

# Lay Nominees for 2020 General & Jurisdictional Conferences

## Theodore Andrus (Number 001)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Member to Annual Conference - 3 years
2. Trustee - 5 years
3. Small Group Facilitator - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Lay Servant - 2 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Attendance at Annual Conference - 3 years

### Qualification Summary:

I believe in the Holy Word of God. It is the standard by which the Christian orders his life. It is not to be modified for the convenience of society.

Home Church:

Landrum UMC

District: Spartanburg

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## Robert Bethea (Number 002)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Servant - 5 years
2. S/PRC Chair - 3 years
3. Stewardship Chair - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Lay Delegate to Annual Conference - 3 years
2. Lay Servant Training (student) - 5 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Attended Annual Conference - 3 years

### Qualification Summary:

I am a lifelong member of the United Methodist Church. I serve in the church and community to help promote its mission.

Home Church:

Wesley UMC

District: Florence

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## David Braddon (Number 003)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Leader - 12 years
2. Chair Long Range Planning Committee - 7 years
3. Church Council (Chair 3 years) - 20+ years

### District Activities:

1. Lay Leader - 10 years
2. Registrar, District Committee on Ordained Ministry - 9 years
3. Connectional Ministries (Leadership Chair) - 7 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Board of Ordained Ministry - 11 years  
(Exec Committee 3 years)
2. Connectional Ministries (Leadership Sub-committee) - 7 years
3. Pensions / Health Benefits (Chair 6 years) - 16 years

### Home Church:

Bethany UMC, Summerville

District: Charleston

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. UM Publishing House Board (Chair Finance 3 years) - 7 years
2. General Conference Delegate 2012, 2016 & 2019
3. Jurisdictional Conference Delegate 2008, 2012 & 2016

### Qualification Summary:

Christian - God and family are important. Retired, Fortune 500 company (mergers & acquisitions). Veteran, served in the Pentagon. Ph.D. in chemistry (a few publications and patents), M.B.A. (finance). Lifelong learner.

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## Valerie Brooks-Madden (Number 004)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Leader - 3 years
2. Financial Secretary - 2 years
3. Administrative Council Chairperson - 6 years

### District Activities:

1. District Hospitality Chair for Annual Conference - 3 years
2. Lay Servant Ministries Instructor - 5 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Pensions & Benefits - 4 years
2. Conference Finance & Administration - 8 years
3. Bishop's MAT Team - 2 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Stephen Minister - 4 years
2. Widows Ministry - 3 years
3. Rotarian - 2 years

### Home Church:

Bethlehem UMC

District: Greenville

### Qualification Summary:

My qualifications align with my love of God and my spiritual growth: Servant. Proven leadership and communication skills. Decisive. The ability to work with others in the church and community.

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## Michael Cheatham (Number 005)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Past Lay Leader - 5 years
2. Trustee - 5 years
3. Certified Lay Speaker - 37 years

### District Activities:

1. District Lay Leader - 7 years
2. Trustee, Superintendency Committee - 7 years
3. Past director, Lay (Servant) Speaking Ministries - 12 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Connectional Ministries - 7 years
2. Past director, Lay (Servant) Speaking Ministries - 8 years
3. Annual Conference lay member - 15+ years

### Home Church:

Faith UMC, Greer

District: Greenville

### Activities Beyond Conference:

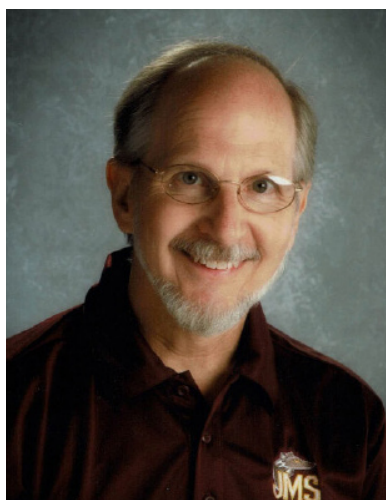
1. General, Jurisdictional Conference - 2004, 2008, 2012, 2016
2. Past President, SEJ Lay (Servant) Speaking Ministries - 6 years
3. Past director, Lay (Servant) Speaking Ministries Association - 4 years

### Qualification Summary:

Served the church at all levels. Wrote and passed legislation now included in the Book of Discipline. Served on key committee at General Conference 2016. Delegate to four General Conferences.

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## Doug Coffeen (Number 006)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Bible Study/Sunday School/VBS teacher - 47 years
2. UMMen: President, House Repair/Wheelchair Ramp  
Job Leader - 34 years
3. Upper Room Living Prayer Volunteer, 2 hours monthly - 32 years

### District Activities:

1. Camp Providence Counselor, Anderson District - 6 years
2. Habitat for Humanity worker/site leader - 29 years
3. Boy Scout Leader and Scoutmaster - 6 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Salkehatchie Summer Service youth, then site leader - 6 years
2. UMVIM: Missionary Construction in Haiti, 1976 - 2 weeks
3. ERT trained and served after 3 hurricanes - 3 years

### Home Church:

Macedonia UMC

District: Marion

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Independent study of evidence re: creation vs. evolution - 4 years
2. Independent study re: the Bible's authority/reliability - 4 years
3. Independent study re: God's will for sexual behavior - 2 years

### Qualification Summary:

Began knowing/following Jesus, 1970. Served as school teacher/administrator, 30 years. Celebrating 31st year of marriage: 3 adopted children, 7 grandchildren. Currently Church Council chair, focus on making disciples of Jesus.

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## Baron DeKalb (Number 007)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Chair Church Council - 3 years
2. Lay Delegate to Annual Conference - 6 years
3. SPRC - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Board of Lay Speakers/Servants - 3 years
2. Certified Lay Servant - 5 years

### Qualification Summary:

Serving and representing the church is an humble honor and gives me an opportunity to show God's love to those that I serve with and those I serve.

Home Church:  
Covenant UMC  
District: Greenville

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## Edward Enlow (Number 008)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Board of Trustees - 11 years
2. Chair PPRC - 3 years
3. Chair Administrative Council - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Certified lay servant - 15 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Lay delegate to Annual Conference - 4 years

### Qualification Summary:

Passion and commitment with a since of honor, that's how I served as a Marine and now as a servant of Christ within the UMC.

Home Church:  
Montgomery Memorial UMC  
District: Spartanburg



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## Emily Evans (Number 009)



### Local Church Activities:

1. VBS Leader - 3 years
2. Choir - 10 years
3. Bible Study Leader - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Salkehatchie Summer Service - 3 years
2. Winthrop Wesley Foundation - 2 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Council on Finance and Administration - 4 years
2. Conference Youth Choir - 1 year
3. Annual Conference delegate - 14 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. General Council on Finance and Administration - 4 years
2. General Board of Global Ministries - 2 years
3. General and Jurisdictional Conference delegate - 2008, 2012, 2016

Home Church:

First UMC

District: Marion

### Qualification Summary:

I served the South Carolina Conference as a delegate to three Jurisdictional Conferences and as an alternate to General Conference. I would be blessed to serve again in 2020.

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## Jan Fleming (Number 010)



### Local Church Activities:

1. UMW President - 4 years
2. UMW Vice President - 4 years
3. Bethel Trip Committee - 1 year

### District Activities:

1. UMW Representative for SCC - 4 years

### Conference Activities:

1. SCC Committee on Nominations - 4 years

### Qualification Summary:

Lifelong Methodist, 4th generation UMW. Served in 3 states on various committees. Attribute leadership, team building and communication skills from various positions held, to the Methodist Church and UMW.

Home Church:

Bethel UMC

District: Spartanburg

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## Scott Fleming (Number 011)



Home Church:  
Bethel UMC  
District: Spartanburg

### Local Church Activities:

1. Staff-Parish Relations Committee chair - 2015-2017, 2004-2004, 1 other 3-year term
2. Church Treasurer - 2018-present
3. Sanctuary Choir - 1981-present

### District Activities:

1. District Committee on Superintendency - 2007-present

### Conference Activities:

1. Lay delegate to Annual Conference - 2017-present

### Qualification Summary:

I am committed to the local church and desire to represent in a General Conference that understands and reflects the present and future realities of those congregations around the world.

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## David Graham (Number 012)



Home Church:  
Loris 1st UMC  
District: Marion

### Local Church Activities:

1. Sunday School Superintendent - 15 years
2. Lay Leader - 4 years
3. Usher - 20 years

### District Activities:

1. Lay Speaker - 3 years
2. Lay Teacher - 1 year
3. Emergency Disaster Relief Coordinator - 1 year

### Conference Activities:

1. Delegate to Annual Conference - 3 years
2. Native American Sunday Coordinator - 3 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Gideons - 8 years
2. Chaplain for veterans - 5 years
3. Devotions for various groups - 4 years

### Qualification Summary:

I have learned a lot about the Methodist denomination while attending Annual Conference. I feel privileged to be representing my church. Looking forward to seeing you in June.

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## Marvin J. Horton (Number 013)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Leader - 4 years
2. Vision Team - 4 years

### District Activities:

1. President, United Methodist Men - 4 years
2. Connectional Ministries - 6 years
3. Lay Speaker - 8 years

### Conference Activities:

1. President, United Methodist Men - 1 year
2. Core Member, UMM - 6 years
3. Disaster Relief & Rebuild - 3 years

### Home Church:

Good Samaritan UMC

District: Rock Hill

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Member, NACP, United Methodist Men - 3 years
2. Work in UMM - 40 years
3. Member, SEJ United Methodist Men

### Qualification Summary:

Joined UMC in 1973, member of four different UMCs. Served in leadership position in the local church. Served in leadership positions in two different districts in S.C. Serving in conference leadership through UMM and UMM.

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## Jeanette Jackson (Number 014)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Chancel Choir - 6 years
2. UMW circle - 7 years
3. Evangelism and Witness Team - 3 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Lay delegate to Annual Conference - 1 year

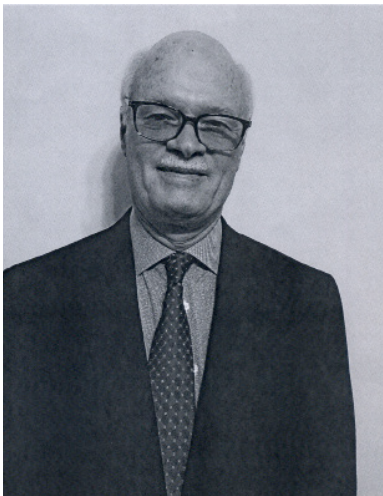
### Qualification Summary:

As a lifelong United Methodist, I've participated on committees in many churches in many states. In 2018, I attended my first Annual Conference as a lay delegate.

Home Church:  
Central UMC  
District: Florence

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## L. Wayne Jackson (Number 015)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Adult Ministries Team - 2 years
2. Outreach/Evangelism Team - 2 years
3. President - Methodist Men - 2 years

### District Activities:

1. Usher Coordinator - 1 year

### Conference Activities:

1. Chair, Future Sites Subcommittee of the Committee on the Annual Conference - 3 years

### Qualification Summary:

I have been very active in my local church as well as with the Committee on the Annual Conference for many years. I have the experience to be an effective delegate.

Home Church:  
Central UMC  
District: Florence



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## Jacquelyn Jenkins (Number 016)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Member to Annual Conference - 10+ years
2. Local Church Lay Leader - 10+ years
3. Worship Leader/Caring Group Leader - 10+ years

### District Activities:

1. District & Conference Board of Ordained Ministry - 11 years
2. Past Chair Walterboro Superintendency - 10+ years
3. Past District Director of Lay (Speaking) Ministries - 8 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Director of Lay Servant Ministries - 7 years
2. Human Relation Committee of the BOOM - 11 years
3. Connectional Ministries - 7 years

### Home Church:

St. Mark UMC

District: Walterboro

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Delegate to General & SEJ Conference, 2016 & 2019
2. Ex. Ofc. Nat'l Assoc. of Conf. & Dist. Directors LSM Convoc. - 4 years
3. Past Worship Team, Lake Junaluska, UMC Convocation - 10+ years

### Qualification Summary:

Committed to the Wesleyan way. Avid participant in local church. Vigorous advocate for partnership between laity and clergy. Committed to making disciples.

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## Lou Jordan (Number 017)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Director of Youth Ministries - 2000-2012 - 12 years
2. Lay Servant - 2009-present - 9 years
3. Sunday School Teacher - 1998-2012 - 14 years

### District Activities:

1. District Youth Coordinator - 2004-2011, 2014-2018 - 12 years
2. District Connectional Ministries, Discipleship - 2012-present, 6 years
3. Lay Servant Instructor - 2015-present - 3 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Conference Connectional Ministries - 2012-present - 6 years
2. Convener, Conference Connectional Ministries, Discipleship - 2016-present - 2 years
3. Campus Director of the Wesley Foundation at Francis Marion University - 2014-present - 4 years

### Home Church:

Central UMC

District: Florence

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Delegate to SEJ Conference - 2016 - 1 year

### Qualification Summary:

I am a lifelong member of the UMC. Serving as a delegate was an honor and I would be honored to serve again.

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## Herman Lightsey (Number 018)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Annual Conference Delegate - 16 years
2. Staff/Pastor Parish Relations Committee - 2 years
3. Facilitator Sunday School and small group studies - 35 years

### District Activities:

1. Certified Lay Servant and Course Facilitator - 25 years
2. Emmaus of Midlands, Table of Mark - 15 years
3. Forward Focus Facilitator - 5 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Board of Ordained Ministry member - 4 years
2. SC Conference of UMMen, immediate past president - 6 years
3. SC Conference Pension and Health Board, past chair - 8 years

Home Church:

Ashland UMC

District: Columbia

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Wespeth Benefits & Investments Board Member - 4 years
2. Delegate to General & SEJ Conference - 2012, 2016, 2019
3. VP National Assoc. of Conference Presidents - UMMen - 2 years

### Qualification Summary:

Christ Centered. Emmaus 2009. Lifetime ministry to men, SC Pres UMMen, VP Nat Assoc. Conf. Presidents 2018. Extensive experience in insurance and finance. Retired Army colonel. Great people skills.

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## Joe Locke (Number 019)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Choir - 45 years
2. Small Group Lead - 15 years
3. Youth Volunteer - 12+ years

### District Activities:

1. Limited to attending district sponsored events

### Conference Activities:

1. Attended 1 year ago

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Lake Junaluska Laity Conference - 1 year

### Qualification Summary:

Love of God, family, church, community and country. Service includes many different activities, leading, committees and teaching responsibilities; however, mission outreach is the most rewarding. Love to sing.

Home Church:

Bethel UMC

District: Spartanburg

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## Chris Lynch (Number 020)



Home Church:  
Trinity UMC  
District: Anderson

### Local Church Activities:

1. Youth Director - 16 years
2. Contemporary Worship Leader - 6 years

### District Activities:

1. District Youth Coordinator - 8 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Congregational Specialist - 7 years
2. Director - SC Ministries With Young People - 7 years
3. Conference Connectional Ministries - 7 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. SEJ Delegate - 1 year
2. SEJ Youth Leaders Group - 6 years

### Qualification Summary:

As a congregational specialist and a former local church staff member, I bring a unique perspective and passion as a voice for local congregations and young people in this culture.

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## Vicki McCarthy (Number 021)



Home Church:  
Inman UMC  
District: Spartanburg

### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Leader - 2011-present
2. Monthly Church Newsletter Editor - 2011-present
3. Adult Sunday School Class Teacher - 2003-2017

### District Activities:

1. Lay Servant Classes, Basic and Worship - 2014, 2017

### Conference Activities:

1. Lay Delegate to Annual Conference - 2010-2017
2. Board of Directors, Alston Wilkes Society - 2016-present

### Qualification Summary:

I am a lifelong Methodist who appreciates sacred traditions, but I will never use scripture or dogma to bar anyone from full inclusion in the church.

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## Kenneth Moore (Number 022)



Home Church:  
Advent UMC  
District: Greenville

### Local Church Activities:

1. Adult Discipleship Chairperson - 1 year
2. Worship Service Coordinator - 5 years
3. Elementary SS Shepherd - 10 years

### District Activities:

1. Lay Servant Ministry Director - 2 years
2. Lay Servant Ministry Instructor - 8 years
3. Connectional Ministries Committee - 2 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Connectional Ministries Committee - 3 years

### Qualification Summary:

As forty-year member of the UMC, I've served local churches, small and large, in almost every leadership role. Connected across local churches through Lay Servant Ministry. Engineer by trade.

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## Shirley Jean Pressley (Number 023)



Home Church:  
Friendship UMC  
District: Florence

### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Member to Annual Conference - 1 year
2. Pastor Parish Relations - 3 years
3. Financial Secretary - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Florence District Board of Trustees - 10+ years
2. Florence District UMW - Program Resources - 5 years

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## Jennifer Price (Number 024)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Staff Parish Relations Committee - 2 years
2. Church Council - 5 years
3. Africa Mission Team Member - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. Co-President of Wesley Foundation at FMU- 1 year
2. Member of Wesley Foundation at FMU- 4 years
3. Wesley Winter Retreat Participant - 2 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Lay Delegate for Highland Park UMC - 4 years
2. Member of Committee on Resolutions and Appeals - 2 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference delegate - 4 years

Home Church:  
Highland Park UMC  
District: Florence

### Qualification Summary:

Search me, God, know my heart; test me, know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, lead me in the way everlasting. Ps139:23-24

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## Lorine E. Price (Number 025)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Church School Teacher - 35 years
2. Superintendent of Church School - 3 years
3. Lay Servant - 8 years

Home Church:  
Friendship UMC  
District: Florence

### Qualification Summary:

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound. I thank him for his grace to allow me to share in his unmerited love. He wants me to make the discipleship on the journey.



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## Wilbur Reames (Number 026)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Chair - Worship Committee - 3 years
2. Teacher - Adult Sunday School Class - 5 years
3. Lay Leader - 1 year

### District Activities:

1. UMCSC orientation session participant - 2 years

### Conference Activities:

1. UMCSC lay delegate - 5 years

### Qualification Summary:

I am Methodist, born in Greenwood to Methodists, baptized in Savannah, dedicated MYFer in Newberry, educated at Wofford, challenged by Due West Calvinists, and committed since 1962 to St. Luke in Spartanburg.

Home Church:

St. Luke UMC

District: Spartanburg

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## Rebecca Rochester (Number 027)



### Local Church Activities:

1. UMW - 20 + years
2. Food Pantry Coordinator at Duncan Acres - 3 years
3. PPRC committee at Duncan Acres - 1 year

### District Activities:

1. Lay Servant - 4 years
2. UMW District Officer (Rock Hill District) - 4 years
3. District Church Location & Building Committee - 3 years

### Conference Activities:

1. SCCUMW Social Action Coordinator - 4 years
2. SCCUMW Mission u Dean - 2 years
3. SCCUMW Mission u Study Leader - 6 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Florida UMW Study Leader - 1 year
2. Workshop Leader UMW  
Southeastern Jurisdictional Meeting - 1 year
3. Attended UMW regional school of missions  
(Pre Mission u) - 4 years

### Qualification Summary:

As a professional educator, I will listen attentively at all GC sessions, study policy and proposals, and work cooperatively with other delegates aiming to follow God's will in all things.

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## William Rochester (Number 028)



Home Church:  
Duncan Acres UMC  
District: Spartanburg

### Local Church Activities:

1. Food Pantry - 1 year
2. Finance Committee - <1 year
3. United Methodist Men - 2 years

### District Activities:

1. District Connectional Ministry - 2 years
2. Lay Servant - 4 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Conference Connectional Ministry - 2 years
2. Bishop's Initiative for SC Education

### Qualification Summary:

Jesus said "come." Our food pantry is open to all. District and conference connections should be used to partner with others and share our resources and experiences.

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## James Salley (Number 029)



Home Church:  
Edisto Fork UMC  
District: Orangeburg

### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Member to Annual Conference - 30 years
2. Staff Parish Committee - 30 years
3. United Methodist Men - 40 years

### District Activities:

1. District Council - 7 years
2. District Lay Servant Ministries - 1 year
3. District and Certified Lay Ministries - 20 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Member of the General Conference Delegation - 30 years
2. Lay Member to Annual Conference - 30 years
3. SC Conference BMCR - 30 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

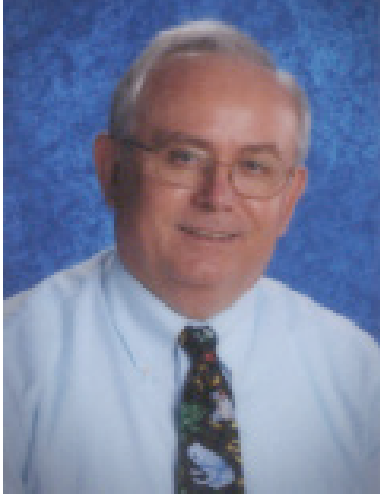
1. Strengthening The Black Church for the 21st Century - 16 years
2. Jurisdictional and General Conference - 34 years
3. GBHEM Investment Committee - 30 years

### Qualification Summary:

Lay person serving in the ministries of Africa University, Lay Servant Ministries, and other leadership areas as a mandate of my calling to make disciples of Jesus Christ.

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## David Salter (Number 030)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Member of Church Council - Vice Chair - 46 years
2. Delegate to Annual Conference - 15 years
3. Organist, Warrenville and St. John United Methodist Charge - 55 years

### District Activities:

1. District Connectional Table - Lay Leadership - 11 years
2. District Committee on Ordained Ministry - 7 years
3. Former District Lay Leader (Greenwood District) - 8 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Co-Associate Conference Lay Leader - 1 year
2. Connectional Ministries - Lay Leadership - 11 years
3. Committee on The Annual Conference - 3 years

Home Church:  
Warrenville UMC  
District: Greenwood

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Association of Conference Lay Leaders - 1 year

### Qualification Summary:

I am dedicated to United Methodist theological beliefs and polity. I have served at all levels in the connection. I pray for God's will in all decision making.

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## Larry Sanders (Number 031)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Lay Leader - 8 years
2. Lay Member Delegate Annual Conference - 3 years
3. Certified Lay Servant - 7 years

### District Activities:

1. Lay Servant Ministries - 7 years
2. Candidate for Lay Speaker and Pulpit Supply - 1 year

### Conference Activities:

1. Delegate to the Annual Conference - 3 years

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Various Civic Leadership and Organizational Development Positions - 15 years

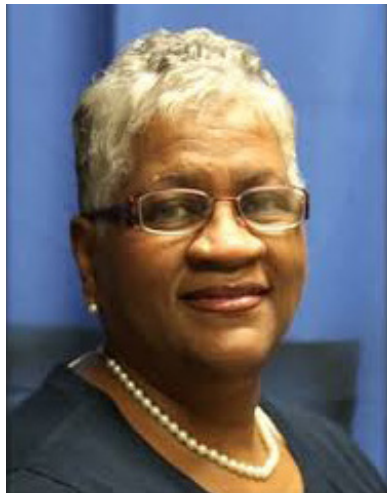
Home Church:  
Church of the Palms  
District: Walterboro

### Qualification Summary:

As an active United Methodist member for over 20 years, and Church Council Leader, Lay Leader and SC Delegate has given me the knowledge and experience to be considered.

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## Marlene Spencer (Number 032)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Church Treasurer - 6 years
2. Lay Servant - 10 years
3. UMW President, Vice President, Secretary - 16 years

### District Activities:

1. Connectional Ministries - 4 years
2. UMW District Secretary - 4 years
3. UMW District Secretary, Program Resources - 4 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Connectional Ministries - 4 years
2. UMW Conference President - 4 years
3. UMW Vice President and Secretary Program Resources - 8 years

### Home Church:

St. James UMC

District: Rock Hill

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. South Atlantic Region School of Christian Mission Committee on Nominations (UMW) - 3 years

### Qualification Summary:

Lifelong United Methodist/UMW. Local Church Treasurer, Lay Servant, Head Communion Steward, local UMW president; RH District Connectional Ministries; SCCUMW Conference President; Committee on Nominations-UMW Regional School of Missions.

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## Martha Thompson (Number 033)



### Local Church Activities:

1. Chair, Administrative Board - 3 years
2. Lay Member to Annual Conference - 36 years
3. Finance Committee - 3 years

### District Activities:

1. District Connectional Ministries - 16 plus years
2. Former Chair District Superintendency Committee - 12 years
3. Director of Summer Enrichment for Refugee Children - 4 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Chair of Children and Poverty Task Force - 6 years
2. Board of Ordained Ministry - 12 years
3. Conference Connectional Ministries - 16 years

### Home Church:

Mt. Horeb UMC

District: Columbia

### Activities Beyond Conference:

1. Lay Delegate to General and Jurisdictional Conference - 1988 to 2016
2. Secretary for Legislative Committee of Global Ministries - 2016 GC
3. Called General Conference - 2019

### Qualification Summary:

Lifelong Methodist who believes in our Wesleyan heritage. I have had broad experiences in the local church, district and the conference. I am honored to represent the SC Conference.



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## Betty Void (Number 034)



Home Church:  
Wesley UMC  
District: Columbia

### Local Church Activities:

1. Certified Lay Servant - 8 years
2. Safe Sanctuary Coordinator - 5 years
3. Sunday School Teacher - 4 years

### District Activities:

1. Columbia District Lay Leader - 7 years
2. Columbia District UMW President - 4 years
3. Killingsworth Home Ex-Officio - 10 years

### Conference Activities:

1. SC Conference Co-Associate Lay Leader - 1 year
2. SC Conference Lay Servant Instructor - 6 years
3. SC Youth Revolution Assistant - 10 years

### Qualification Summary:

I'm a lifelong United Methodist member, and I am committed to serving the local and General Church because of John Wesley's beliefs. "Open Hearts, Open Doors, Open Minds. The United Methodist Church."

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## Tony Watson (Number 035)



Home Church:  
Edgefield UMC  
District: Greenwood

### Local Church Activities:

1. Local Church Lay Leader and LMAC - 7+ years
2. Lay Servant Leader and Certified Lay Speaker - 25+ years
3. Teacher in several capacities - 30+ years

### District Activities:

1. District Lay Leader - 3 years
2. Connectional Ministries Committee - 7 years
3. Lay Servant Leaders' Teacher - 3 years

### Conference Activities:

1. Committee on Nominations - 3 years
2. Connectional Ministries - 3 years

### Qualification Summary:

Having felt God's call to Lay ministry, being a lifelong United Methodist, trusted by my local congregation and district, my privilege and pleasure has been to serve diligently placing God's word supreme in all decisions in keeping with the UMBOD.