

## **2019 CHURCH LEADERSHIP LIST MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**LAY LEADER(S):** Garrel Nicholson, Beth Nicholson  
**ANNUAL CONFERENCE DELEGATE:** Elaine Rabon  
**ANNUAL CONFERENCE DELEGATE:** Prentice Weldon  
**ANNUAL CONFERENCE DELEGATE:** Tim Lyons  
**ANNUAL CONFERENCE DELEGATE:** Brenda Lyons  
**Reserve Annual Conference Representative:**

### **ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL**

**ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL CHAIR:** Harold Vannoy

#### **MEMBERS-AT-LARGE:**

**Class of 2019:** Ginger Cranford, Craig Rainwater, Harold Vannoy  
**Class of 2020:** Chris Eddinger, Larry Norman, Cindy Martin  
**Class of 2021:** Brandon Rorie (2), Sharon Newby (2), Charlie Hanner (2)

#### **Committee Chairs:**

**Finance Committee:** Roger Bryant  
**Board of Trustees:** TBD  
**Staff-Parish Relations Committee:** Ken Hanner  
**Stewardship Committee:** Brant Conner  
**Scouting:** Cassie Kurtz  
**Children's Council:** Lynda Hepler  
**Membership Secretary.:** David Williams  
**Finch Preaching Mission:** David Williams  
**Journey to Bethlehem:** David Williams

**UMW President:** Cheryl Herman  
**Church Historian:** Gail Harrison  
**Lay Leader:** Garrel Nicholson  
**Lay Leader:** Beth Nicholson  
**Annual Conf. Delegate:** Tim Lyons  
**Youth Council:** Matthew Kuppel  
**Missions Committee:** Scott Holmes,  
Mallory Smith

#### **Staff Members:**

Rev. Ben Devoid (Senior Minister), Rev. Peggy Finch (Associate Minister); Rev. Rodney Denton (Associate Minister); Dr. Danny Frye (Director of Music); Rev. Lynda Hepler (Minister of Children and Family Ministries); Brian Russell (Director of Contemporary Worship).

## COUNCIL COMMITTEES

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES:** (Chairperson elected by Trustees at first meeting in 2019)

**Class of 2019:** Tony McCullough, Rob Williams (2), Wayne Herrick

**Class of 2020:** Eric Kuppel (2), Charlotte Hanner (2), Wayne Kearns

**Class of 2021:** Sara Faulkner (2), Bob Batten, Gayle Murdock

**Ex Officio:** Jarry Oldaker (Superintendent of Building and Grounds); Charles Wade (Church Properties Administrator); Ron Berrier (Foundation Administrator)

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

### **AD HOC TRUSTEES COMMITTEES:**

**COLUMBARIUM COMMITTEE:** Bonnie Craig

### **PARSONAGE COMMITTEE:**

**Chairperson:** Mitch Rabon

**Members:** Rebecca Faber, Barbara Greeson, Ferol Holladay, Jo Jones, Berta Riley, Delores Davis, Sandy Devoid

**Staff members:** Jarry Oldaker, Ben Devoid, Charles Wade (Church Properties Administrator)

### **CATERING AND FOOD SERVICES:**

**Chairperson:** Bonnie Craig

**Members:** Sara Faulkner, Martha Berrier, Janet Smith

**Staff Liaison:** Rev. Ben Devoid

**FINANCIAL SECRETARY/TREASURER:** Peggy May

### **FINANCE COMMITTEE:**

**Chairperson:** Roger Bryant (one-year commitment)

**Class of 2019:** Zeb Hanner, Charlotte Hanner, **James Carmichael**

**Class of 2020:** Tom Riley, Whitney Williams, Ginger Bowman

**Class of 2021:** **Roger Bryant, Cran Plyler(2), Don Clinard**

**Members by Office:** Harold Vannoy, (Chair: Admin Bd); Garrel Nicholson (Lay Leader); Ken Hanner, (SPRC Chair); Elaine Rabon (Annual Conf. Delegate); Ron Berrier (Foundation Administrator), Brant Conner (Stewardship);

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch, Rev. Rodney Denton, Rev. Lynda Hepler, Peggy May (Financial Secretary)

**STAFF PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE:**

**Chairperson:** Ken Hanner

**Class of 2019:** Ken Hanner, Jim Gregory, Gayle Batten

**Class of 2020:** Jim McGhee, Larry Cagle, Ginger Cranford

**Class of 2021:** Chris Herrick (2), Chris Eddinger, Ron Walker

**Members by Office:** Garrel Nicholson (Lay Leader); Tim Lyons (Annual Conference Delegate)

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch, Rev. Rodney Denton, Rev. Lynda Hepler

**STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE:**

**Chairperson:** Brant Conner

**Class of 2019:** Deb Saintsing, Bick Craig, Brant Conner, Jim Hudson

**Class of 2020:** Sharon Newby, Anna Croft, Vince Gobble

**Class of 2021:** Phil Rapp, Carol Vannoy, Katie Conant

**Members by Office:** Garrel Nicholson (Lay Leader) Roger Bryant (Chair: Finance Committee); David Williams (Membership Secretary)

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

**COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS AND LEADERSHIP:**

**Chairperson:** Rev. Ben Devoid

**Class of 2019:** Jim McGhee, Bick Craig, Brandy Lambeth

**Class of 2020:** Chris McCullough, Janet Smith, James Carmichael

**Class of 2021: (to be voted at Charge Conference)** Beverly Myers, David Williams(2), John Collett

**Member by Office:** Garrel Nicholson (Lay Leader)

**Staff members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

**MISSIONS COMMITTEE:**

**Co-Chairs:** Scott Holmes, Mallory Smith

**Members:** Bettie Rowe, E. Tom Smith, Prentice Weldon, Eric Kuppel, Beth Gobble, Ginger Bowman, Scott Holmes, Mallory Smith, Bryan Mitchell, Brandon Rorie, Paige Styers, Tracy Brinkley

**Staff member:** Rev. Peggy Finch

**FINCH PREACHING MISSION COMMITTEE:**

**Chairperson:** David Williams

**Members:** Martha Berrier, Beverly Myers, Elaine Rabon, Sharon Newby, Deborah Saintsing, Jim McGhee, Wade Loftin, Nathan Snider, Scott Holmes, Charlie Hanner, Martha Berrier, Chris McCullough

**Staff Members:** Dr. Danny Frye, Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

**JOURNEY TO BETHLEHEM:**

**Project Manager:** David Williams

**Co-chair:** Joe Stone

**Set Construction:** Chris McCullough

**Technical/Electrical:** Roger Bryant

**Traffic:** (local government) Scott Styers

**Costumes:** Katie Conant

**Publicity:** Lynda Stone, Chris Poole

**Support:** Bonnie Craig

**Casting:** Tim Lamb

**Props:** Elaine Rabon

**Animals:** Dan Kurtz

**Logistics and Recruitment:** Tim Lyons

**Storage:** David Hunt

**SPECIAL PROJECTS AND FUND RAISING:**

**Chairperson:** Berta Riley

**Members:** Elaine Rabon, Martha Berrier, Leslie Gibbs, Bonnie Craig, Susan Weaver, Marie Carmichael, Judy Smith, Ginger Cranford, Scottie Todd, Deborah Saintsing, Sandra Lackey, Jeanie Bales, Whitney Williams

**Staff Liaison:** Rev. Peggy Finch

## COMMITTEE WORK AREAS

### LIASON TO THE COUNCIL: (AN ELDER[S])

### WORSHIP

#### ALTAR AND ARTS COMMITTEE

**Chairpersons:** Beverly Myers, Beth Gobble, Julie Clinard

**Members:** Beth Gobble, Sherri Trotter, Beverly Myers, Julie Clinard, Theresa Humphreys, Blythe Leonard, Tim Lamb, Lynn Poole, Brad Herrick, Berit Herrick, Penny Overby, Ella Clinard, Nancy McLain

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

#### COMMUNION STEWARDS:

**Chairpersons:** Bick and Bonnie Craig

**Members:** Janice Gregory and Jim Gregory, Bick Craig and Bonnie Craig, John and Amanda Collett, Mike and Janice Lanning, Don and Julie Clinard, Wayne and Chris Herrick, Ed and Frances Craddock, Craig and Paula Rainwater, David and Erin Shew

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

#### FLOWERS:

**Chairpersons:** Beverly Myers

**Members:** Julie Clinard, Nancy McLain

#### GREETERS:

**Co-Chairpersons:** Carey Eanes and Kay Eanes

#### WEDDING COMMITTEE:

**Chairperson:** Kay Eanes

**Members:** Kay Eanes, Tracy Marion,

**Staff Members:** Rev. Ben Devoid, Rev. Peggy Finch

#### MUSIC COMMITTEE:

**Chairperson:** Tom Holladay

**Members:** Tom Holladay, Tim Lamb, Marie Carmichael

**Staff Members:** Dr. Danny Frye

#### USHERS:

**Chief Usher:** Roger Bryant: 11:00 worship

Carey Eanes: Emeritus

Ken and Charlotte Hanner: 8:50 Service

**Vice Chairperson:** Don Clinard

**Leaders:** Zeb Hanner, David Hunt, Matthew Kuppel (11:00am service)

**COORDINATORS OF RECEPTIONISTS:** Leslie Gibbs, Charlie Hanner, Loretta Usher, Lynda Stone

**COORDINATORS OF HOMEBOUND VISITATION:** Chairs: Elaine Rabon, Jeanie Bales  
**Committee Members:** Dorann Edwards, Nancy McLain, Martha Berrier, Janet Smith, Agnes Farthing, Sandra Lackey, Frances Cook, Lynn Poole, Penny Overby, Cathy Hiatt, Nancy Norman

**LOVE FEAST:**

**Chairpersons 2017:** Rob and Whitney Williams, Payton Williams (one-year commitment) John and Amanda Collett will help through fall 2018; Chris and Jessica Poole need to be asked for 2019

**Members:** Tim and Brenda Lyons, Charles and Sandra Wade, Tracy Bennett, Randall and Robin Tysinger, Tim and Amber Zander, Beth and Rob Hibbits, Martha and Jack Bolton, John and Amanda Collett, Matt and Feem Finch

**Staff Members:** Rev. Peggy Finch, Rev. Ben Devoid

**LIASON TO THE COUNCIL: (A DEACON[S])**

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL COORDINATOR:** Lorna McCullough

**ACOLYTE COORDINATOR:** Vicki Connolly

**YOUTH COUNCIL 2019-2020:**

**President:** Matthew Kuppel

**Vice President:** Ali Johnson

**Secretary:** Claire Craddock

**Members:** Chris McCullough, Beth Atkins, Will Atkins, Jeff Harrison, Rob Williams, Whitney Williams, Lindsay McCullough, Sam Everhart, Michaela Everhart, Erin Jarrett, Michael Jarrett, Payton Williams

**Staff:** Rev. Rodney Denton

**CHILDREN'S COUNCIL:**

**Convener:** Lynda Hepler

**Members:** Sara Faulkner, Sandra Lackey, Mallory Smith, Doris Link, Sarah Willett

**Ex-Officio:** Ginger Cranford

**Nursery Coordinators:** Sara Faulkner

**Staff Members:** Rev. Lynda Hepler, Carol Vannoy