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Details Listed Below:

1. Board Interview Chairpersons/Addresses
2. Locations of The Methodist Center & White Oak Center
3. Dates & Events
4. Committees of Board of Ordained Ministry

Board Interview Committee Chairpersons/Addresses

Theology and Doctrine Committee:

Rev. James Ellis Griffeth, Chair - 4213 Chaffee Rd., Spartanburg, SC 29301, OPH 864-574-4554

Proclamation and Preaching:

Dr. George Watson, Chair - 459 Rogers Dr., Orangeburg, SC 29118, HPH: 803-531-9576

Bible Study Committee:

Rev. Tom Pietila, Chair – P.O. Box 87, Florence, SC 29503-0087, OPH: 843-662-3218

Email: tcpietila@umcsc.org

Call and Disciplined Life Committee:

Rev. Paul Kinnett, Chair – 1001 Fifth Avenue, Conway, SC 29526, OPH: 843-488-4251

Email: pmkinnett@umcsc.org

Location:

The United Methodist Center, 4908 Colonial Dr., Columbia, SC from I-20
Exit I-20 at Hwy 21, North Main Street (Exit 71);
after Caution light at junction of Hwy 21 & 321 TURN LEFT onto Columbia College Dr.;
at next traffic light TURN LEFT onto Colonial Dr.;
after passing Columbia College & College Place UMC,
TURN RIGHT into parking lot of The Methodist Center.

DIRECTIONS TO WHITE OAK CONFERENCE CENTER, White Oak, SC 29180

800-635-4685 803-254-8933 (Local Columbia)

From Columbia:

I-77 - Travel North toward Charlotte.

Exit at # 46 (SC Hwy 20) "White Oak"

Up exit ramp & Take left.

Travel about 3 miles to Stop sign at SC 200

Cross over Hwy 200 & continue about 5 miles

Turn right into White Oak Center.

From UpState:

I-26 to Hwy 34 toward Winnsboro
Turn left onto Hwy 321 for about 6 miles
At White Oak community turn RIGHT on Mobley Hwy
White Oak Center is 1/2 mile on left

Board of Ordained Ministry Scheduled Interviews & Locations:

DATES FOR BOM MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

1. BOM Meetings

- a) **Nov. 13-15, 2007** – Full Elder, Full Deacon Applicants at 9:30 am interviews at White Oak Conference Center
- b) **Feb. 12-14, 2008** – PE, PD, PM, AM Applicants at 9:30 am interviews at White Oak Conference Center
- c) **June 1-4, 2008** SC Annual Conference, Florence Civic Center

2. Other Events:

- a) **Aug. 24 & 25, 2007** – Formation in Ministry/Residency One Retreat at White Oak
- b) **Sept. 11-14, 2007** - Bishop's School of Ministry at Springmaid Beach
- c) **May ? , 2008** – Wed, 12:00 Lunch to 12:00 noon Friday; Ordinands Retreat Epworth Children's Home, 2900 Millwood Ave., Columbia, SC 29205
- d) **May 19-24, 2008** Sun at 6:00 PM; Mon.-Fri. 8:45 AM-4:30 PM LP School at Claflin University
- e) **May 26, 2008** (8:45 AM-4:30 PM) – **License LP & Sexual Ethics Workshop at Claflin University** for all newly Licensed Pastors

S.C. CONFERENCE BOARD OF ORDAINED MINISTRY 2004-2008

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COMMITTEES

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Chair of Order of Deacon - Kathy James; Registrar of Deacons – Hazel Bennett

Committee on Local Pastors: Chair – Michael Rouse; Director Licensing School for Pastoral Ministry – Eddie Williams; Len Ripley, Mollie Wilkes, Anthony Hodge, Ken Nelson

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Psychological Assessment Vendor: Career and Personal Counseling Service, Charlotte, NC

Probationary Members Committee: Chair - Billy Rogers; John Dicks, Jane Jenkins, Stephen Taylor, Kathy James, Ken Phelps, Karen Radcliffe

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BOM representatives: Jimmy Montgomery, George Strait, Bill Ewing

Medical Advisory Review: Chair- Dr. Bill Ewing, George Strait

Representative to Equitable Compensation: George Ashford

Representatives to CCOM: Jimmy J. Montgomery

Representative to Joint Committee on Disability (Par. 648) (2): Dr. Bill Ewing, Milton McGuirt,

Liaison to Division of Ordained Ministry for Clergywomen’s Concerns: Miyoung Paik

BOM Treasurer Report: Carolyn Hall

District Committee Representatives

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