson and Secretary: Rev. Joy Barrett

The committee shall elect from among its members a Vice Chairperson: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Blair Hunt (2018)	
2022	Beth Snyder (2018)	
2023	_____	
2024	Mandana Nordbrock (2018)	

Ex officio with vote: Conference Secretary (Rev. Joy Barrett).

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Conference Director of Communications (Mark Doyal).

Provided for Information Only: Journal Design Team – Rev. Joy Barrett, Sus’ann Busley, Conf Treasurer, Mark Doyal, **Pamela Stewart**, Rev. Wilson “Drew” Hart, Rev. Benton Heisler, Katherine Hippensteel, Mandana Nordbrock, Beth Snyder

Provided for Information Only: Annual Conference Secretarial Support – Rev. Kathryn “Kathy” Cadarette, Pastor Carol (Abbott) Freeland, Rev. Wilson “Drew” Hart, Blair Hunt, Pastor Cheryl Mancier, Mandana Nordbrock, Beth Snyder, Pastor Crystal Thomas

Justice, Board of (1.4)

Chairperson: Rev. George Covintree (2018)

(Chairperson of the Board is an additional member, chosen by Committee on Nominations)

Vice Chairperson: _____

(Convener shall serve as Vice Chairperson of the Board, chosen by the conveners)

Each Division shall elect a Convener.

Church and Society, Division of (1.4.3.1)

Four people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or
Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener shall be elected among the members: Pastor Albert Rush

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Clarice McKenzie (2018)	
2022		Albert Rush (2018)
2023	Joan Bosserd-Schroeder (2018)	
2024		Corey Simon (2018)

New Members in Bold

Church and Society, Division of (1.4.3.1) – Continued

Ex officio with vote: Mission Coordinator for Social Action of the Conference United Methodist Women (Alice Tucker), any Member of the General Board of Church and Society residing in the bounds of the Annual Conference (Rev. Paul Perez), the Conference Peace with Justice Coordinator, who shall be named by the Division of Church and Society and shall serve at the division's pleasure for up to eight years.

Religion and Race, Division on (1.4.3.2)

Two Clergy Members of the Annual Conference. Two Laymen who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference. Two Laywomen who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener shall be elected among the members: Ernestine "Tina" Campbell and Rev. Scott Manning

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Ernestine "Tina" Campbell (2018)	
2022	Kenneth "Ken" Dowell (2018)	Scott Manning (2018)
2023	Hoon-Yung Hopgood (2018)	Ronald "Todd" Williamson (2020)
2024	Linda Darrow (2020)	

Ex officio with vote: Any member of the General Commission on Religion and Race residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference.

Status and Role of Women, Division on the (1.4.3.3)

Two Clergy Women who shall be members of the Annual Conference. A Clergyman who shall be a member of the Annual Conference. Three Laymen who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference. Three Laywomen who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener shall be elected among the members and shall be a woman: Patricia Bostic

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laywomen (3)</u>	<u>Laymen (3)</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Patricia Bostic (2018)	_____	Eric Stone (2018) Carol Blair Bouse (2018) Kristine "Kristy" Hintz (2018)
2022	Mary Blashill (2018)	_____	
2023	_____	_____	
2024			

Ex officio with vote: Any member of the General Commission on the Status and Role of Women residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference.

Disability Concerns, Division on (1.4.3.4)

Four people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

At least one member of the division shall have a physical disability.

At least one member of the division shall have a mental disability.

Convener shall be elected among the members: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021		Amee Paparella (2018)
2022		Frederick Sampson (2018)
2023		Ellen Brubaker (2018)
2024	Greg Hicok (2020)	

Global Ministries, Board of (1.5)

Twelve people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes
 Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Board will elect from its members the following:

Chairperson: Brenda DuPree
 Secretary: Rev. Julie Elmore
 Vice Chairperson: **Rev. Julie Liske**
 Financial Secretary: Charles “Chuck” Woolley

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2022	Brenda DuPree (2018) Mildred Mallard (2018)	Julie Elmore (2018)
2023	Charles “Chuck” Woolley (2018) Laurie Kaufman delaGarza (2019) Ava Williams Euper (2019)	_____
2024	Taylorie Bailey (2020)	Julie Liske (2018)

Ex officio with vote: Mission Coordinator for Education and Interpretation of the Conference United Methodist Women (Michele Weston), the Conference Secretary of Global Ministries, who shall be appointed by the Board and shall serve at its pleasure for up to eight years (**Julie Elmore**), Conference Disaster Response Coordinator (Dan O’Malley) selected by the Board of Global Ministries, Any Member of the General Board of Global Ministries (GBGM) residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference, Conference VIM Coordinator (Jody Pratt), District Superintendent (**Rev. John Kasper**).

Given voice, per Board of Global Ministries: Liberia Ministry Partnership (Rev. Jon Reynolds), Haiti Ministry Partnership (Rev. Karl Zeigler), Mission Intern Chairperson (Alex Plum), Conference Staff Liaisons (Pastor Lisa Batten, Nancy Money, and Rev. Paul Perez). Mission Personnel: Church and Community Worker (Randy Hildebrant), Global Mission Fellows/US-2s (Emily Burns, Lauren Norton, Kathryn Sappington, Jinnia Sirronen, Asti White, Nathan Whitford, Samantha Whitford, Yeo Jin Erika Yung)

Archives and History, Commission on (1.6)

Four Clergy Members of the Annual Conference.
 Four Lay Persons who shall be Professing Members of a church within the Annual Conference.
 Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations
 Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes

Commission will elect from its members the following:

Chairperson: Mary Whitman
 Secretary: _____
 Vice Chairperson: _____
 Treasurer: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020	Brian Lightner (2019)	William “Tom” T. Robinson (2018)
2021	William “Bill” McNitt (2018)	Melanie Young (2018)
2022	Mary Whitman (2018)	John Ross Thompson (2018)
2023	Kenneth Gackler (2018)	_____
2024		

Ex officio with voice and vote: The Archivists of the Conference Archives: Adrian College (Rebecca McNitt), Albion College (**Elizabeth Palmer**), President of the Michigan Area UMC Historical Society (Diana Spitnale Miller), Members of the General Commission on Archives and History (Diana Spitnale Miller, Linda Schramm).

AGENCIES RELATING TO BOLD AND EFFECTIVE LEADERS

Conference Leadership Council (2.1)

Four Clergy Members of the Annual Conference, at least one of whom shall be
a member of the Board of Ordained Ministry.

Five Lay People who are Professing Members of a congregation within the Annual Conference.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Members shall serve three-year terms, renewable thrice, in annually staggered classes.

In consultation with the Bishop, the Council shall elect from its voting members:

President: Rev. Amy Mayo-Moyle

Vice President: _____

Secretary: _____

Class

Laity

Clergy

2021

Carmen Zeigler (2018)

Eric Mulanda (2018)

2022

Judith "Judy" Coffey (2019)

Darryl Totty (2018)

Megan Walther, BOM Rep (2019)

2023

Sung Yu (2018)

Amy Mayo-Moyle (2018)

Katya Falker (2020)

Ex officio with voice and vote: Conference Lay Leader (**Annette Erbes**), President of the Council on Finance and Administration (Rev. Bradley "Brad" Bartelmay), a representative of the Division on Religion and Race of the Board of Justice (Ernestine "Tina" Campbell), Any member of the Connectional Table residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference (Rev. Kennetha Bigham-Tsai and Rev. Dr. Jerome "Jerry" DeVine)

Ex officio with voice only: Director of Administrative Services and Conference Treasurer (TBD), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler), Director of Communications (Mark Doyal), Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), or Clergy Assistant to the Bishop (Rev. John Boley), Dean of the Appointive Cabinet (**Rev. Dr. Jerome "Jerry" DeVine**), Director of Benefits and Human Resources (Rev. Donald "Don" Emmert), any other Directors whose position may be created by the Conference Leadership Council (Rev. Dr. Jennifer "Jennie" Browne, Rev. Dirk Elliott).

Other Elections (Elected by AC as Conference Rep): North Central Jurisdictional Mission Council Member (**Laura Witkowski**)

Except for *ex officio* members listed hereinabove, Chairperson of Conference Agencies and employees of Conference Agencies shall be ineligible for membership on the Council.

Ordained Ministry, Board of (2.2)

At least twenty-five Full Clergy Members of the Annual Conference. At least one of whom shall be engaged in Extension Ministry. At least one of whom shall be age thirty-five or younger. At least two-thirds of whom shall be graduates of theological schools listed by the University Senate. At least one of whom shall be retired. At least three Clergy Persons who are either Associate Members or Local Pastors who have completed Course of Study. At least twelve Lay People who are Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall be nominated by the Bishop.

Members shall serve four-years terms (starting at the close of the Annual Conference Session following General Conference), renewable twice, with quadrennially staggered classes.

The Board shall elect from among its members:

Chairperson: **Rev. Barry Petrucci**

Vice Chairperson: Rev. Mark Erbes

Secretary: Rev. Amy Lee Terhune

Treasurer: Kelly Ross

Registrar for Full and Associate Members: **Rev. Kathy Brown**

Registrar for Provisional Members: **Rev. Briony Desotell**

Registrar for Local Pastors: Pastor Melody Olin

Registrar for Specialized Ministry Certification: Rev. Patricia "Pat" Catellier

Ordained Ministry, Board of (2.2) – Continued**CLERGY****2012 Quadrennia**

Patricia “Pat” Catellier (2018)
 Thomas “Thom” Davenport (2018)
 Briony Desotell (2018)
 Mark Erbes (2018)
 Annelissa “Lisa” Gray-Lion (2018)
 Daniel “Dan” Hart (2019)

Lynn Hasley (2018)
 William “Bill” Johnson (2018)
 Rob McPherson (2018)
 Amy Lee Terhune (2018)
 Mark Thompson (2018)
 Christina Wright (2018)

2016 Quadrennia

Cora Glass (2019)
 Paul Hahm (2018)
 Lindsey Hall (2018)
 M. Christopher “Chris” Lane (2019)

Scott Lindenberg (2018)
 Barry Petrucci (2019)
 Megan Walther (2019)

2020 Quadrennia

Kathy Brown (2020)
Cornelius “Neil” Davis, Jr (2020)

Susanne “Suzie” Hierholzer (2020)
John David “JD” Landis (2020)

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OR LOCAL PASTORS/COMPLETED COURSE OF STUDY

Terri Bentley (2018)
Marvin Herman (2020)

Melody Olin (2019)
 Susan “Sue” Platt (2019)

LAY PERSONS**2012 Quadrennia**

Ruby Anderson (2018)

Duane Townley (2018)

2016 Quadrennia

Sharon Appling (2018)
Ted Brainard (2019)
 Carol Hodges (2018)
Laure Mieskowski (2019)

Sue Pung (2019)
 Kelly Ross (2018)
 Jay Zylstra (2019)

2020 Quadrennia

Executive Committee: Chairpersons of the Order of Elders (**Rev. M. Christopher “Chris” Lane**), the Order of Deacons (Rev. Sue Pethoud), the Fellowship of Local Pastors and Associate Members (**Pastor Marvin Herman**), Rev. Susan “Sue” Platt, Director of Clergy Excellence (Rev. Dr. Jennifer “Jennie” Browne).

Conference Relations shall be chaired by the Vice Chairperson, Rev. Mark Erbes. The Board shall determine membership. A District Superintendent shall not be a member.

Ex officio with voice and vote: Chairpersons of the Order of Elders (**Rev. M. Christopher “Chris” Lane**), the Order of Deacons (Rev. Sue Pethoud), the Fellowship of Local Pastors and Associate Members (Rev. Susan “Sue” Platt), a District Superintendent named by the Bishop (Rev. Scott Harmon), Director of Clergy Excellence (Rev. Dr. Jennifer “Jennie” Browne).

Nominations, Committee on (2.3)

Two persons nominated by the Annual Conference Session.
Ten persons nominated by the Conference Leadership Council.
Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, staggered annually.

The Committee shall elect the following from among its members:

Chairperson: **Melissa Claxton** Vice Chairperson: _____
Secretary: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Simmie Proctor (2018)	Melissa Claxton (2018)
2022	Ruby Anderson (2018)	Michael "Mike" Conklin (2018)
2023	Laurie Kaufman delaGarza (2018)	_____
2024	Taylorie Bailey (2018)	_____

Nominated by Annual Conference Session for Class of 2023: Beth Pelkey – Lay Member (2019)
Nominated by Annual Conference Session for Class of 2023: Rev. Scott Manning (2019)

Ex Officio with vote: District Superintendent (Rev. Dwayne Bagley), Conference Lay Leader (**Annette Erbes**), Chairperson or Representative of Rules (**James "Jim" Searls**), Secretary of the Annual Conference (Rev. Joy Barrett).

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler).

Episcopacy, Committee on the (2.4)

Six Clergy Members of the Conference.
Six Lay Persons who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the conference, one of whom shall be the Conference Lay Leader.
Three members appointed by the Resident Bishop who, if laity, shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Conference and, if clergy, shall be members of the Annual Conference.
Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

The Committee shall elect from among its members the following:

Chairperson: John Wharton Vice Chairperson: _____
Secretary: Rev. Dr. Darryl Totty

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Karl Jennings (2018)	Darryl Totty (2018)
2022	Koom Cho (2018) Craig Schroeder (2018)	Robert "Bob" Hundley (2018) Brian West (2018)
2023	Linda Darrow (2019) Marchelle "Micki" Phelps (2019)	Erin Fitzgerald (2019) Megan Walther (2019)
2024	Mark Trierweiler (2020)	Carolin Spragg (2018)

Selected by the Bishop:
Pastor Gregory "Greg" Timmons (2018) Rev. Elbert Dulworth (2018)
Bruce Smolenski (2018)

Conference Lay Leader: **Annette Erbes**

Ex officio with vote: Members of the Jurisdictional Committee on the Episcopacy who reside within the bounds of the Annual Conference: Currently, Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue, Jacqueline "Jackie" Euper, Rev. Benton Heisler, Nichea VerVeer Guy.

Protection Policy Implementation Team (2.5)

Eight adults (at least 18 years of age) who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).
Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.
Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Protection Policy Implementation Team (2.5) – Continued

The Team shall elect the following from among its members:

Chairperson: Judy Heriff

Vice Chairperson: Marguerite Zawislak

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Ruth Sutton (2019)	
2022	Judy Herriff (2018)	
2023	Michael “Mike” Darby (2018)	
	Marguerite Zawislak (2018)	
2024	Beth Pelkey (2020)	Daniel “Dan” Colthorp (2019)

AGENCIES RELATING TO VIBRANT CONGREGATIONS

United Methodist Women (3.1)

Membership shall be composed of all members of the local United Methodist Women units existing within the bounds of the Conference.

The United Methodist Women shall elect from among its members:

President: Linda Darrow

Vice President: **Waltha Gaye Leavitt**

Secretary: Beth Mitchell

Treasurer: **Mary Danforth**

Ex officio with vote: Resident Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), Members of the Board of Directors of the national office of the United Methodist Women residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference. Members of the United Methodist Women Program Advisory Group residing within the bounds of the Conference; Members of the North Central Jurisdiction United Methodist Women Leadership Team residing within the bounds of the Conference; District Superintendent (Rev. Scott Harmon).

United Methodist Men (3.2)

Membership of the United Methodist Men shall be made up of all men who are Professing Members of local churches within the bounds of the Annual Conference.

The United Methodist Men shall elect the following officers from among its members:

President: Donald “Don” Archambeau

Vice President: **John Huizing**

Secretary: Peter Thoms

Treasurer: Raymond “Ray” McClintic

Ex officio Members: Any Members of the North Central Jurisdiction United Methodist Men residing within the bounds of the Conference, any Members of the General Commission on United Methodist Men residing within the bounds of the Conference, Conference Lay Leader (or designated representative), Resident Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford).

Laity, Board of (3.3)

Conference Lay Leader: **Annette Erbes (2020)**

District Lay Leaders:

Central Bay: **Dennis “Denny” Wissinger (2019)**

East Winds: Bonnie Potter, Co-Leader (2018)

Greater Detroit: Ruby Anderson (2018)

Greater Southwest: Wynne Hurlbut (2018)

Associate District Lay Leaders:

Cynthia Rossman (2020)

Kenneth Dowell (2018)

Laity, Board of (3.3) – Continued**District Lay Leaders:**

Heritage: **John Seppanen (2019)**
 Mid-Michigan: Nona Spackman (2018)
 Midwest: **Deborah “Deb” Hodges (2019)**
 Northern Skies: John Preston (2018)
 Northern Waters: Denny Olin (2018)

Associate District Lay Leaders:

Associate Director for Lay Leadership Development: Laura Witkowski
 Conference Co-Directors of Lay Servant Ministries: John Hart and Jody Pratt
 President of the United Methodist Men (or representative): Donald “Don” Archambeau
 President of the United Methodist Women (or representative): Linda Darrow, President
 Convener of the Division of Young Adult Ministry of the Board of Young People’s Ministries: _____
 Convener of the Division of Youth Ministry of the Board of Young People’s Ministries: _____
 Conference Scouting Coordinator: Robert Sanders
 Director of Connectional Ministries: Rev. Benton Heisler
 District Superintendent designated by the Cabinet: Rev. Dwayne Bagley

Young People’s Ministries, Board of (3.4)

Chairperson: **Rev. Elizabeth Hurd**

(Chairperson of the Board is an additional member, chosen by Committee on Nominations.)

Vice Chairperson: _____

(Convener shall serve as Vice Chairperson of the Board, chosen by the conveners.)

Each Division shall elect a Convener.

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: A representative of the Michigan Area Board of Christian Camping (TBD).

Youth Ministry, Division of (3.4.3.1)

Two clergy persons appointed in the Annual Conference,
 who shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in biennially staggered classes.

Two adult Laypersons who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference,
 who shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in biennially staggered classes.

Ten Youth (age 13-17) who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference,
 who shall serve one-year terms, renewable as long as they are under age 18 at the start of a new term.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener shall be elected among the members: _____

Class**Laity****Clergy**

2021

2022

2023

2024

Daphne Mitchell (2019)
 Rene Crombez (2019)

Class**Youth****Youth**

Lenah Alghali (2019)
 Ethan Chu (2019)
 Mary Violet Comiskey (2019)
 Elise Hitts (2019)
 Tyler Moody (2019)

Isabelle Nowak (2019)
 Erin Stevens (2019)
 Elizabeth Storkey (2019)
 Kayla Sweeney (2019)

Given Voice, per Division Action: Coordinator of Youth Ministry Development, **Rev. Christina “Christy” Miller White**,
 (Conference Staff).

Young Adult Ministry, Division of (3.4.3.2)

Two Young Adult (age 18-30) Clergy Persons of the Annual Conference who shall be nominated by the committee on nominations.

Four Young Adult Lay Persons (age 18-30) who shall be nominated by the committee on nominations and who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall serve one-year terms, renewable as long as they are age 30 or under at the start of the new term.

Convener shall be elected among the members: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Anika Kasper (2020)	Jessica Davenport (2019)
	_____	Scott Marsh (2019)

Given Voice, per Division Action: Young Adult Initiatives Coordinator, Pastor Lisa Batten (Conference Staff).

Higher Education and Campus Ministry, Division of (3.4.3.3)

Six people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener shall be elected among the members: Rev. Jeffrey “Jeff” Williams

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Blair Hunt (2018)	
2022		Cora Glass (2019)
2023	Bonnie Garbrecht (2018)	Jeffrey “Jeff” Williams (2018)
2024		Katherine Fahey (2018)
		Devon Herrell (2019)

Co-Opted Members: Rick Miller (2019)

Ex officio with vote: Any Member of the General Board of Higher Education and Ministry residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference.

Given Voice, per Division Action: Young Adult Initiatives Coordinator, Pastor Lisa Batten (Conference Staff).

Congregational Life, Board of (3.5)

Chairperson: Rev. Sherry Parker-Lewis

(Chairperson of the Board is an additional member, chosen by Committee on Nominations.)

Vice Chairperson: _____

(Convener shall serve as Vice Chairperson of the Board, chosen by the conveners.)

Each Division shall elect a Convener

Given Voice, per Board Action: Director of Congregational Vibrancy, Rev. Dirk Elliott (Conference Staff).

Congregational Vibrancy, Division of (3.5.3.1)

Four people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Congregational Vibrancy, Division of (3.5.3.1) – Continued

Convener shall be elected among the members: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020		Michael Sawicki (2018)
2021		Matthew “Matt” Stoll (2018)
2022		
2023		
2024	Cindy Thiele (2020)	

Ex officio with vote: Any Member of Discipleship Ministries residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference, District Superintendent (**Rev. LuAnn Rourke**).

Small Membership Church, Division on the (3.5.3.2)

Four people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener shall be elected among the members: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020		Kimberly “Kim” Metzger (2018)
2021		Matthew “Matt” Osborne (2018)
2022		Peggy Katzmark (2018)
2023		
2024		Glenn Litchfield (2020)

Christian Unity and Interreligious Relationships, Division on (3.5.3.3)

Six persons who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if Clergy) or Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference (if laity), one of whom shall serve as the District Coordinator for Christian Unity and Interreligious Relationships.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Convener: Rev. Rodney “Rod” Gasaway

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021		Dianne VanMarter (2018)
2022		Rodney “Rod” Gasaway (2018)
2023	Larry Edris (2020)	
2024	Mary Blashill (2020) Laurie Smith Del Pino (2018)	Melissa Claxton (2020)

Ex officio with vote: Any United Methodists residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference who are members of the following: The Office of Christian Unity and Interreligious Relationships of the Council of Bishops, the governing Board of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A., the World Methodist Council, The United Methodist delegation to the most recent World Council of Churches Assembly, the United Methodist delegation to the most recent plenary meeting of Churches Uniting in Christ.

Hispanic/Latino Ministry, Committee on (3.6)

The committee shall define its membership and organize in any way it sees fit, subject to the approval of the Conference Leadership Council.

Term: Four-year term, max two terms

Chairperson: Rev. Rey Mondragon

Hispanic/Latino Ministry, Committee on (3.6) – Continued

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020	Patsy Coffman (2018)	Jennifer Jue (2018)
2021	Lea Tobar (2018)	Ellen Zienert (2018)
		Sari Brown (2018)
2022	Victoria “Tori” Booker (2018)	Patricia Gandarilla (2018)
	Jorge Costales (2018)	Laura Feliciano (2018)
2023	Lawrence Iseler (2018)	Rey Mondragon (2018)
2024		Nicolas Berlanga (2020)

Co-Opted Members (*maximum of four; may be asked to fill the following positions such as but not limited to*):

Training Coordinator:

Grant Application Coordinator:

Immigration Advisor:

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford), Conference Treasurer (TBD), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler), Staff employed by the Conference Leadership Council and assigned to the Committee on Hispanic/Latino Ministry (Sonya Luna).

Asian-American Ministry, Committee on (3.7)

The committee shall define its membership and organize in any way it sees fit, subject to the approval of the Conference Leadership Council.

Chairperson: Rev. Jung Eun Yum

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020		Latha Ravi (2018)
		Anna Moon (2018)
2021		Won Dong Kim (2018)
		Gunsoo Jung (2018)
2022		Jung Eun Yum (2018)
		Sang Chun (2018)
2023		
2024		

Co-opted Members: Rev. Dr. Darryl Totty (2018), Rev. Seung “Andy” Baek (2018), Rev. Dr. Jennifer Jue (2018), Prospero Tumonong (2018)

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: District Superintendent designated by Cabinet (**Rev. Dr. Jerome “Jerry” DeVine**), Director of Connectional Ministries or another Conference Representative (Sonya Luna).

Native American Ministry, Committee on (3.8)

“Insofar as possible, the majority of the committee’s members should be Native Americans.

Taking into account the mandate of the purpose of this committee, the committee shall define its membership and organize in any way it sees fit, subject to the approval of the Conference Leadership Council.”

The preliminary proposal that follows will need to be confirmed/revised by the Conference Leadership Council and the Committee on Native American Ministries/Indian Workers Conference at their next meeting.

The membership of the Committee on Native American Ministry (CONAM) shall include two persons elected by each Native American United Methodist congregation or ministry; the pastor may be a delegate or alternate, as determined by the church and at least four members at large selected by CONAM.

Executive Committee: Chairperson (Pastor Ronald “Todd” Williamson), Vice-Chairperson (Pastor George Pamp), Secretary (Valerie Maidens), Treasurer (Valerie Maidens), Cabinet Member Representative (Rev. Jodie Flessner, District Superintendent).

Bradley Indian Mission UMC
 Chippewa Indian UMC
 Greensky Hill Indian Mission UMC
 Kewadin Indian Mission UMC
 Northport Indian Mission UMC

Oscoda UMC
 PaWaTing MaGedwin Kikaajik (Native American Elders Program)
 Salem Indian Mission UMC
 Zeba Indian Mission UMC

Members-At-Large – Laity: Amy Alberts, Rose Bledsoe, Fran Church Pratt, Rich Guyon, Clara Lawrence

Ex Officio Voice, but no vote (because of category): Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), Cabinet Member Representative (Rev. Jodie Flessner), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler).

African American Ministry, Committee on (3.9)

The committee shall define its membership in any way it sees fit, subject to the approval of the Conference Leadership Council.

Co-Chairs: Rev. Janet “Jan” Brown and Simmie Proctor

Recording Secretary: Rev. Janet “Jan” Brown

Communications Coordinator: Dwanda Ashford

Spiritual Formation Coordinator: Sharon Appling

Spiritual Care Coordinator: Pastor Anthony Ballah

Treasurer (Interim): Gregory “Greg” Keeler

Historian/BMCR Rep: Rev. Hilda Harris

Members:

Laity

Loretta Lee

Cecelia Tolliver

Clergy

Sandra Bibilomo

Willie “Will” Council

B. Kevin Smalls

Darryl Totty

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue, Jr.)

ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCIES

Finance and Administration, Council on (4.1)

Six Clergy Members of the Annual Conference.

Seven Lay People who are Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

At least one of the thirteen members shall be appointed to (in the case of a Clergy Person) or a member of (in the case of a Lay Person) a church with fewer than two hundred members.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Members shall serve four-year terms (starting at the close of the Annual Conference Session following General Conference), renewable once, with quadrennially staggered classes.

The Council shall elect from among its members the following: President: Bradley “Brad” Bartelmay

Vice President: Andrew “Andy” Wayne

Secretary: Susan MacGregor

Laity

2020 Quadrennia

Jim Bosserd (2018)

Patrick Tiedt (2018)

Andrew “Andy” Wayne (2018)

2024 Quadrennia

Rena Clevenger (2018)

Cameron “Cam” DeLong (2018)

Susan MacGregor (2018)

Clayton Osborn (2018)

Clergy

Bradley “Bard” Bartelmay, President (2018)

Kristen Coristine (2020)

Donald “Don” Gotham (2019)

Janet Gaston Petty (2018)

Geraldine “Geri” Hamlen (2018)

Louis “Lou” Gretttenberger (2020)

Finance and Administration, Council on (4.1) – Continued

Ex officio with voice and vote: Any Member of the General Council on Finance and Administration who resides within the bounds of the Annual Conference.

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Administrative Services and Conference Treasurer (TBD), Resident Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), or Clergy Assistant to the Bishop (Rev. John Boley), District Superintendent (Rev. John Hice), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler), Director of Benefits and Human Resources (Rev. Donald “Don” Emmert), any other Conference Directors as the Conference Leadership Council shall designate, any Director level benefits officer as determined by the Board of Pension and Health Benefits. Executive Director of the United Methodist Foundation of Michigan (Rev. David Bell).

Pension and Health Benefits, Board of (4.2)

Six Clergy Members of the Annual Conference.

Six Lay Persons who shall be Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Members shall serve one non-renewable eight-year term, in annually staggered classes.

The Board shall elect from among its members the following:

Chairperson: Rev. Steven “Steve” Buck Vice Chairperson: _____
Secretary: _____
Treasurer: Director of Administrative Services/Conference Treasurer, _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Kenneth Norton (2018)	Steven “Steve” Buck (2018)
2022	Kathleen Dorman (2018)	
2023	Kevin Dick (2018)	Carol Johns (2018)
2024		Gary Glanville (2018)
2025	Al Minert (2018)	Cornelius “Neil” Davis (2018)
2026	Nancy Wyllis (2020)	Joel Fitzgerald (2018)
2027	Dennis Stanek (2019)	Deborah “Debbie” Thomas (2020)

Ex officio with vote: Any Board Member of Wespeth Benefits and Investments residing within the bounds of the Annual Conference (Rev. Joel Fitzgerald), a District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Jerome “Jerry” DeVine) designated by the Cabinet.

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Administrative Services and Conference Treasurer (TBD), Director of Benefits and Human Resources (Rev. Donald Emmert), any other Conference Directors as the Conference Leadership Council shall designate, any Director level benefits officer as determined by the Board.

Administrative Review Committee (4.3)

Three Full Clergy Members of the Annual Conference.

Two additional Full Clergy Members of the Annual Conference who shall serve as alternate committee members.

None of the foregoing shall be a District Superintendent (or a relative thereof) or a member of the Board of Ordained Ministry (or relative thereof).

Members shall be nominated by the Bishop.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Full Clergy Members</u>
2020	Gerald Hagans (2018) Gloria Haynes (2019) George Lewis (2019)
	<u>Alternate Full Clergy Members</u>
2020	Ellen Brubaker (2018) Catherine “Cathee” Miles (2019)

Trustees, Board of (4.4)

Six Clergy Members of the Annual Conference.

Six Lay Persons who are Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

All Board Members must be at least eighteen years of age.

All Board Members must fulfill any other criteria for serving on the Board of Directors of a corporation that the laws of the State of Michigan may require.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Except as otherwise required by law, members shall be elected to four-year terms, renewable once, with annually staggered classes.

The Board shall elect from among its members the following:

Chairperson: **James “Jim” LeBaron**

Vice Chairperson: George Lewis

Secretary: Carolin Spragg

Except as otherwise required by law, the Director of Administrative Services/Conference Treasurer (TBD) shall serve as the Board Treasurer.

Consultant: Michael Belt

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021		Carolin Spragg (2018)
2022	Robert “Rob” Long (2018)	Matthew “Matt” Hook (2018)
2023	Jorge Costales (2018)	Joy Moore (2019)
	James “Jim” LeBaron (2019)	Thomas “Tom” Ball (2020)
2024	David Apol (2018)	George Lewis (2018)
	Karl Bauman (2018)	Clifford Radke (2018)
	Deborah “Deb” Federau (2020)	

Ex officio with vote: District Superintendent (Rev. John Hice).

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Administrative Services and Conference Treasurer (TBD), Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler).

Investigation. Committee on (4.5)

Four Ordained Clergy Members of the Annual Conference.

Three Lay People who are Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Three Ordained Clergy Members of the Annual Conference shall serve as alternate members.

Six Lay People – three of whom, if possible, shall be Diaconal Ministers – who are Professing Members of a local church within the Annual Conference shall serve as alternate members.

Members shall be nominated by the Resident Bishop.

Members shall serve a one-quadrrennium term.

Members of the following entities and their immediate family members shall be ineligible for members of the committee:
Cabinet and Board of Ordained Ministry.

The Committee shall elect from among its members the following:

Chairperson: _____

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020	Minnie Armstrong (2019)	Richard “Rick” Blunt (2018)
	Murray Davis (2019)	G. Patrick England (2019)
	Paula Hines (2018)	Catherine “Cathi” Huvaere (2018)
	Wynne Hurlbut (2018)	Philip Tousley (2019)
	Michael Schlusler (2019)	Brian West (2019)
	Craig Schroeder (2018)	

Investigation, Committee on (4.5) – Continued

Alternate Members:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020	Louelle Burke (2018) Laura De La Garza (2019) Fred Gray (2019) Linda Polter (2019)	Glenn Litchfield (2018) Julie Liske (2018)

Rules, Committee on (4.6)

Eight Voting Members who shall be either Clergy Members of the Annual Conference or Lay People who are Members of a local church within the Annual Conference.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable twice, in annual staggered classes.

The Committee shall elect from among its members the following:

Chairperson: Todd Price

Vice Chairperson: Tonya Murphy

Secretary: James "Jim" Searls

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	C. David Lundquist (2018) Herbert "Herb" Vanderbilt (2018)	
2022	James "Jim" Searls (2018)	Paula Timm (2018)
2023	Keith Radek (2019) Tonya Murphy (2019)	Richard "Rick" Blunt (2019)
2024	Todd Price (2018)	

Ex officio with vote: Legislative Coordinator selected by the Commission on the Annual Conference (Diane Brown), Annual Conference Facilitator (**Jennifer "Jen" Peters**) a District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue) designated by the Cabinet, Annual Conference Secretary (Rev. Joy Barrett), Conference Parliamentarian (if one is appointed by the Bishop).

Ex officio, but no vote: Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler).

Episcopal Residence Committee (4.7)

Chairperson of the Committee on Episcopacy (or representative): John Wharton

President of Council on Finance and Administration (or representative): Bradley "Brad" Bartelmay

Chairperson of Board of Trustees (or representative): Carolin Spragg

Others may be co-opted, with voice, but without vote, as needed.

Equitable Compensation, Commission on (4.8)

Four Clergy Members of the Annual Conference, at least one of whom shall be appointed to a church with fewer than 200 members.

Four Lay Persons who shall be Professing Members of a church within the Annual Conference, at least one of whom shall be a member of a church with fewer than 200 members.

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

The Commission shall elect from among its members the following:

Chairperson: _____

Vice Chairperson: _____

Secretary: _____

The Director of Administrative Services/Conference Treasurer (TBD) shall serve as the Treasurer of the Commission.

Equitable Compensation, Commission on (4.8) – Continued

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Molly Shaffer (2018)	
2022	Barry Trantham (2018)	Karen Williams (2018)
2023		
2024	Robert “Bob” Bernum (2018)	Gerald Hagans (2018)

Ex officio with vote: A District Superintendent (Rev. Dwayne Bagley) designated by the Cabinet, a Member of the Council on Finance and Administration (Rev. Donald “Don” Gotham).

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Administrative Services and Conference Treasurer (TDB).

Human Resources, Committee on (4.9)

Eight people who shall be members of the Annual Conference (if Clergy) or Professing Members of a local Church within the Annual Conference (if Laity).

Members shall serve four-year terms, renewable once, in annually staggered classes.

Members shall be nominated by the Committee on Nominations.

Chairperson chosen by the Committee on Nominations from among the Members: Rev. Ellen Zienert

Vice-Chairperson chosen by the Committee on Human Resources from among its members: Deborah “Deb” Fennell

Secretary chosen by the Committee on Human Resources from among its membership: Rev. J. Thomas Boutell

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Georgia Marsh (2018)	Ellen Zienert (2018)
2022	Deborah “Deb” Fennell (2018)	James “Tommy” Boutell (2018)
2023	Anne Soles (2020)	Grant Lobb (2019)
		Nancy Powers (2019)
2024	Alice Tucker (2018)	

Ex officio with vote: Bishop (Bishop David A. Bard), or Clergy Assistant to the Bishop (Rev. John Boley), a District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford) designated by the Cabinet.

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler), Director of Administrative Services/Conference Treasurer (TDB), Director of Benefits and Human Resources (Rev. Donald Emmert), Chair of the Personnel Committee of the Council on Finance and Administration (**Rev. Janet Gaston Petty**).

Officers of The Annual Conference

Secretary (6.1): Rev. Joy Barrett (2017)

Four-year term, two terms maximum. Elected at first Annual Conference Session following General Conference.

Statistician (6.2): **Pamela Stewart** (07/15/2019)

Four-year term, two terms maximum. Elected at Annual Conference Session immediately preceding General Conference.

Facilitator (6.3): **Jennifer “Jen” Peters (2020)**

Four-year term, two terms maximum. Layperson. (Jennifer “Jen” Peters)

Parliamentarian (6.4): None – May be appointed by the Bishop at his/her discretion.

Chancellor (6.5): Andrew Vorbrich (2017)

Nominated by the Bishop, elected quadrennially.

Director of Administrative Services and Conference Treasurer (6.6): _____ (2020)

Elected at first Annual Conference Session following each General Conference.

Lay Leader (6.7): **Annette Erbes (2020)**

Four-year term, one term. Nominated by the Bishop in consultation with the Board of Laity.

Associate Lay Leader: TBD

Please Note: The Annual Conference re-affirms the election of the General and Jurisdictional Delegation and Alternates from the 2019 Annual Conference.

In Order of Election:

2020 Elected General Conference Delegation

Clergy: Kennetha Bigham-Tsai (Chairperson), Paul Perez, Joy Barrett, Megan Walther

Laity: Laura Witkowski (Chairperson), Diane Brown, Jennifer “Jen” Peters, Nichea VerVeer Guy

2020 Elected North Central Jurisdictional Conference Delegation

Clergy: Charles Boayue, Joel Fitzgerald, Christina Wright, Brad Bartelmay

Laity: Ruby Anderson, Hoon-Yung Hopgood, Lisa Hahn, Ruth Sutton

2020 Elected NCJ Alternates

Clergy: Sherri Swanson, Matt Weiler

Laity: Brenda DuPree, Gordon Grigg III

2016 General Church Boards and Agencies:

The Connectional Table: Clergy-Kennetha Bigham-Tsai, Jerry DeVine

General Board of Church and Society: Clergy-Paul Perez

General Board of Pensions and Health Benefits: Clergy-Donald Emmert

2016 North Central Jurisdictional Committees:

Court of Appeals: Clergy-Benton Heisler (Vice Chairperson). Clergy Alternate: Joy Barrett

Committee on Investigation: Clergy-Melanie Carey, Alternate Clergy-Bill Dobbs

Committee on Episcopacy: Clergy-Charles Boayue, Benton Heisler. Laity-Jacqueline Euper, Nichea VerVeer Guy.

NCJ Mission Council: Clergy-Brad Bartelmay, At-Large: Laity-Alex Plum, Laura Witkowski

Directors of Connectional Ministries (as selected by the NCJ Association of DCMs): Clergy-Benton Heisler

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Thank you!

AFFILIATE ENTITIES OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE
Elected UMC Board Members as Reported to the Committee on Nominations

Affiliated via the Board of Global Ministries (10.1)

Bronson Health Group (10.1.1) – Trustees of

(UMC Members are no longer a requirement, per change in their 2014 By-Laws)

Clark Retirement Community (10.1.2) – Trustees of

(Report Only, election is by Clark, per change in Clark's By-Laws.)

OFFICERS: Chair: Robert "Bob" Gillette (2013)

TRUSTEES:

[Tenure: By-Law terms are limited to 9 years.]

Suzanne Benet (2015)

Jayne Courts (2016)

Kathleen "Kathy" Holt (2016)

Only UMC Members Listed

Ex officio: Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford, Sue Yoder

Methodist Children's Home Society (10.1.3) – Directors

[Tenure: By-Law terms are limited to 10 years.]

Laity

Marianne Conner (2016)

Eric Pelton (2017)

Doug Ross (2007)

Carrie Russell (2014)

Juli Stephens (2018)

Christine Weemhoff (2000)

Only UMC Members Listed

Clergy

William "Bill" Amundsen (2008)

Charles Boayue (2001)

Cabinet Assignment: A District Superintendent (Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue).

United Methodist Community House (10.1.4)

Taylorie Bailey (2016)

Kurt Kimball (2020)

Only UMC Members Listed

Ex officio: Linda Darrow (UMW), Linda Burton-Collier (UMW).

United Methodist Retirement Communities, Inc. (10.1.5) – Board of Trustees

Laity

Marianne Conner (2019)

Steve Fetyko (2019)

Mike Fritz (2019)

Russ Ives (2009)

Dick Lundy (1983)

Clergy

Matthew "Matt" Hook (2007)

Cabinet Assignment: A District Superintendent (Rev. LuAnn Rourke).

Affiliated Via the Board of Young People's Ministries (10.2)

Adrian College (10.2.1) – Trustees of

[Tenure: By-Law terms are limited to 9 years.]

Laity

Clergy

Elbert P. Dulworth (2019)
Janet Gaston Petty (2019)
Russell "Russ" McReynolds (2006) *

Area Bishop: Bishop David A. Bard

* Term extended by request of the Trustees of Adrian College.

[] Indicate names submitted for election of two by College in coordination with Board of Higher Education and Campus Ministry.

Albion College (10.2.2) – Trustees of

[Tenure: By-Law terms are limited to 12 years.]

Laity

Clergy

Faith Fowler (2013)

Area Bishop: Bishop David A. Bard

[] Indicate names submitted for election of two by College in coordination with Board of Higher Education and Campus Ministry.

Michigan Area United Methodist Camping (10.2.4)

Elected by the Annual Conference, per Board By-Laws (no less than 60%):

Chairperson: **Stuart Smith**

Interim Director: Joel Wortley

Elected by the Board, per Board By-Laws: Deborah "Deb" Fennell (2018)

	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2021	Susan Witte (2017)	David Wichert (2017)
2022	Stuart Smith (2018) Bob Wyatt (2018)	Terry Euper (2019) Anita Hahn (2019)
2023	Steve Steggerda (2019)	Joel Walther (2019) Patricia "Patti" Harpole (2019)
2024	Rachel Dunlap (2020)	

Designated by the Full Cabinet (voice, but no vote): District Superintendent (Rev. Dwayne Bagley).

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: Executive Director of Camping: Joel Wortley (interim).

Lake Louise Christian Community (10.2.5) – Board of Trustees

Tenure: By-Law terms are limited to 9 years. Elect their own chair.

Laity

Christie Brewster (2019)
Elizabeth "Liz" Carr (2014)
Doug Clarke (2016)
Daphne Mitchell (2013)
Linda Zeeb (2018)

Clergy

Corey Simon (2020)
Hillary Thurston-Cox (2018)
Alicia Williams (2020)

Affiliated via the Commission on Archives and History (10.3)

Michigan Area UMC Historical Society, Inc. (10.3)

Elected by Commission on Archives and History

Chairperson: Diana Spitnale Miller

Laity

Ken Gackler (2008)

Sharon Scott (2007)

Mary Whitman (2014)

Dan Yakes (2008)

Clergy

Melanie Young (2012)

Members At-Large: William McNitt, Rev. Lowell Peterson, Della Wilder

Ex officio with voice and vote: The Chairperson of the Commission on Archives and History (Mary Whitman), The Archivists of the Conference Archives – Rebecca McNitt (Adrian) and Elizabeth Palmer (Albion), Members of the General Commission on Archives and History residing in the Annual Conference: Diana Spitnale Miller, Linda Schramm; Member of the Historical Society of the UMC Board: Linda Schramm.

Affiliated via the Council on Finance and Administration (10.4)

Michigan Area Loan Funds (10.4.1)

Elected by the UM Foundation of Michigan

Chairperson:

Laity

Nancy Craig (2019)

Ransom Leppink (2019)

Joy Stair (2019)

Sue Woodard (2019)

Clergy

Bradley “Brad” Bartelmay (2019)

Edward “Ed” Ross (2019)

Ex officio: Rev. David Bell, Resident Agent.

United Methodist Foundation of Michigan (10.4.2)

12 Directors elected by the UM Foundation of Michigan

<u>Class</u>	<u>Laity</u>	<u>Clergy</u>
2020	Nancy Craig (2014) Steve Peters (2020) Sue Woodard (2011) To Be Name	
2021	Ransom Leppink (2012) Joy Stair (2012)	Joel Fitzgerald (2018) Edward “Ed” Ross (2015)
2022	Pros Tumonong (2020)	Bradley “Brad” Bartelmay (2015) Gary Glanville (2014) Mary McInnes (2019)

Ex officio: Rev. David Bell, President and Executive Director; Bishop David A. Bard, Resident Bishop; TBD, Conference Treasurer.

Disaster Response Team

Team Chairperson: Rev. Robert Miller
Disaster Response Coordinator: Dan O'Malley
Disaster Recovery Coordinator: Nancy Money
Conference Emotional and Spiritual Care Coordinator: _____
Conference Communications Director: Mark Doyal
Conference Finance Officer: _____
Conference VIM Coordinator: Jody Pratt

District Disaster Response Coordinators

Central Bay: _____
East Winds: **Rev. Eric Miller**
Greater Detroit: Dwanda Ashford
Greater Southwest: Rev. David "Dave" Morton
Heritage: **Robert "Bob" Ankrapp**
Mid-Michigan: _____
Midwest: _____
Northern Skies – East: **Randy Hildebrant**
Northern Skies – West: _____
Northern Waters: Dave Stockford

Ex officio with voice, but no vote: District Superintendent (**Rev. John Kasper**) and Director of Connectional Ministries (Rev. Benton Heisler).

Justice for Our Neighbors (JFON) – Michigan Board

Elected by Annual Conference, no less than 60% of Board:

Rev. Paul Perez, Chair

Trace Bauman

Kristine Faasse

Hoon-Yung Hopgood

Sonya Luna

Joan VanDessel

Elected by Board:

Becky Beauchamp

Yvonne Kupperman

Xochitil Quintero

Francisco Villegas

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DISTRICT COMMITTEES

Provided for Information Only

District Boards of Church Location and Building

Central Bay District – Rev. John Kasper, District Superintendent

Laity

Karl Bauman, Chair (2018)
Randy Hock (2018)
Darlene Levia (2018)

Clergy

Jon Gougeon (2018)
James “Jim” Payne (2018)

East Winds District – Rev. John Hice, District Superintendent

Laity

Bob Bernum (2018)
Kathy Dorman (2018)
Peter Plum (2018)
Doris Sain (2018)
Dayna Wright (2018)
Robert Wyatt (2018), Co-Chair

Clergy

Barbara Benjamin (2018)
Jerry Griggs (2018), Co-Chair
David Reed (2018)

Greater Detroit District – Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue, District Superintendent

Laity

Don Archambeau (2018)
John Lawrence (2018)
Pearl Lewis (2018)
Eugene Paik, Chair (2018)
Lynn Van De Putte (2018)

Clergy

Jean Snyder (2018)
Jonathan Combs, Vice Chair (2018)
Jinny Song (2018)

Greater Southwest District – Rev. Dwayne Bagley, District Superintendent

Laity

Wynne Hurlbut (2018)
Mark Crawford (2018)
Nate Hawthorne (2018)
Donald Weaver (2018)

Clergy

Ronald “Ron” VanLente (2018)

Heritage District – Rev. LuAnn Rourke, District Superintendent

Laity

Nicolas Dever (2018)
Jim Jacobs (2018)
Doug Parr (2019)

Clergy

Robert “Bob” Freysinger (2019)
Peter “Pete” Harris (2019)
Robert Hughes (2018)
John Schneider (2019)
Robert “Bob” Stover (2018)

Mid-Michigan District – Rev. Dr. Jerome “Jerry” DeVine, District Superintendent

Laity

James LeBaron, Chair (2018)
William Blanchett (2018)
Darcy Bozen (2018)
Deborah Federau (2018)
Dick Rice (2018)

Clergy

Jeanne Randels (2018)

Ex officio: District Treasurer (Betsy Mauk).

District Boards of Church Location and Building – Continued

Midwest District – Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford, District Superintendent

Laity

David Apol, Chair (2018)
Dennis Bekken (2018)
John Faas (2018)
Luann Hoffman (2018)
Susan MacGregor (2018)
Steve Meredith (2018)

Clergy

Gregory “Greg” Buchner (2018)
Diane Gordon (2018)
Michael “Mike” Ramsey (2018)

Northern Skies District – Rev. Scott Harmon, District Superintendent

Laity

Rich Dahlin (2019)
Randy Hildebrant (2019)
Phillis Johnson (2020)
Roger Tembreull (2020)

Clergy

James “Jim” Mathews (2018)
Geri Hamlin (2019)

Northern Waters District – Rev. Jodie Flessner, District Superintendent

Laity

Tom Bowman (2018)
Lyle Matteson (2018)
Ann Porter (2018)

Clergy

John Scott, Chair (2018)
Eugene Baughan (2018)
Patricia Haas (2018)
George Spencer (2018)

District Committees on Ordained Ministry

Central Bay District

Ordained Ministry Representative: Rev. David Wichert

District Superintendent: **Rev. John Kasper**

Laity

Mary Fox (2019)
Larry Wyman, Sr. (2019)

Clergy

Joseph Beaven (2019)
Timothy Dibble (2019)
Ernesto Mariona (2018)
Robert “Rob” Richards (2018)
Amy Lee Terhune (2019)

East Winds District

Ordained Ministry Representative: Rev. Susan Platt

District Superintendent: Rev. John Hice

Laity

Tom Cerny (2018)
Bonnie Potter (2018)
Bernie Schneider (2018)

Clergy

Sang Chum (2020)
Richard “Rick” Dake (2018)
Ann Emerson (2018), Vice Chair
Patricia Hoppenworth (2018)
Catherine “Cathi” Huvaere (2018)
Charles “Chuck” Jacobs (2018)
Jeffrey Jagers (2018), Chair

Clergy

Susan Platt (2018)
Tara Sutton (2019)
Philip Tousley (2018)
Joel Walther (2018), Secretary
Karen Williams (2018)
Christine Wyatt (2018)

District Committees on Ordained Ministry – Continued

Greater Detroit District

Ordained Ministry Representative: _____

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue

Laity

Ruby Anderson (2018)
Don Archambeau (2018)
Cathy Hazen (2020)
Carole Wesner (2018)

Clergy

Steven McCoy, Chair (2018)
B. Kevin Smalls, Vice Chair (2018)
Weatherly Burkhead-Verhelst (2018)
Melanie Carey (2018)
Donald "Don" Gotham (2018)
Carter Grimmatt (2018)
Jack Mannschreck (2018)
Judith May (2018)

Clergy

Gregory Mayberry (2018)
Anna Moon (2020)
Jeffery Nelson (2018)
Latha Ravi (2018)
Dianna Rees (2020)
Jean Snyder (2020)
Joy Won (2018)

Greater Southwest District

Ordained Ministry Representative: _____

District Superintendent: Rev. Dwayne Bagley

Laity

Laurie Dahlman (2018)
Wynne Hurlbut (2018)

Clergy

David Hills, Chair (2018)
Martin "Marty" Culver (2018)
Julie Elmore (2018)
Ronald Hansen (2018)
Mona Joslyn (2018)
Gregory Lawton (2020)
Karen Wheat (2018)

Heritage District

Ordained Ministry Representative: _____

District Superintendent: **Rev. LuAnn Rourke**

Laity

Lynne Pauer (2018)
Ken Kneisel (2019)
John Seppanen, Lay Leader (2019)
John Wharton (2018)

Clergy

Nancy Lynn, Chair (2018)
James "Jim" Britt (2019)
Jeanne Garza (2019)
Annelisa Gray-Lion (2018)
Loretta Job (2018)
Mary Loring, Registrar (2020)
Rob McPherson (2018)
Marsha Woolley (2018)
Timothy "Tim" Ziegler (2018)

Mid-Michigan District

Ordained Ministry Representative: Pastor Terri Bentley, Rev. Mark Erbes

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Jerome "Jerry" DeVine

Laity

Fred Olmsted (2018)

Clergy

Patricia "Pat" Brook, Chair (2019)
Terri Bentley, BOM Rep (2018)
Mark Erbes, BOM Rep (2018)
Kathy Pittenger (2019)
Irene Vittoz, Candidacy Registrar (2018)
Ellen Zienert (2018)

District Committees on Ordained Ministry – Continued

Midwest District

Ordained Ministry Representative: Rev. William “Bill” Johnson

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford

Laity

AnnMarie Buchner (2018)

Daniel “Dan” Davis (2018)

Clergy

Jane Ellen Johnson, Chair (2019)

Tommy Boutell (2019)

Taina Dozeman (2019)

William “Bill” Johnson, Candidacy Registrar (2018)

Nancy Patera, Local Pastor Registrar (2018)

J. “Lynn” Pier-Fitzgerald (2018)

Ryan Wieland, Secretary (2018)

Northern Skies District

Ordained Ministry Representative: Rev. Scott Lindenberg

District Superintendent: Rev. Scott Harmon

Laity

Anine Bessolo (2018)

Kelly Ross (2019)

Rob Veale (2020)

Clergy

Christopher Hintz, Chair (2018)

James “Jim” Balfour (2018)

J. Albert Barchue (2018)

Victoria Hadaway (2020)

Geraldine “Geri” Hamlen (2018)

Scott Lindenberg (2018)

Peggy Paige, Registrar (2018)

Cathy Rafferty (2020)

Northern Waters District

Ordained Ministry Representative: _____

District Superintendent: Rev. Jodie Flessner

Laity

Allen Horstman (2018)

Denny Olin (2018)

Clergy

Dale Ostema, Chair (2018)

Deborah “Deb” Johnson (2019)

Yoo Jin Kim (2019)

James Mitchum (2018)

Melody Olin, Registrar (2018)

District Committees on District Superintendency

Central Bay District

District Superintendent: **Rev. John Kasper**

District Lay Leader: **Dennis “Denny” Wissinger**

Laity

Linda Doane (2018)

Al Gonzalez (2018)

Cathy Kelley (2018)

Madison Meyer (2018)

Clergy

Ernesto Mariona, Chair (2018)

Robert “Rob” Richards (2018)

District Committees on District Superintendency – Continued

East Winds District

District Superintendent: Rev. John Hice

District Lay Leader: **Cynthia Rossman**

Laity

Lois Bunton, DS Appointee (2018)

James Dover (2018)

Bruce Hurd (2018)

Debra Lobb, DS Appointee (2018)

Cynthia Rossman (2020)

Dayne Walling, At-large (2018)

Clergy

Sari Brown, At-large (2018)

Julius Del Pino (2018), Secretary

Janine Plum (2018), Chair

Greater Detroit District

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Charles Boayue

District Lay Leader: Ruby Anderson

Laity

Ruby Anderson (2018)

Don Archambeau (2018)

Christopher Brown (2018)

Barbara DeGrazia (2020)

Alice Tucker (2019)

Clergy

Judith May, Chair (2018)

Carter Grimmett, Vice Chair (2018)

Diana Goudie (2018)

Cherlyn McKannders (2018)

Greater Southwest District

District Superintendent: Rev. Dwayne Bagley

District Lay Leader: Wynne Hurlbut

Laity

Michelle Brokaw (2018)

Lisa Coe (2018)

Marlene Cutler (2018)

Larry Edris (2018)

John Graves (2018)

Wynne Hurlbut (2018)

Deb Search Willoughby (2018), Chair

Donna Smith (2018)

Clergy

Joseph Shaler (2020)

Heritage District

District Superintendent: **Rev. LuAnn Rourke**

District Lay Leader: **John Seppanen**

Laity

Jane Case (2018)

Vicky Engelbert (2018)

Wendy Everett (2018)

John Phillips (2018)

John Seppanen (2019)

John Wharton (2018)

Clergy

Robert Miller, Chair (2018)

Mary Loring (2018)

Bradley "Brad" Luck (2018)

District Committees on District Superintendency – Continued

Mid-Michigan District

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Jerome “Jerry” DeVine

District Lay Leader: Nona Spackman

Laity

Dean McCracken (2019)

Marilyn Rothert (2018)

Nona Spackman (2018)

Clergy

Deborah “Debbie” Thomas, Chair (2018)

Russell “Russ” McReynolds (2018)

Molly Turner (2018)

Midwest District

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Margie Crawford

District Lay Leader: **Deborah “Deb” Hodges**

Laity

Deborah “Deb” Hodges (2018)

John Huizing (2018)

Linda Sbraccia (2018)

Clergy

Dean Prentiss, Chair (2018)

Northern Skies

District Superintendent: Rev. Scott Harmon

District Lay Leader: John Preston

Laity

Janet Helmbold (2018)

Dawn Payne (2018)

John Preston (2018)

Clergy

David “Dave” Wallis, Chair (2018)

Kristine “Kristi” Hintz (2018)

Northern Waters District

District Superintendent: Rev. Jodie Flessner

District Lay Leader: Denny Olin

Laity

Brian Highway, Chair (2018)

Chuck Corwin (2019)

Valerie Maidens (2018)

Denny Olin (2018)

Clergy

Hyun-Jun Cho (2020)

Kristen Coristine (2020)

Daniel Hofmann (2018)

Todd Shafer (2020)

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