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CARING FOR THE HUNGERS OF HUMANKIND

• SPIRITUAL • IDENTITY • PHYSICAL

World Hunger

Hunger is a world problem. Defying easy solutions, it cripples human capacities robbing its victims of life's basic opportunities. United Methodists will activate their compassion for those who suffer from starvation or malnutrition as they give money, energy and understanding to this cause. As a result of these gifts four approaches will be taken to this problem:

1. Alleviate hunger and its causes.
2. Cultivate a responsive Christian lifestyle.
3. Raise awareness and change public policy.
4. Conduct training and research in United Methodist institutions.

Chairperson:
Rev. Bruce E. Cooke

Ethnic Minority Local Church

Four major ethnic groups exist within United Methodism — Black, Hispanic, Asian and Native American. Each adds to the life of our Church from its traditions and each draws on the strength of the denomination for its own vitality. Specific needs to be met by this priority emphasis are:

1. Ministerial education and recruitment.
2. Local church nurture.
3. Church extension and development.
4. Salary supplements.
5. Outreach ministries.
6. Special funding.

Chairperson:
Rev. George O. Commodore

Evangelism

Evangelism is a tool used by the Church to reach persons for Christ. Its style embraces methods both traditional and innovative. A major effort called Decision Point: Church School will blend evangelism and Christian education into a productive stream. Three current concerns comprise this missional priority:

1. Challenge persons for commitment to Christ and His Church.
2. Build a supportive community which can nourish persons in the Christian faith.
3. Discover and implement more adequate ways to conserve United Methodist members.

Chairperson:
Rev. Everett C. Isaacs

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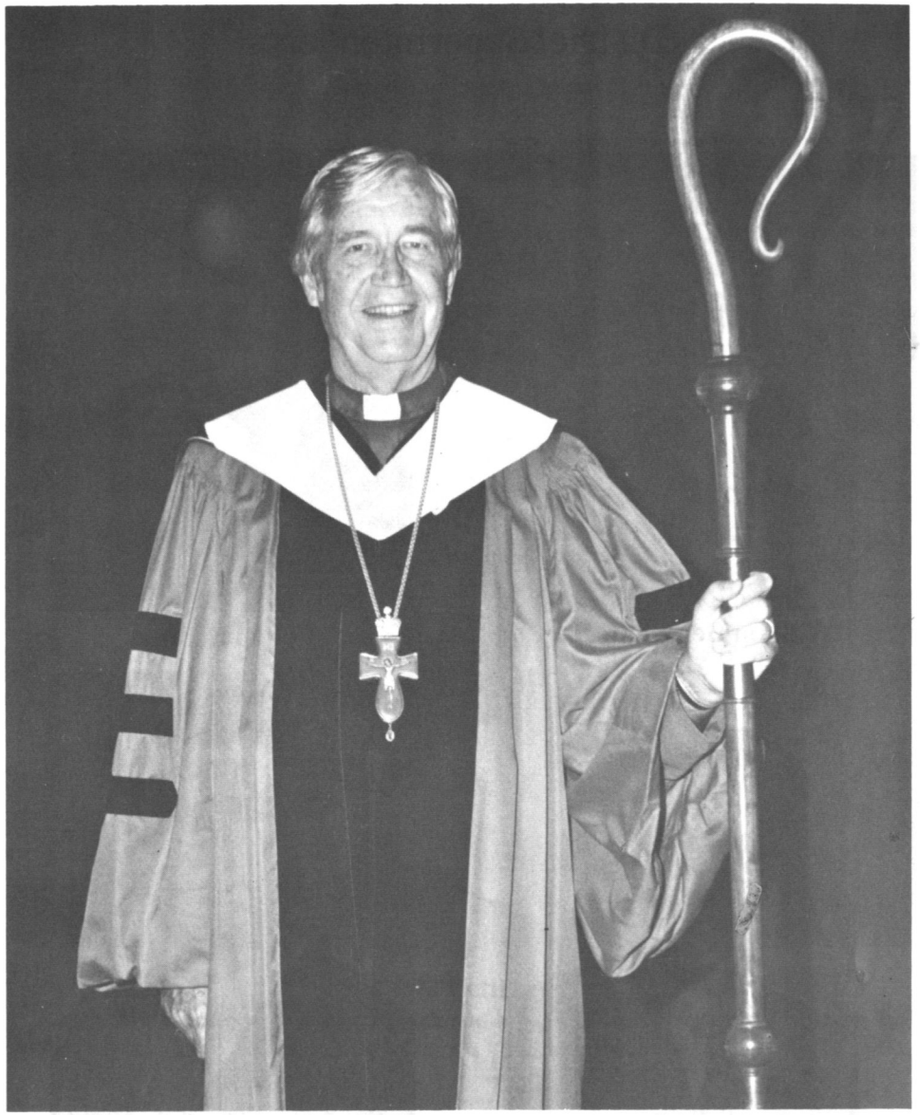

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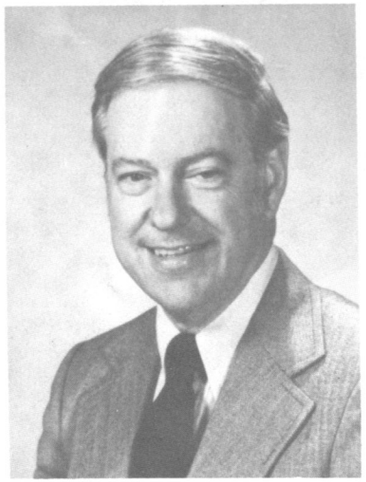

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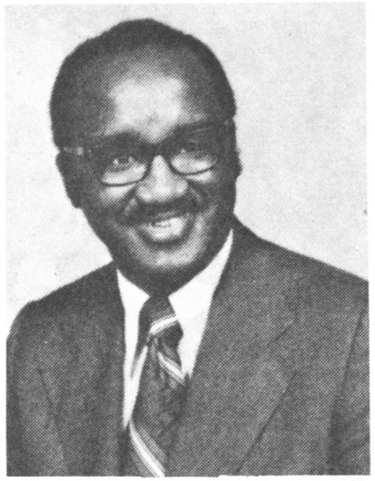

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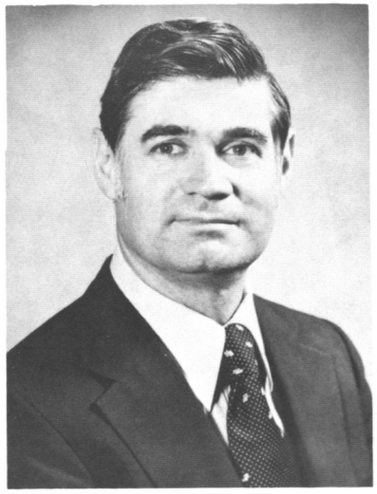

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III. Boards, Divisions, Commissions & Committees

Dates indicate when elected.

Rules and Guidelines for the Conference Nominating Committee to be found at the close of this section followed by the Directory of Laymen serving. (Those listed in the left-hand column are women, those in the center column are men, and those in the right-hand column are clergy.)

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XVI. Commission On Archives And History

President: Rev. Gerald A. Foster
Vice President: Willard Hickman
Secretary: Rev. William Fitzhugh
Ex-Officio: Cabinet Representative - William H. Revelle, Jr.
Staff Representative:

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Mrs. Paul Pepper (73)
Mrs. Meredith Warren (76)
Joseph Bellmeyer (78)
Willard Hickman (72)
W. R. Jones (76)
Joseph W. Soltow (72)
William H. Fitzhugh (73)
Gerald A. Foster (73)
Gerald M. Henderson (74)
James W. Riley (74)

Conference Historian: George L. Caley (76)

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Vance Elbert (77)
J. Thomas Ober (72)
James Robinson (78)

Joseph C. Bostick (72)
Claude Brown (76)
James B. Doughten (76)
Earl L. Magill (76)
Carrol Scott (76)
G. Francis Wilson (77)

XVIII. Commission On Religion And Race

Chairperson: John F. Holden
Vice-Chairperson:
Secretary: Mrs. Darlene Webb
Ex-Officio: Cabinet Representative - William H. Revelle, Jr.
Gen'l. Board Representative: Felton E. May
State Representative: Nathaniel Miller

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Mrs. Garland Carney (76)
Mrs. Bettie Collins (78)
Mrs. Darlene Webb (72)

Dr. George Chen (72)
W. Kennard Harding (76)
Tindley C. Pinder (72)
Howard Wright (72)

W. Hayward Greene (72)
John F. Holden (76)
William T. Sterling (77)
Lawrence E. Wimbrow (77)

XIX. Commission On Status And Role Of Women

Chairperson: Mrs. Susan Kester
Vice-Chairperson: H. Thomas Welch
Secretary: Pam Harris
Representative of the United Methodist Women: Mrs. Evelyn Taylor
Cabinet Representative: William Hemphill
State Representative: David Riffe
Youth:

Mrs. Mary Cuff (76)
Miss Pam Harris (78)
Mrs. Mauvette Hurst (78)
Mrs. Susan Kester (76)
Miss Nancy Osgood (76)
Mrs. Lucille Scott (76)
Mrs. Esther Williams (78)

H. Thomas Welch (76)

Hester O. Johnson (76)
Pamela Ledbetter (78)
Earl L. Magill (78)
C. Jackson Robinson (77)
Fred C. Seyfert (76)

XX. Committee On Disability

Board of the Ordained Ministry (2)
Board of Pensions (2)
Cabinet Representative:

XXI. Committee On Ministerial Benefits

2 Members-Council on Finance & Administration
2 Members-Board of Pensions
1 District Superintendent: William Hemphill

XXII. Conference Committees

A. Annual Conference Arrangements

Ex-Officio: The Resident Bishop
Host District Superintendent: William H. Revelle, Jr.
Secretary of the Conference: Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
Conference Lay Leader: James C. Hardcastle
President of Wesley College: Dr. R. Jervis Cooke
Host District Lay Leader: Richard Lort
Chairman Division on Worship: Rev. Glenn P. Catley, Jr.
Host District United Methodist Women President:
Mrs. Leroy (Clara) Boss
Conference Council Director: Rev. David W. Baker
Conference United Methodist Women President:
Mrs. Kennard (Marie) Brown
Assoc. Council Director-Communications: Rev. Richard D. Bailey
Conference Business Manager: Theodore W. Briggs
Chaplain, Wesley College: Robert Starrett
Youth (2)
Rep., Wesley College: Joseph Tubbs

B. Episcopal Residence

Thomas C. Roe (72)
W. Leon Taylor (72)

G. Wayne Cuff (72)
John A. Irwin (72)

C. Investigation

Appointed Annually by the Bishop

Member	Reserve Member
Edward B. Blevins (72)	G. Wayne Cuff (76)
Ewart C. Hackshaw (73)	Robert L. Harris (76)
Perry O. Hill (72)	Clarence H. Hayes (73)
William H. Owens (72)	Thomas Hurley (76)
Ira D. Steckman (73)	Daniel Rich (76)

D. Nominations

The Cabinet: William Hemphill, Jr.
Felton E. May
William H. Revelle, Jr.
Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.

Conference Lay Leader: James C. Hardcastle
Lay Leaders of Each District
Dover: Richard Lort
Easton: Francis Turpin
Salisbury: Robert Taylor
Wilmington: J. Robert Ashton

A representative selected by the U.M.W. Executive Committee:
Mrs. Kennard (Marie) Brown

District Presidents of the United Metnodist Women
Dover: Mrs. Leroy (Clara) Boss
Easton: Mrs. Josef (Lillian) Liener

Salisbury: Mrs. Marion W. Ward
Wilmington: Mrs. Robert (Alice) Powrie

A Youth selected by the Conference Youth Council:

One Minister under appointment from each district:
Dover: George C. Godfrey
Easton:
Salisbury:
Wilmington: Harvey Chase

Conference Council Director: David W. Baker

Chairperson: Cabinet Chairperson
Secretary: Conference Lay Leader

E. **Committee on the Episcopacy**

Mrs. Blanche Crim	William C. Bicknell	George O. Commodore
Miss Pam Harris	A. Frank Chapman	P. Thomas McKelvey

Chairperson: Felton E. May
At Large: R. Jervis Cooke

XXIII. Council On Finance And Administration

President: Rev. Otho G. Brewer
Vice President: Mrs. Lida Wells
Secretary: Walter H. Beckwith

Mrs. Nancy Harris (75)	Jack Elliott (72)	Walter H. Beckwith (72)
Mrs. Josephine Merrill (76)	Robert Powrie (76)	Otho G. Brewer (76)
Mrs. Lida Wells (72)	James E. Thomas (74)	C. E. Lasbury (76)
		Paul E. McCoy (76)

Ex-Officio: (without vote) 4 District Superintendents
Conference Treasurer: Edward J. Steiner
Council on Ministries Director: David W. Baker

PROPERTY COMMITTEE

	Thomas S. Lodge	Otho G. Brewer
Dover District		
Mrs. Nancy Harris	James Baxter	William H. Revelle, Jr.
Mrs. Katherine Prettyman		
Easton District		
Mrs. Delia B. Denny	James E. Thomas	Felton E. May
Salisbury District		
Mrs. Marianna Holloway	Jack Elliott	Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.
	Maurice Hancock	

Wilmington District

Mrs. Wm. A. Wollerton (Dorothy)	Robert Powrie	William Hemphill, Jr.
	Milton H. Wahl	

STAFF PARSONAGES

Dover District
Rev. David W. Baker
Rev. Nathaniel L. Miller

The parsonage resident is a member of the district parsonage committee only as it relates to his or her parsonage.

Easton District
Rev. John W. Simpers, Jr.
Rev. Walter H. Stone

Ex-Officio Members:
President: Conference Board of Trustees
Conference Business Manager - Theodore W. Briggs

XXIV. Council On Ministries

President: Robert P. Whitlock
Vice President: Dr. W. Leon Taylor
Secretary: Virginia Clendaniel

At Large Members

Thelma Alford (72)	Kermit Cottman (72)	George C. Godfrey (76)
Mrs. Marian Ellis (76)	Gilbert Scarborough (72)	Buford E. Painter (77)
Mrs. Omega Frazier (77)	Jack Sparks (76)	Thomas C. Short (72)
		William M. Staten (72)

Ex-Officio (with vote)

Resident Bishop: James K. Mathews
District Superintendents:

William Hemphill, Jr.	William H. Revelle, Jr.
Felton E. May	Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.

Conference Secretary: Clifford A. Armour, Jr.

Board of Church & Society		
Doris Phillips	Grover Johnson	Jonathan Baker
Board of Discipleship		
Virginia Clendaniel	W. Leon Taylor	Gary L. Moore
Board of Global Ministries		
Lucille Langrall	Orme Meade	Howell O. Wilkins
Board of Higher Education & Ministry		
Carol Wilkins	Norwood Purnell	George Stellges
Commission on Religion & Race		John Holden
Commission on Status and Role of Women		Susan Kester

Commission on Archives & History — Gerald A. Foster

Conference Lay Leader — James Hardcastle

Assoc. Conf. Lay Life & Work — Francis Waegel

Conference President Methodist Men: Ralph O'Day

District Lay Leaders
Dover: Richard Lort
Easton: Francis Turpin
Salisbury:
Wilmington: J. Robert Ashton

Conference President United Methodist Women: Mrs. Kennard (Marie) Brown

District United Methodist Women Presidents
Dover: Mrs. Leroy (Clara) Boss
Easton: Mrs. Josef (Lillian) Liener
Salisbury: Mrs. Marion Ward
Wilmington: Mrs. Robert (Alice) Powrie

	Lay Men or Lay Women	Clergy
Board of the Ordained Ministry		John Irwin
Board of the Diaconal Ministry	Mrs. June Bostick	
Board of Pensions		Charles E. Barton Jr.
Board of Trustees		Terry W. Armstrong
Commission on Equitable Salaries		Joseph Bostick
Pen. Homes & Hospitals	Eldon M. Robinson	
Wesley College Trustees		Robert P. Whitlock
Youth Council	Herman Lipsius	
Youth Council	William Messenger	
College - Wesley Foundation	Timothy Duffield	
General - Council on Ministries	James Hardcastle	R. Jervis Cooke
Coordinator for Children	Jeanette Armour	
Coordinator for Youth		George Godfrey
Coordinator for Adult		Thos. Donnachie III
Coordinator for Family		
Ex-Officio (without vote)		
President-Council on Finance and Administration		Otho G. Brewer
Conference Treasurer	Edward Steiner	
Conference Business Manager	Theodore W. Briggs	
Conference Foundation	Judge K. Thomas Everngam	
Exec. Dir. Homes & Hospitals, Inc.	Wallace Watson	
Full-time Campus Minister		Patricia Farris
Chairperson, Div. of Evangelism		Everett C. Isaacs
Coordinator of Education and Cultivation For Board of Global Ministries		Harold E. Walton

Executive Director-Delmarva Ecumenical Agency — Donald E. Leiter
Executive Secretary-Methodist Action Program — James Young
President-Wesley College — Dr. R. Jervis Cooke
Council Director — David W. Baker
Associate Council Director — David Riffe
Associate Council Director — Nathaniel L. Miller
Associate Council Director — Richard D. Bailey
Associate Council Director — Walter H. Stone
Associate Council Director — John W. Simpers, Jr.
Chairperson Hunger Task Force — Bruce E. Cooke
Chairperson Ethnic Minority Local Church Task Force — George Commodore
Chairperson - Camps and Retreat Centers — Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
Chairperson - Communication — James Hartman
Chairperson - Research and Planning — Mrs. Jeanne Flemming

XXV. Delmarva Ecumenical Agency

Mrs. Cleo Henry (72)
President of the United Methodist Women - Mrs. Kennard (Marie) Brown

Chairperson of Ecumenical & Interreligious Concerns - Howell O. Wilkins
Council on Ministries Director - David W. Baker
Cabinet Representative- Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.

XXVI. District Committees

DOVER

(1) Board of Church Location and Building
Lay Members

(2) Committee on the Ministry

Ministers
William H. Hudson (78)
Charles M. Moyer (70)
John T. Randolph (74)
Ira D. Steckman (74)

(3) Board of the Laity
Lay Leader: Richard Lort (75)
Associate Lay Leaders: James Marvel, Leroy Conners, Lester F. Johnson, Robert David, William Slatcher, Fred G. Cephas, Emmerson Holloway.
Director of Lay Life & Work: James Evans
Director of Methodist Men: Chas. Lurwick
Director of Lay Speaking: Thomas McDougall
Ministerial Members: George C. Godfrey, Edward H. Jackson

(4) Council on Ministries
Work Area Chairmen:
Ecumenical & Interreligious Concerns: George Godfrey (77)
Education:
Evangelism: Thomas Hurley (78)
Health and Welfare: Robert P. Hall (77)

Missions: J. Ronald Owens (78)
Church and Society: Edward Gladden (78)
Stewardship: Robert L. Harris (74)
Worship:
Career Planning & Counseling: K. Wayne Grier (75)
Age Level Coordinators:
Children: Mrs. Cindy Quillen
Youth: Michael L. Price and Pamela Ledbetter
Adult: Thomas Hurley
Family:
District United Methodist Women President: Mrs. Clara Boss
District Director of Public Relations: Raymond T. Hopkins III
Dover District Committee on District Superintendent

EASTON

(1) Board of Church Location and Building

Lay Members	**Ministers**
Dewey Townsend (77)	Phillip A. Henry (76)
Leon Taylor (72)	William H. Owens (72)
Calvin Webster (72)	Charles Donophan (78)

(2) Committee on the Ministry

George Commodore (77)	Carrol Scott (77)
Chas. Huffman (75)	Dan E. Walker (74)
Everett C. Isaacs (72)	

(3) Board of the Laity
Lay Leader: J. Francis Turpin (74)
Associate Lay Leaders:

Eugene Pinder (77)	William J. Marshall (78)
Richard E. Cooke (78)	Chas. Schelts (77)
George H. Casper (78)	Irvin E. Murray (78)
Simms Jacquette (78)	Harold Richardson (71)
Clarence Johnson (73)	Joseph Soltow (71)
Leon Lewis (78)	W. Leon Taylor (78)
Warren Linton (76)	James E. Thomas (74)

District Director of Lay Life and Work: Irvin E. Murray
District Director of Methodist Men: James M. Simmons
District Director of Lay Speaking: Eugene Pinder
Conference Director of Lay Speaking: Joseph Soltow
District President of United Methodist Women:
Mrs. Josef (Lillian) Liener
At large members:
District Youth Members: Laurie Donophan and Lisa McAffee

(4) Council on Ministries
Work Area Chairmen:
Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns: Chas. Donophan
Education: Chas. Huffman
Evangelism: Roy Graham
Missions: Dan Walker
Church and Society: Hervey Greer
Stewardship: Clarence Hayer
Worship: Terry Armstrong
Career Planning and Counseling: Cordella Brown
Health and Welfare: Gonzalee Matthews
Religion and Race: Widmon Butler
Age Group Coordinators:
Children:

Youth: Gary Trail (78); Joseph Burris
Adult: Wm. Sterling
Family: Tom P. Donnachie
District United Methodist Women President:
Mrs. Josef (Lillian) Liener
District Director of Public Relations: Norman Poultrey
Easton District Committee on the Superintendency:

Mrs. Thelma Alford	J. Francis Turpin
Mrs. Lillian Liener	Joseph W. Soltow
Mrs. Blanche Orth	Harold Davis
Mrs. Lucille Scott	Widman Butler
James Thomas	Lawrence Wimbrow

President of Ministerial Association
Ministers: Dale Vroman
Spouses: Mrs. Carrol Scott (Lucille)
Area Committee on the Episcopacy:

SALISBURY

(1) Church Building and Location

Lay Members	**Ministers**

(2) Committee on the Ministry
(3) Board of Laity
District Lay Leader: Robert Taylor
Associate Lay Leaders:
Somerset County
Wicomico County
Worcester County
Director of Lay Life & Work:
Director of Lay Speaking:
Director of Methodist Men:
Director of Stewardship & Finance:
President of United Methodist Women: Mrs. Marion Ward (75)
Ministerial Member:
(4) Council on Ministries
Work Area Chairperson
Church and Society: Curtis Smith (71)
Ecumenical & Interreligious Concerns: Alfred E. Taylor (76)
Education: Vaughn Johnson (76)
Evangelism: Brooks E. Reynolds (76)
Health and Welfare: Howard P. Kotterman, Jr. (77)
Stewardship:
Worship: John N. Brittain (76)
Religion and Race: W. Hayward Greene (76)
Career Planning & Counseling: Norman Tilghman (76)
Missions:
Age Level Coordinators:
Children:
Youth: D. Gail Cooke (76)
Adult:
Family: Wm. and Carolyn Kniceley
Presidents of Ministerial Association:
Ministers:
Ministers Mates:
Public Relations:

Salisbury District Committee on the Superintendency:
Mrs. Paula Bunstring — Thomas Truitt
Mrs. Elizabeth Savage — W. Hayward Greene
Mrs. Marian Word — Thomas J. Well
Gene Crag

WILMINGTON

(1) Board of Church Location and Building

Lay Members	**Ministers**
James Beall (77)	C. E. Lasbury (73)
Dana J. Pyle (72)	Arley Golden (74)
Joseph Redding (72)	James Young (76)

(2) Committee on the Ministry:
Jonathan E. Baker (76) — Harold Owens (73)
Chas. Barton (76) — Frank Tulak (74)
G. Wayne Cuff (76) — Dilio Mariotti (78)

(3) Board of the Laity
District Lay Leader: J. Robert Ashton
Associate Lay Leaders:
Richard Comley — Theodore E. Hynson
W. Keith McMahen — Carol Ann Hurst
Arlington O. Miller — William Ball
Dorothea Leach
Director of Lay Speaking: Robt. H. Shiver
Ministerial Members: Donald O. Clendaniel, Sr.

(4) Council on Ministries:
Work Area Chairpersons:
Church and Society:
Ecumenical Affairs: Ronald Bugman
Education: Robert Thomas
Evangelism: Donald Hurst
Health and Welfare: Willard Robinson
Stewardship: Robert Helms
Worship: Kenneth Fansler
Public Relations:
Missions:
Career Planning and Counseling:
Age Level Coordinators:
Children: Jeanetta Benedict
Youth: Harvey Manchester, Jr. and Pam Harris
Adult: Harold P. Spadden
Family: Frank E. Tulak
District United Methodist Women President: Mrs. Alice Powrie (Robert)
Wilmington District Committee on the Superintendency:
Mrs. Jean Fleming — Carl Feucht
Mrs. Betty Obershain — Kennard Harding
Mrs. Donna Quigley — Chas. E. Barton
Miss Donna Short — Harvey Chase
Edward Baker — Donald J. Hurst

XXVII. General And Jurisdictional Board Members

General Council on Ministries: R. Jervis Cooke, James Hardcastle
General Board of Discipleship: Mrs. Cora Selby
General Board of Global Ministries: J. Wallace Watson

General Board of Publications: John R. Shockley
Northeastern Jurisdictional Committee on Program and Arrangements: J. Gordon Stapleton
Northeastern Jurisdictional Committee on Boundaries: Ralph O'Day
Northeastern Jurisdictional Comm. on Episcopacy: A. Frank Chapman
General Commission on Religion and Race: Felton E. May

RULES AND GUIDELINES FOR THE CONFERENCE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

A.

1. That the Peninsula Conference again record its faith in the Principle of Rotation and adherence to the provisions of the Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church.

2. That the Nominating Committee be composed of the Cabinet, the Conference Lay Leader, the Lay Leader of each District, a representative selected by the United Methodist Women Executive Committee, the District Presidents of the United Methodist Women, a youth selected by the Conference Youth Council, one minister under appointment from each District to be elected for a quadrennium by the respective District Ministerium, and the Conference Council Director.

3. That, since the quadrennial system is an established part of Methodist economy, all members of boards, commissions, and committees shall be elected for a quadrennium unless restricted by discipline, charter, or other legal requirements. In the event of such legal restrictions, the Principle of Rotation is still to be observed.

4. That no member of any board, committee, or commission shall serve more than two consecutive quadrennia on said board, committee or commission and shall be ineligible to be re-elected until after one quadrennium has elapsed, except members of boards, committees, or commissions elected for three year terms may serve three consecutive terms and shall be ineligible to be re-elected until after one term has lapsed and except that, when a member is elected to fill an unexpired quadrennium or term, and serve not more than one additional consecutive quadrennium or term.

5. That no member of the conference, lay or ministerial, shall serve on more than two boards, commissions, or committees concurrently. Ex-officio membership on conference boards or agencies shall not count toward the total of two unless such membership exceeds two. In cases where a member is an ex-officio member on more than two boards or agencies, all excess of two shall count toward the total of two. The following shall not be under the conference rotation system nor counted in the above total; district committees or secretaries, Wesley College Trustees, Board of Directors of the Wesley Foundations, Board of Trustees of the Peninsula Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc., the Episcopal Residence Committee and the Committee on Investigation. In the case of the Board of the Ministry, the Nominating Committee is to request the courtesy of the bishop to inform them as to those persons who will be named to the Board of Ministry, in order to assist the Nominating Committee in equal distribution of responsibility on the part of the conference ministry members. The Nominating Committee will consider membership on the Board of Ministry as one of two memberships permitted to each minister.

6. Insofar as possible, the membership on Councils, Boards, and agencies of the Annual Conference shall include one-third clergy, one-third laywomen, and one-third laymen, in keeping with policies for general church agencies, except for the Board of the Ordained Ministry.

7. That ministerial membership on Annual Conference boards and agencies shall be limited to conference members and associate members of the Peninsula Annual Conference. In order to be eligible to serve on the conference boards and agencies, lay members shall be members of a local church within the Annual Conference. The Conference Nominating Committee may select other persons as affiliate members without vote.

8. "In recognition of the Rights of the Aging" as stated in the Social Creed of the United Methodist Church (Page 92 of the Discipline), age shall not be a barrier to service on any board, council, or agency of the Annual Conference. However, the Conference Nominating Committee shall give careful attention to assuring that younger members of the Conference are given full opportunity for service.

9. That a conscientious effort shall be made to distribute membership geographically. No fixed number shall be assigned, however, to any one district, since this could become artificial and impractical. Consideration shall be given to the inclusion of lay and clergy persons from small membership churches.

10. That the Cabinet select only one representative from the Cabinet to serve on a conference board and all the divisions of that board, and one cabinet representative each on all other support agencies except where the Discipline states otherwise.

11. That failure to attend the particular board or agency to which one is assigned for at least one called meeting during the year, without written explanation or statement of intended activity to the chairperson of that board or agency, one will be subject to automatic removal in the next nominating committee's report. A report of the board or agency chairperson to the secretary of the Conference Nominating Committee by March 1st will include the attendance record of his board, committee or agency.

12. That the Conference Nominating Committee designate persons to serve as a Nominating Committee for the Boards, Commissions and Committees. The District Superintendent assigned to the agency is the convenor of this committee. The nominating committee shall be prepared at the organizational meeting to nominate officers for the quadrennium.

13. That the date of election to any board, commission or committee be clearly indicated in the Journal.

14. That in every case a nominee to any boards, commission, or committee shall be notified and consent to serve before the name is placed before the Conference. When vacancies occur in report, nominations may be made from the floor, provided that the nominee is present and agrees to serve.

15. That quadrennial boards shall have two even classes; triennial boards shall have three evenly divided classes.

16. That, recognizing again the belief in the principle of rotation in order to involve greater leadership, all district committees and officers shall be elected to four-year terms with a maximum of eight years and persons shall be ineligible for re-election until after a four-year term has elapsed, with the exception of the District Committee of Ordained Ministry and the District Committee on Church Building and Location which shall serve a minimum of four years and a maximum of eight years.

B.

Concerning the Nominating Committee, its report and the securing of talent:

1. That the report of the Nominating Committee at the Annual Conference session will reflect a complete adherence to all the guidelines established by the Annual Conference.

2. The Nominating Committee shall distribute mimeographed copies of its report to the Annual Conference on the day **before** the report is to be voted on by the Conference.

3. That forms shall be circulated for both ministers and laymen in local churches to indicate areas of interest, thus creating a Talent Bank. In addition, the same form shall be sent to members of the Cabinet, Board of Laity, Conference United Methodist Women, Executive Committee, and Conference Youth Council in order to obtain names that might otherwise be overlooked. These forms shall be returned to the secretary of the Conference Nominating Committee.

4. That a complete file of all ministers in the Conference should be kept indicating where each man is serving in terms of Conference boards and agencies. Laymen should likewise be listed on a similar file. A third file would be divided between ministers and laymen as part of the Conference Talent Bank.

5. That a minimum of four meetings per year should be held by the Nominating Committee (it may be advisable that the committee meet more often, since its influence is so broad; whenever the committee approaches a new quadrennium, this latter need for additional meetings may be more evident).

6. That the above adopted guidelines for the Nominating Committee of the Annual Conference shall become a printed part of its report at each Annual Conference session.

7. That at the beginning of a new quadrennium, a complete and open look at membership on all boards and agencies shall be initiated by the Conference Nominating Committee and all personnel shall be eligible for re-alignment in accordance with A-5.

Miscellaneous

1. That the council director, associate council directors, the home administrators, not be elected to boards and agencies under the conference rotation but serve only as ex-officio where assigned by the council director.

2. That two (2) high school youth (preferably 10th and 11th grades) shall be members of the following boards, divisions and committees: Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns, Division of Education, Division of Evangelism, Division of Health and Welfare Ministries, Division of Missions, Board of Church and Society, Division of Career Planning and Counseling, Division of Worship, Conference Council on Ministries, Board of the Laity, Conference Nominating Committee, and Committee on Conference Arrangements. These shall be selected by the Conference Youth Council each year.

LAITY SERVING THE PENINSULA CONFERENCE ON BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES AND DIVISIONS

Numbers in ( ) indicate where serving

Alford, Donald, 213 Florence Avenue, McDaniel Crest, Wilmington, DE 19803 (7)
Alford, Mrs. Thelma C., Box 322, Oxford, Md. 21654 (16,24)
Armour, Mrs. Jeanette, Box 88, Ocean City, Md. 21842 (24)
Armstrong, Mrs. Althea W., 114 Davis Circle, Dover, DE (2)
Armstrong, Lewis D., 2402 Cedar Street, Roselle, Wilmington, DE 19805 (2)
Ashton, J. Robert, 410 Atkinson Road, Westview, Wilmington, DE 19804 (7, 22 d, 24)

Babcock, Dale F., 711 River Road, Wilmington, DE 19810 (12)
Baker, Mrs. Donna K., Box 326, Cecilton, Md. 21913 (2)
Baker, Fred L., 442 Mimosa Drive, Dover, DE 19901 (6)
Baker, Mrs. Warren, Box 30, R.D. 1, Middletown, DE 19709 (1)
Barry, Mrs. Judy, 318 Hickory Ridge Road, Garrison Lake, Smyrna, DE 19977 (2)
Baxter, James, RD #3, Box 33, Georgetown, DE 19947 (7, 23)
Bellmeyer, Joseph, 22 Elm Terrace, Dover, DE 19901 (16)
Bennett, Howard, RD 4, Easton, Md. 21601 (17)
Bicknell, Mrs. William, 1502 Camden Avenue, Salisbury, Md. 21801 (22 e)
Biles, Mrs. Virginia, 15 Rene Carr Street, Elkton, Md. 21921 (13)
Biondi, O. Francis (15)
Black, Mrs. Margaret, 471 Robinson Drive, Wilmington, DE 19801 (8)
Blades, A. T. (14)
Bostick, Mrs. June, Fruitland, Maryland 21826 (11, 24)
Boss, Mrs. Clara, 538 West Street, Dover, DE 19901 (8, 22 a, 22 d, 24)
Breeding, Mrs. G. Ray, Box 74, Greensboro, Md. 21639 (3)
Brininger, Alton, Route 4, Box 199, Berlin, Maryland 21811 (2)
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3. Bridgeville 19933	Bridgeville Charge Bethel (Harper's Road) Mt. Calvary (28 Church St.) Trinity (Dublin Hill)	Gary L. Meekins 502 N. Cannon St. Bridgeville, DE 19933 R. 337-7720 C. 337-7090	1
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8. Clarksville 19937	Clarksville Charge Union Wesley Zoar (Selbyville)	EDWARD H. JACKSON Clarksville, DE 19937 R. 539-4674	5
9. Clarksville 19937	Clarksville: St. George's (Main Road, Rte 26)	IVON P. DOWNING Clarksville, DE 19937 R. 539-7040 C. 539-7491	5
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17. Frederica 19946	Frederica Charge Sardis (Thompsonville) Saxton's (Bower's Rd) Trinity (Front Street)	Nelson B. Benjamin Frederica, DE 19946 R. 335-5388	3
18. Georgetown 19947	Georgetown Charge Bethesda (Stockley) Providence (Shortley) St. John's (Hrbsn-Mlsbro Rd)	(AUSTIN BRITTINGHAM) Rte 1, Box 208 Georgetown, DE 19947 R. & C. 856-2449	4
19. Georgetown 19947	Georgetown: Grace McColley's Chapel	William M. Fitzhugh, Jr. 300 East Market Street Georgetown, DE 19947 R. 856-6119 C. 856-6245	5
20. Georgetown 19947	Georgetown-Wesley Charge Indian Mission (nr Millsboro) Wesley	H. Sterling Green 102 East Laurel Street Georgetown, DE 19947 R. 856-2624 C. 856-2414	4
21. Greenwood 19950	Greenwood Charge Epworth (nr Bdgvle, n R 404) Greenwood (W Mkt & Church) Todd's Chapel	JAMES B. DOUGHTEN P. O. Box 31 Greenwood, DE 19950 R. 349-4324 C. 349-4047	5
22. Gumboro	Gumboro-Whitesville Bethany Bethel (near Gumboro) Gumboro Line	(CLIFTON HOPE) R. D. 3, Box 243 Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 238-7274	2

23. Harrington 19952	Harrington-Houston Charge Asbury (200 Weiner Ave.) Houston (Houston)	Alvin J. Willink 203 Weiner Ave. Harrington, DE 19952 R. 398-3444 C. 398-3390	4
24. Harrington 19952	West Harrington Charge Bethel (Andrewville) Prospect (Vernon) Salem (Farmington) Trinity (Cmrce & Mispillian)	K. Wayne Grier 63 Commerce Street Harrington, DE 19952 R. 398-8367 C. 398-3843	4
25. Hartly 19953	Hartly	(William J. Garrett) Rte 4, Box 705, Delshire Dover, DE 19901 R. 736-1308	4
26. Laurel 19956	Laurel: Centenary (Market & Poplar Sts.)	Otho G. Brewer, Jr. 133 Oak Lane Drive Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-3643 C. 875-3983	4
27. Laurel 19956	Laurel Charge St. Paul's (2 m SE) Shiloh (3 m E) Trinity (6 m E)	*Paul E. Isaacs 146 Delaware Ave. Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-2537	2
28. Laurel 19956	Laurel: Christ Woodland Ferry	Romie H. Payne, Jr. 601 S. Central Avenue Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-7827	3
29. Laurel 19956	Laurel-Delmar New Zion (430 W. 6th St.) Union (Pine & Va., Delmar)	*George H. Radway 508 West Street Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-2110	1
30. Laurel 19956	Laurel-Mt. Pleasant King's (nr Hearn's Crssrds) Mt. Pleasant (Rte 24) St. George's (Bacon)	EDWARD M. GLADDEN 814 S. Central Ave. Laurel, DE 19956 R. 875-3417	1
31. Lewes 19958	Bethel-Groome Bethel (4th & Market Sts.) Groome (Savannah Rd. & Dewey Ave.)	K. Richard Varell, Jr. 130 West 4th St. Lewes, DE 19958 R. 645-9237 C. 645-9426	1
32. Lewes 19958	Lewes Charge Israel (W of Belltown) John Wesley (Belltown) Mt. Pleasant (nr Rhboth Ave.) St. Paul's (4th & Park Aves.)	Albert J. Dredden Rte 1, Box 112 Lewes, DE 19958 R. 645-2990	1
33. Lincoln 19960	Lincoln Charge Cedar Neck (Rte 35) Lincoln (2nd & Butler Sts.) Slaughter Neck	R. Gordon Given Lincoln, DE 19960 R. 422-7204 C. 422-7269	2
34. Lincoln 19960	Lincoln-Milford-Harrington Metropolitan (105 West St.) St. Paul's (3rd & N. Milford) Wesley Chapel (Slghtr N. Rd)	WILLIAM M. STATEN Rte 1, Box 278 Lincoln, DE 19960 R. 684-4135	3

35. Magnolia 19962	Magnolia Charge Little Creek (Little Creek) Magnolia Roby (Leipsic)	Pamela G. Ledbetter P. O. Box 256 Magnolia, DE 19962 R. & C. 335-3304	3
36. Milford 19963	Milford: Avenue (Church Street)	Frank Lucia 424 Kings Highway Milford, DE 19963 R. 422-7393 C. 422-9854; 422-8111	4
		Michael L. Price 306 Polk Avenue Milford, DE 19963 R. 422-6473 C. 422-9854; 422-8111	3
37. Milford 19963	Milford: Calvary (301 S. E. Front)	Kyle N. Smith 206 S. E. Front St. Milford, DE 19963 R. 422-4426 C. 422-8884	5
38. Millsboro 19966	Millsboro Charge Friendship Harmony	(Jacob C. Caulk) Rte 1 Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 945-2286 C. 945-2447	6
39. Millsboro 19966	Millsboro-Grace Carey's (near Millsboro) Grace (Church & Morris)	William H. Hudson Church Street Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 934-7038 C. 934-7969	6
40. Millsboro 19966	Millsboro-Long Neck	Irvin M. Behm, Jr. Rte 1, E-393 P Millsboro, DE 19966 R	1
41. Millsboro 19966	Millsboro: Zoar (Harbeson-Millsboro Rd.)	Hubert F. Jicha, Jr. Box 233 Millsboro, DE 19966 R. 934-7722 C. 934-9924	6
42. Milton 19968	Milton: Goshen (Federal St.) Harbeson	Howard E. Evans 103 Mulberry Ave. Milton, DE 19968 R. 684-8045 C. 684-3328	4
43. Milton 19968	Milton-Nassau Conley's Chapel (off M-R Rd) White's Chapel (Rte 14) Zion (Milton-Broadhill Rd)	(RUSSELL C. HURD) Rte 1, Box 245 Milton, DE 19968 R. 645-9148	2
44. Ocean View 19970	Ocean View Charge Mariner's Bethel (Central & Atlantic Aves.) Millville (Main St., Mlvle)	Earl L. Magill Central Atlantic Avenue Ocean View, DE 19970 R. 539-9256 C. 539-9510	9
45. Rehoboth Bch 19971	Rehoboth Beach: Epworth (20 Baltimore Avenue)	Dale L. Ruth 19 Baltimore Avenue Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971 R. 227-2275 C. 227-7743	2
46. Roxana	Roxana Charge Sound (4 m E Selbyville, Fenwick Island Rd.) Zion	Donald O. Clendaniel, II R. F. D. 2 Frankford, DE 19945 R. 436-8409	8

47. Seaford 19973	Bethel-Concord-Wesley Bethel (Oak Grove) Concord (Concord) Wesley (Atlanta Road)	James M. Caldwell 506 N. Pine Street Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-8864	3
48. Seaford 19973	Seaford: Mt. Olivet (315 High Street)	John A. Irwin 728 Nylon Blvd. Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-9579 C. 629-4458	2
49. Seaford 19973	Seaford: St. John's (Pine & Poplar Sts.)	Ralph A. Ellis, Jr. 239 W. Conwell Street Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-9276 C. 629-9466	2
		J. Ronald Owens 506 Shipley Street Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-7544 C. 629-9466	1
50. Seaford 19973	Seaford Charge Cokesbury (Rhodesdale, MD) John Wesley Mount Hope	JEREMIAH R. LEE 804 E. Third Street Seaford, DE 19973 R. 337-8854	1
51. Seaford 19973	Seaford-Reliance: Gethsemane	Robert L. Harris Route 1 Seaford, DE 19973 R. 629-3102 C. 629-2862	1
52. Selbyville 19975	Selbyville: Salem (Church St. & Church Ave.)	Thomas W. Hurley P. O. Box 410 Selbyville, DE 19975 R. 436-5684 C. 436-8412	2
53. Smyrna 19977	Smyrna: Asbury (20 Mt. Vernon St.) Centennial (48 Mt. Vernon St.)	Ira D. Steckman, Jr. 306 Hamilton Way Smyrna, DE 19977 R. 653-8898 C. 653-8415	9
54. Wyoming 19934	Wyoming (Broad Street)	John T. Randolph 112 Pine Street Wyoming, DE 19934 R. 697-6116 C. 697-6663	6

EASTON DISTRICT

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Maryland Post Offices	Charges		
1. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge-Aireys Christ (Aireys) Waters (Fork Neck)	(ROBERT M. BROWN) Rt. # 1, Box 161 Trappe, MD 21673 R. 476-3484	2
2. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge-Choptank Antioch (Town Point) Beckwith (Cornersville) Spedden (Hudson)	Norman L. Poultney R. D. 3, Box 164A Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-0996	4

3. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: Grace (Race & Muir Sts.)	Everett C. Isaacs 308 Oakley Street Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-1486 C. 228-4353	3
4. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: St. Paul (205 Mayland Avenue)	Buford E. Painter 604 Eldon Park Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-4757 C. 228-1424	2
5. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge-Vienna St. Luke (908 Pine St.) Wesley (Vienna) Zoar (Reid's Grove)	ROLAND W. DENNIS 715 Bradley Avenue Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-2031	2
6. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: Waugh (429 High Street)	George O. Commodore 402 Pine St. Cambridge, Md. 21613 R. 228-3170 C. 228-5189	10
7. Cambridge 21613	Cambridge: Zion (612 Locust Street)	William H. Owens, II 610 Locust Street Cambridge, MD 21613 R. 228-5118 C. 228-4910	7
8. Centreville 21617	Centreville (Rte 213 & Hope Rd.)	Clarence H. Hays 220 Broadway Centreville, MD 21617 R. 758-0156 C. 758-0868	5
9. Centreville 21617	Centreville-Newtown Charles Wesley (423 S. Lbty) Earle's Chapel (Corsica Nck) New Zion (Newtown) Richard Asbury (Starr)	GEORGE L. STANLEY Box 175 Hurlock, MD 21643 R. 754-8870	9
10. Chester 21619	Chester-Stevensville Ezion (Batt's Neck) Union Wesley	LEWIS R. JONES R. D. 1, Box 295 Chester, MD 21619 R. 643-6992	6
11. Chester 21619	Kent Island (Rte 301 & Cox Neck Rd.)	Roy B. Phillips Harbor View Chester, MD 21619 R. 643-5647 C. 643-5361	18
12. Chestertown 21620	Chestertown: Christ (401 W. High Street)	Douglas M. Ridley 411 Campus Avenue Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-2848 C. 778-0911	3
13. Chestertown 21620	Chestertown: First (High & Mill Sts.)	Lawrence E. Wimbrow, Jr. P. O. Box 227 Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-2722 C. 778-2977	4
14. Chestertown 21620	Chestertown-Pomono Emmanuel (Quaker Neck Rd., Pomono) Janes (Cross & Cannon Sts.)	(JOSEPH W. WILLIAMS, JR.) P. O. Box 613 Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-0396	5

15. Church Creek 21622	Church Creek Charge Madison (Rte 16, Madison) Milton (Rte 16, Woolford) Taylor's Island (Rte 16) White Haven (Rte 16)	(KEVIN E. ENGLISH) Box 46 Church Creek, MD 21622 R. 228-4194	2
16. Church Creek 21622	Church Creek: John Wesley (Liners Rd.)	(Commander R. Bryant) Rte 1, Box 83B Ridgely, MD 21666 R. 928-3063	1
17. Church Hill 21623	Church Hill-Burrsville Mt. Olive (Hope) Mt. Vernon (Salem) Mt. Zion (Burrsville) St. Daniels (Barclay)	Hervey W. Greer R. D. 1, Box 63 Church Hill, MD 21623 R. 556-6403	2
18. Church Hill 21623	Church Hill-Price Bethany (Price) Church Hill	*Joseph G. Burris Box 6 Church Hill, MD 21623 R. 556-6457	1
19. Crapo 21626	Crapo Charge Bounds (Andrews) Ebenezer (Crapo) St. John's (Golden Hill) Wesley (Andrews)	*Robert L. Riddleberger Crapo, MD 21626 R. 847-8242	3
20. Denton 21629	Denton: Ames (Hobbs) St. Luke's (S. 5th Ave.)	Edward R. Wilkins Box 66 Denton, MD 21629 R. 479-2446 C. 479-2171	3
21. East New Mkt 21631	East New Market Charge Brookview (Rte 14) Eldorado (Rte 313) Trinity (Main St.)	Dale L. Vroman Box 95 East New Market, MD 21631 R. & C. 943-4153	3
22. East New Mkt 21631	East New Market-Linkwood Mt. Pleasant (Salem) Mt. Zion St. James (Hicksburg Rd.) St. Paul (Hawkeye Rd.) Thompson Chapel (Thompsontown)	NELSON C. STANLEY East New Market, MD 21631 R. 943-4383	22
23. Easton 21601	Easton-Bellevue Asbury (18 S. Higgins) St. Luke (Front St., Blvue)	Gonzalee Matthews 420 Dover Road Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-8654	2
24. Easton 21601	Easton-Miles River Deshields (Copperville) John Wesley (Chapel Rd.) McGee (Longwoods) Staten Chapel (Denton Rd.)	HESTER O. JOHNSON R. D. 1, Box 153 Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-1576	20
25. Easton 21601	Easton: Saint Mark's (Oxford Road)	Harold M. Davis 522 Trippe Avenue Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-1939 C. 822-0001	13

		Tom P. Donnachie, III 634 Howard Street Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-7593 C. 822-0001	
26. Federalsburg 21632	Federalsburg-Bloomery Bloomery (nr Smithville) Chestnut Grove (Cpmn Lane) Christ (S. Main & Maple)	Terry W. Armstrong 109 Park Lane Federalsburg, MD 21632 R. 754-5649 C. 754-8734	2
27. Federalsburg 21632	Federalsburg: Concord (Dion Rd.) Union (Freenridge & Main St.)	Charles C. Huffman 206 W. Central Ave. Federalsburg, MD 21632 R. 754-8840 C. 754-9210	4
28. Federalsburg 21632	Federalsburg-Denton John Wesley (Chipman Lane) Metropolitan (Denton) St. Paul's (Harrisville) Zion (206 Denton Road)	*Walter E. Middlebrooks 206 Denton Road Federalsburg, MD 21632 R. 754-5521	2
29. Fishing Crk 21634	Hoopers Island Hoopers Memorial (Hpersvlle) Hosier Memorial	*Charles J. Downing Fishing Creek, MD 21634 R. 397-3395	2
30. Galena 21635	Galena Kennedyville (Kennedyville) Olivet (Galena)	J. Chapman O'Dell Box 107 Galena, MD 21635 R. & C. 648-5212	2
31. Goldsboro 21636	Goldsboro Charge Calvary (Marydel) Henderson (Henderson) Trinity (Goldsboro)	(SAMUEL H. McWILLIAMS) Goldsboro, MD 21636 R. 482-6006	1
32. Golts 21637	Golts-Sassafras Johnson's Chapel (Warwick) John Wesley (Sassafras) Olivet Hill	(WILLIAM ROSS) P. O. Box 42 Hurlock, MD. 21643 R. 943-4530	2
33. Greensboro 21639	Greensboro-Burrsville St. Paul's (Sunset & Academy Sts.) Union (Burrsville)	Gary L. Moore P. O. Box 57 Greensboro, MD 21639 R. 482-6519 C. 482-8170	1
34. Hurlock 21643	Hurlock: Unity-Washington (Main & Oak Sts.) Wesley (Rte 313, Finchville)	Gary W. Trail Box 298 Hurlock, MD 21643 R. 943-3222	2
35. Millington 21651	Millington-Crumpton Asbury (Cypress St.) Crumpton (Third St.) Double Creek (nr McGnns Cor)	Charles A. Donophan Box 1, Cypress St. Millington, MD 21651 R. 928-3452 C. 928-3357	2
36. Millington 21651	Millington-Pondtown Asbury (Chesterville) Boyers Chapel (Chestertown) John Wesley (Millington) Joshua Chapel (Morgnec) Mt. Pleasant (Pondtown)	PHILLIP A. HENRY Box 282 Odessa, DE 19730 R. 302-378-8770	9

37. Neavitt 21652	Neavitt-Bozman Bozman (Bozman) Neavitt (Neavitt)	(John E. Zampier) 100 E. Marengo Street St. Michaels, Md 21663 R. 745-9254	2
38. Oxford 21654	Oxford (Morris St.)	Melvin E. Tingle P. O. Box 116 Oxford, MD 21654 R. 226-5585	5
39. Oxford 21654	Oxford-Williamsburg John Wesley (Oxford Rd.) Scott's (150 Main St., Trppe) Water (Banks & Market Sts.) Williamsburg (Williamsburg)	JAMES H. ROBERTS P. O. Box 125 Oxford, MD 21654 R. 226-5710	2
40. Preston 21655	Harmony (Rte 1)	(LEONARD H. WHEATLEY, Jr.) Rte 1, Box 236 Preston MD 21655 R. 673-7995	2
41. Preston 21655	Preston Charge Bethesda (No. Main St.) Grove (Preston-Harmony Rd.)	Robert G. Kelly N. Main St., Box 655 Preston, MD 21655 R. 673-7538	1
42. Preston 21655	Preston-Hurlock Mt. Calvary (Preston) Union Grove (Osborne Rd.) Washington (N of Hurlock) Zorah (Hurlock off Rte 331)	Carrol Scott R. D. 1, Box 277 Preston, MD 21655 R. 673-7553	4
43. Queen Anne 21657	Queen Anne Charge Hillsboro (Hillsboro) Wye Mills (Wye Mills)	John W. Van Tine Box 267 Queen Anne, MD 21657 R. 822-7823	2
44. Queenstown 21658	Queenstown-Carmichael Bryan's (Grasonville) John Wesley (Carmichael) Metropolitan (off Rte 18)	Bernard Horsey R. D. 1, Box 205 Queenstown, MD 21658 R. 827-8651	1
45. Queenstown 21658	Queenstown-Grasonville Calvary (Queenstown) Immanuel (Grasonville) Wye of Carmichael	Edward E. Kester Box 7 Queenstown, MD 21658 R. 827-7113 C. 827-8646	2
46. Ridgely 21660	Ridgely Charge Bridgetown (Bridgetown) Ridgely (109 Central Ave.) Thawley's (near Denton)	Howard G. Walseman Box 424 Ridgely, MD 21660 R. 634-2527	2
47. Ridgely 21660	Ridgely-Marydel Lockerman (Lockerman) Mt. Pleasant (Greensboro) Mt. Zion (Mt. Zion Road) Replanted Zion (Ridgely) Union (Goldsboro)	(NOAH L. BECKETT) Rte 1, Box 365 Ridgely, MD 21660 R. 634-2660	2
48. Rock Hall 21661	Rock Hall Raum Chapel Rock Hall Wesley Chapel	Dan E. Walker, Sr. Rt. 2, Box 127 Rock Hall, MD 21661 R. 639-7113 C. 639-2144	9

49. Rock Hall 21661	Rock Hall-Fairlee Aaron Chapel (Piney Nk Rd.) Asbury (Georgetown) Mt. Pisgah (Melitota) Mt. Pleasant (Fairlee)	*Hanson R. Boney Rte 1, Box 230 Rock Hall, MD 21661 R. 778-4248	2
50. Royal Oak 21662	Royal Oak Community	(ROBERT M. PRICE) P. O. Box 126 Royal Oak, MD 21662 R. 745-9652	3
51. St. Michaels 21663	St. Michaels-Royal Oak St. Paul (Royal Oak) Union (Frmt. & Railway Ave.)	Widmon Butler, Jr. 210 Talbot Street St. Michaels, MD 21663 R. 745-2784	2
52. St. Michaels 21663	St. Michaels: St. Luke's (Talbot Street)	Joseph V. Holliday, Jr. Box 207 St. Michaels, MD 21663 R. 745-2539	1
53. Secretary 21664	Dorchester Charge Bucktown (Bucktown) Friendship (Aireys) Salem (Salem) Secretary: First (Main & Academy)	*Thomas Chester Short Box 98 Secretary, MD 21664 R. 943-3781	4
54. Still Pond 21667	Still Pond-Betterton Betterton (Betterton) Lynch (Lynch) Still Pond	*Louis A. Martin Box 36 Still Pond. MD 21667 R. 348-5909	3
55. Still Pond 21667	Still Pond-Coleman Fountain (Big Wood) Mt. Zion St. Georges (Worton Pt.) Union (Coleman's Corner Rd.)	(CORDELLA J. BROWN) Rte 1, Box 111 Worton, MD 21678 R. 348-5832	2
56. Sudlersville 21668	Sudlersville Calvary-Asbury (Sudlersville) Marvin Memorial (Barclay) St. Paul's (Ingleside)	William T. Sterling P. O. Box 202 Sudlersville, MD 21668 R. 438-3268	2
57. Taylor's Is. 21669	Taylor's Island Christ Rock (Christ Rock) Jefferson (Smithville) Lane (Church Road) Malone (Wh Mrsh Rd, Madison) St. Paul's (Harrisville)	WALLACE L. GREENE, SR. Rte 1, Box 14 Preston, MD 21655 R. 673-7537	16
58. Tilghman 21671	Tilghman Asbury (Wittman) Claiborne (Claiborne) St. John's (Rte 33) Sherwood (Sherwood) Tilghman (Main Street)	Alexander L. Boda Tilghman, MD 21671 R. 886-2197	13
59. Trappe 21673	Trappe-Bruceville Faith Chapel(Bruceville) Trappe (E. Maple St.)	Ray F. Graham Box 46 Trappe, MD 21673 R. 476-3384	3

60. Vienna 21869	Vienna-Elliotts Elliotts (Elliotts Island) Reid's Grove (Reid's Grove) Vienna (Church Street)	CEVERT A. LEWIS Box 278 Vienna, MD 21869 R. 376-3178	2
61. Williamsburg 21674	Williamsburg (Short Street)	(J. ROGER WHEEDLETON) Rte 3, Box 260 Seaford, DE 19973 R. 754-9132	9
62. Wingate 21675	Wingate-St. Thomas Bethany (Crocheron) St. Thomas (Bishops Head) Wingate (Wingate) Zion (Toddville)	E. J. Clawson Box 93 Wingate, MD 21675 R. 847-8478	3
63. Wittman 21676	Wittman-McDaniel John Wesley (McDaniel) St. James (Sherwood) St. John's (Wittman)	(FRANK W. ROBINSON) 48 Glenwood Avenue Easton, MD 21601 R. 822-6259	2
64. Worton 21678	Worton-St. James Saint James (Worton) Salem (Fairlee) Worton (Worton)	R. D. 2, Box 245 Chestertown, MD 21620 R. 778-3498	1

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1. Allen 21810	Allen Asbury (Allen) Asbury (Mt. Vernon) John Wesley (Mt. Vernon) Siloam (near Allen) Washington (Shad Point)	Curtis W. Smith Box 123 Allen, MD 21810 R. 742-6093	3
2. Berlin 21811	Berlin Charge New Bethel (South Berlin) St. John's (Sinepuxant Rd.) St. Paul's (Flower St.)	Ewart C. Hackshaw P. O. Box 46 Berlin, MD 21811 R. 641-1756	12
3. Berlin 21811	Berlin-Stevenson Friendship Stevenson (No. Main St.)	Donald O. Hornung 18 South Main Street Berlin, MD 21811 R. 641-2077	6
4. Bishopville 21813	Bishopville Charge Showell Wilson Zion	JOHN E. TAYLOR P. O. Box 375 Bishopville, MD 21813 R. 352-5728	5
5. Crisfield 21817	Crisfield: Asbury (Main St. & Asbury Ave.)	Howard P. Ketterman, Sr. Rte 1, Box 231A Crisfield, MD 21817 R. & C. 968-0540	2

6. Crisfield 21817	Crisfield: Immanuel	Dallas W. Butler 206 W. Main Street Crisfield, MD 21817 R. 968-1680 C. 968-2189	10
7. Crisfield 21817	Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant (1st & Main Sts. Quindocqua) (2 m W of Marion Station)	Harley H. Krause 37 West Main Street Crisfield, MD 21817 R. 968-0198 C. 968-1778	1
8. Crisfield 21817	Crisfield-Shiloh Shiloh (N. 4th, Shiloh) Union Asbury Waters Chapel (Kingston)	EDGAR N. DENNIS Rte 1, Box 336 Eden, MD 21822 R. 743-2342	7
9. Deal Island 21821	Deal Island Charge John Wesley (Rte 353) Macedonia (Rte 353, Dms Qtr) St. Charles (Rte 353, Chance)	HOWARD F. BARCLAY Box 57 Nanticoke, MD 21840 R. 873-2753	7
10. Deal Island 21821	Deal Island-St. John's Charge Rock Creek (Chance) St. John's St. Paul's (Wenona)	(R. DEWEY CROCKETT) Deal Island, MD 21821 R. 784-2269	6
11. Delmar, DE 19940	Delmar: Melson (Line-Melson Rd.)	(JOHN D. BURBAGE) R.D. 3, Box 142A Delmar, DE 19940 R. 896-3166	2
12. Delmar, DE 19940	St. Stephen's (101 E. State St.)	William T. Archer, Jr. 102 State Street Delmar, DE 19940 R. 896-9138 C. 846-9501	1
13. Ewell 21824	Smith Island Calvary (Rhodes Point) Ewell Union (Tylerton)	(HENRY E. ZOLLINHOFER) P. O. Box 52 Ewell, MD 21824 R. 425-3081	2
14. Fruitland 21826	Fruitland-Mt. Calvary Friendship (U Fry R, Allen) Mt. Calvary (S Div St., Ext.)	(WILLIAM T. WALLACE, SR.) Anderson Street Fruitland, MD 21826 R. 742-9042	5
15. Fruitland 21826	Fruitland: St. John's (Main St.) Union	Joseph C. Bostick Box 236 Fruitland, MD 21826 R. 742-2771 C. 742-5592	4
16. Girdletree 21829	Girdletree Charge Coolspring Mt. Wesley St. Matthew (Box Iron)	DAVID T. LEWIS P. O. Box 72 Girdletree, MD 21829 R. 632-1892	10
17. Girdletree 21829	Girdletree-Stockton Girdletree Porterville (2 m E Stockton) Remson (5 m S Stockton) Wesley (Stockton)	(WILLIAM S. DOWNING) Girdletree, MD 21829 R. 632-3165	2
18. Hebron 21830	Hebron Charity (Jsy & Nylr Ml Rds) Nelson Memorial (Mn & Crch) St. Paul's (Walnut & Howard)	HERBERT H. GLADDEN Box 331 Hebron, MD 21830 R. 742-3947	13

19. Mrdla Sprngs 21837	Mardela Springs Emmanuel (Main Street) Mt. Pleasant (Athol Rd.) Snethen	James L. Hartman Box 126 Mardela Springs, MD 21837 R. 749-4037	2
20. Marion Sta. 21838	Marion Station-Handys Handys Memorial (Rte 357) Liberia (Liberia) Mt. Peer (Rte 357)	(Walter J. Mills) Box 547 Fruitland, MD 21826 R. 742-9042	3
21. Marion Sta. 21838	Marion Station-Mariners Mariners (Mariners & Old St. Rds., Crisfield) Trinity	(George W. Bishop) Box 84, Lewis Ave. Willards, MD 21874 R. 835-2443	6
22. Nanticoke 21840	Nanticoke-Bivalve Bivalve (Main St., Bivalve) Nanticoke (Main St., Bivalve) Tyaskin (Tyaskin)	*Colleen M. O'Sullivan 123 Main Street Nanticoke, MD 21840 R. 873-2224	1
23. Nanticoke 21840	Nanticoke Charge Asbury Elzey (Jesterville) Grace John Wesley	Samuel P. Sanders Box 463 Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-4093	16
24. Newark 21841	Newark Bethany (Sinepunxent) Bowen (Main Street) Calvary (Ironshire) Trinity (Main Street)	Lloyd R. Foard P. O. Box 36 Newark, MD 21841 R. 632-1134	5
25. Ocean City 21842	Ocean City Atlantic Taylorville (Adkins Rd., Berlin)	Clifford A. Armour, Jr. P. O. Box 88 Ocean City, MD 21842 R & C 289-7430	4
26. Oriole 21848	Oriole St. Peter's St. Stephen's (Monie) Somerset (Dames Quarters)	*Ralph B. McIntyre, Sr. Oriole, MD 21848 R. 651-2612	1
27. Parsonsburg 21849	Parsonsburg Bethel (Walston's Switch) Jerusalem Zion (Zion & Zion Ch. Rds.)	Floyd A. Twilley, Jr. Box 88 Parsonsburg, MD 21849 R. 742-2400	2
28. Pittsville 21850	Pittsville-Willards Ayres (Delaware Road) Eden Grace	G. FRANCIS WILSON Main Street Pittsville, MD 21850 R. 835-8314	13
29. Pocomoke Cty 21851	Pocomoke City: Bethany (2nd & Market Sts.) Salem (2nd & Walnut Sts.)	Thomas J. Wall 200 Walnut Street Pocomoke City, MD 21851 R. 957-0990 C. 957-0991	6
30. Pocomoke Cty 21851	Pocomoke City Charge Mt. Zion (407 Oxford St.) St. James (7 m S) Trinity (Clocke St. Rd.)	*James A. Simon 407 Oxford Street Pocomoke City, MD 21851 R. 957-0258	2

31. Powellville 21852	Powellville Charge Friendship (Friendship Rd.) Mt. Pleasant (Willards) Powellville Mt. Olive (nr. Snow Hill)	*Joseph F. Moore Powellville, MD 21852 R. 835-8542	2
		(BRUCE E. COOKE)	1
32. Princess Anne 21853	Mt. Vernon-Grace Grace (Venton) Mt. Zion (Polks Road) St. Paul (Mt. Vernon)	(JOSEPH BRACKEEN) R. D. 1, Box 144 Princess Anne, MD 21853 R. 651-1229	2
33. Prncss Anne 21853	Princess Anne-Antioch Antioch (200 Antioch Ave.) Cokesbury Friendship	Kenneth M. Dickey 623 No. Somerset Ave. Princess Anne, MD 21853 R. 651-2099 C. 651-2192	1
34. Prncss Anne 21853	Princess Anne-Metropolitan Ebenezer Metropolitan (3 East Broad St.)	Vaughn A. Johnson 33 East Broad St. Princess Anne, MD 21853 R. 651-0957	4
35. Quantico 21856	Quantico-Rockawalkin Ebenezer First	Henry H. Schauer R. F. D. 1, Box 76 Hebron, MD 21830 R. 749-9536	1
36. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Asbury (1401 Camden Avenue)	Howell O. Wilkins 504 Pine Bluff Road Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-5302 C. 749-2131	6
		Kenneth S. Valentine 1214 Frederick Ave. Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-4906 C. 749-2131	1
37. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Bethesda (406 N. Division St.)	Brooks E. Reynolds 103 W. William St. Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 742-1482 C. 742-8855	5
		John N. Brittain 101 Oakdale Road Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-1001 C. 742-8855	3
38. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Christ (R. D. 3, Box 6) Mt. Hermon	George L. Stellges Rte 7, Box 66 Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 742-7350 C. 742-5334	5
39. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Grace (East Church Rd.)	James W. Riley 1112 Mt. Hermon Road Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-4526 C. 742-4144	3
40. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Quantico Charge Friendship Mt. Zion (Quantico) St. Luke (Hebron)	EDWARD W. LEE Box 87-Z Hebron, MD 21830 R. 742-4342 C. 749-8510	19
41. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Riverside St. Martin's	(W. JEFFERSON FORD) Delmar, DE 19940 R. 302-896-2850	10

42. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: St. Andrews (400 E. Vine St.)	Lawrence E. Staton Rte 4, Box 606 Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 742-0906 C. 749-8607	1
43. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Trinity (N. Division St.)	Howard L. Gordy, Jr. 403 N. Division St. Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-3543 C. 749-5562	4
44. Salisbury 21801	Salisbury: Wesley Temple (West Road)	W. Hayward Greene Rte 2, Box 182 Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 742-1680 C. 749-1054	4
45. Sharptown 21861	Asbury Charge Asbury Cokesbury (nr Reliance, DE) Riverton (Riverton)	CLAUDE C. BROWN 601 Main Street Sharptown, MD 21861 R. 883-3189	4
46. Sharptown 21861	Mt. Vernon Charge Galestown (Galestown) Mt. Hermon (Columbia, DE) Mt. Vernon Wheatley's (nr Galestown)	Alfred E. Taylor Box 203 Sharptown, MD 21861 R. 883-3448	4
47. Sharptown 21861	Zion Charge John Wesley Mt. Nebo Zion (Sandomingo)	*Ebenezer B. Mudede R. D. 2 Mardela Springs, MD 21837 R. 883-3318	3
48. Snow Hill 21863	Snow Hill: Bates Memorial (Market & Washington Sts.)	Bruce E. Cooke 116 N. Washington St. Snow Hill, MD 21863 R. 632-1319	3
49. Snow Hill 21863	Snow Hill: Ebenezer (105 S. Collins St.) Friendship Hutt's Memorial	(JAMES T. SEYMOUR) 107 S. Collins St. Snow Hill, MD 21863 R. 632-1617	3
50. Snow Hill 21863	Snow Hill: Whatcoat (Federal & Washington Sts.)	P. Thomas McKelvey 102 West Federal St. Snow Hill, MD 21863 R. 632-1229	1
51. Stockton 21864	Stockton-Shiloh St. Paul's Shiloh (nr Pocomoke)	(C. RUSSELL BURKE) North Delano Ave. Salisbury, MD 21801 R. 749-7006	15
52. Tyaskin 21865	Oakville-Cottage Grove Flower Hill (Eden) John Wesley (Cottage Grove) St. James (Westover) St. Mark (nr Princess Anne)	CLARENCE E. HANDY Rte 1, Box 97 Tyaskin, MD 21865 R. 749-8659	25
53. Upper Frmnt 21867	Upper Fairmount Christ Mt. Olive (Revel Neck Rd.) Rehoboth (Rehoboth)	(JULIAN ARTHUR HURLEY, JR.) Box 165 Upper Fairmount, MD 21867 R. 651-2097	1

54. Upper Hill 21868	Upper Hill Centennial John Wesley St. Andrews Samuel Wesley	(S. WILFRED HODGE) Box 151 Upper Hill, MD 21868 R. 651-2566	2
55. Whaleysville 21872	Whaleysville New Hope (New Hope Rd.) Whaleysville	*Russell L. Lehman Box 6 Whaleysville, MD 21872 R. 641-3565	2
56. Whaleysville 21872	Whaleysville Charge Bishop's Memorial (Prsnsbrg) Curtis (Bishopville) Pullet's	Samuel L. Wilkins Box 32 Whaleysville, MD 21872 R. 641-2568	1

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

District Superintendent
1626 No. Union Street
Wilmington, DE 19806
302-571-1471

William Hemphill, Jr. 2
202 Alapocas Drive
Wilmington, DE 19803
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Delaware Post Offices	Charges		
1. Bear 19701	Red Lion	Gerald A. Foster R. F. D. Red Lion Bear, DE 19701 R. 834-1778 C. 834-1599	1
2. Christiana 19702	Christiana-Kirkwood Mt. Pleasant St. Paul's (Kirkwood)	(WILLIAM H. BLACK) 1 Amstel Drive, Apt. 10 New Castle, DE 19720 R. 322-6818	16
3. Christiana 19702	Christiana-Salem Christiana (21 W. Main St.) Salem (Salem Church Rd.)	Donald J. Hurst 21 W. Main Street Christiana, DE 19702 R. 737-1361 C. 738-7544	3
4. Claymont 19703	Claymont: Atonement (3519 Philadelphia Pike)	Donald O. Clendaniel, Sr. 44 Seminole Avenue Claymont, DE 19703 R. 798-2329 C. 798-8472	7
5. Glasgow	Glasgow Ecumenical Parish	JAMES C. BLACKBURN Rte 1, Box 405 Middletown, DE 19709 R. 834-8869 C. 378-8744	5
6. Hockessin 19707	Hockessin (Lancaster Pike)	C. Edwin Lasbury Box 185 Hockessin, DE 19707 R. 239-7161 C. 239-5929	10
7. Kirkwood 19708	Kirkwood	*Robert E. Simpson, Sr. P. O. Box 217 Delaware City, DE 19706 R. 834-4378	7

8. Lwsvlle, PA 19351	St. John's-Moore's Moore's Chapel (Blake) St. John's	(ROBERT BEESON) Box 100 Lewisville, PA 19351 R. 215-255-4380	1
9. Newark 19713	Ebenezer	William Dore 525 Polly Drummond Hill Road Newark, DE 19713 R. 737-7611 C. 731-9495	1
10. Newark 19713	Kingswood (Marrows Rd. & Brookside Blvd.)	Edward B. Blevins 300 Marrows Road Newark, DE 19713 R. 738-4459 C. 738-4478	9
11. Newark 19711	Newark (69 E. Main St.)	Paul E. McCoy 102 Bent Lane Newark, DE 19711 R. 731-4786 C. 368-8774	3
		Jerrold W. Knotts P.O. Box 595 Newark, DE 19711 R. 737-6547 C. 368-8774	2
12. New Castle 19720	Asbury-Minquadale Asbury (300 E. Basin Rd.) Minquadale (Minq. Blvd.)	Thomas Crawford Short 9 Fols Crescent New Castle, DE 19720 R. 328-2288 C. 328-5649	5
		Glenn P. Catley, Jr. 300 E. Basin Road New Castle, DE 19720 R. 328-9234 C. 328-5649	2
13. New Castle 19720	New Castle-Mt. Salem Mt. Salem (115 E. 4th St.) New Castle (510 Delaware Ave.)	C. Jackson Robinson 101 West 6th Street New Castle, DE 19720 R. 328-2342 C. 328-2207	4
14. St. Georges 19733	St. Georges-Delaware City Ebenezer (Clinton St., D C) St. Daniels (Port Penn) St. Georges (Broad & Church) St. Peters (Delaware City)	*Eleanor A. Kendall St. Georges, DE 19733 R. 834-4749 C. 834-9054	3
SOUTH NEW CASTLE COUNTY PARISH:		Harold E. Walton, Director (HARVEY G. CHASE, JR.) Robert L. Thomas Gary S. Tulak	
15. Middletown 19709	Dale's Memorial	HARVEY G. CHASE, JR. 122 E. Lake Street Middletown, DE 19709 R.	1
16. Middletown 19709	Middletown Charge Bethesda (116 E. Main St.) Mt. Olivet (Warwick, MD) Summit (Summit Bridge)	Harold E. Walton 701 S. Cox St. Middletown, DE 19709 R. 378-9029 C. 378-2312	2

17. Odessa 19730	Odessa Lee's Chapel (Townsend) St. Paul's Scott (Blackbird)	Gary S. Tulak Main Street Odessa, DE 19730 R. 378-2420	1
18. Townsend 19734	Townsend Ebenezer Friendship (Flmngs Lndng Rd) Haven Immanuel (Main St.)	Robert L. Thomas P. O. Box 60 Townsend, DE 19734 R. 378-2431 C. 378-8203	4
19. Wilmington 19803	Aldersgate (Concord Pike at Fairfax)	Olin J. Shockley, Jr. 410 Country Club Drive Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 654-7136 C. 478-2575	4
		Richard C. Rash 2410 Carr Avenue Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 478-2367 C. 478-2575	1
		KENNETH G. FANSLER 2027 Harwyn Road Wilmington, DE 19810 R. 475-3523 C. 478-2575	6
20. Wilmington 19802	Brandywine-Trinity (22nd & Market Sts.)	John R. Shockley 22nd & Market Sts. Wilmington, DE 19802 C. 656-2660	1
21. Wilmington 19802	Calvary-Eastlake Calvary (36th & Washington) Eastlake (30th & Tatnall)	Perry O. Hill 307 W. Summit Avenue Wilmington, DE 19804 C. 764-5518	1
22. Wilmington 19810	Chester-Bethel (2615 Foulk Road)	Walter H. Beckwith 2615 Foulk Road Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 475-3313 C. 475-3549	4
23. Wilmington 19805	Christ (6 N. Clifton Ave.)	Arley B. Golden 6 Whitekirk Drive Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 994-3257 C. 998-4584	5
24. Wilmington 19801	Coleman Memorial (465 ½ Anderson Drive)	PAUL R. HILTON 425 Bethune Drive Wilmington, DE 19801 R. 652-5554 C. 656-3565	6
25. Wilmington 19801	Ezion-Mt. Carmel (800 Walnut Street)	John L. Bryan 4303 Whittier Road Wilmington, DE 19802 R. 762-6404 C. 654-3103	2
		Associate: TIMOTHY DUFFIELD 800 Walnut Street Wilmington, DE 19801	1

26. Wilmington 19801	Grace (903 West Street)	Kenneth R. Rose 1704 Bancroft Parkway Wilmington, DE 19806 R. 652-7071 C. 655-8847	5
		W. Daniel Rich 12 Vining Lane Wilmington, DE 19807 R. 571-8299 C. 655-8847	3
27. Wilmington 19803	Hillcrest-Bellefonte (Hillcrest & Marsh Road)	G. Wayne Cuff 8 White Oak Road Wilmington, DE 19809 R. 764-3011 C. 764-3145	4
		Frank E. Tulak Apt. 550 Colony North Wilmington, DE 19802 R. 762-1958 C. 764-3145	5
28. Wilmington 19809	Holly Oak (1511 Philadelphia Pike)	Frederick C. Seyfert, Jr. 1511 Philadelphia Pike Wilmington, DE 19809 R. 798-4287 C. 798-4476	5
29. Wilmington 19808	Marshallton-Cedars Cedars (Harrison & Maple) Marshallton (1105 Stanton Rd.)	Willard L. Robinson, Jr. 2716 Barnsley Road Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 737-0942 C. 994-7466	1
30. Wilmington 19801	Mt. Joy-Buttonwood Buttonwood Mt. Joy (451 Townsend St.)	Jesse H. Walker 625 So. Heald St. Wilmington, DE 19801 R. 654-0127 C. 655-7751	8
31. Wilmington 19806	Mt. Lebanon-Mt. Salem Mt. Lebanon Mt. Salem (19th & Mt. Salem Lane)	1701 Mt. Salem Lane Wilmington, DE 19806 R. 654-0830 C. 658-1807	1
32. Wilmington 19804	Peniel (115 E. Market St.)	Gerald M. Henderson 117 E. Market St. Wilmington, DE 19804 R. 998-8165 C. 994-9519	6
33. Wilmington 19802	Peninsula-McCabe (Baynard Blvd. & 22nd)	Robert W. Helms 1306 Copley Drive Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 764-6503 C. 654-2346	1
		*John F. Mitchell 2308 Paulwynn Drive Wilmington, DE 19810 R. 475-3717 C. 654-2346	1
34. Wilmington 19804	Richardson Park (Maryland & Matthes)	Harold P. Spedden 11 North Maryland Ave. Wilmington, DE 19804 R. 652-6168 C. 654-0961	2
35. Wilmington 19804	St. Mark's (1700 Limestone Rd.)	J. Gordon Stapleton P. O. Box 6012 Wilmington, DE 19804 R. 994-0695 C. 994-0400; 999-0800	3

36. Wilmington 19803	St. Paul's (1314 Foulk Road)	Robert P. Whitlock 4 Malvern Court Wilmington, DE 19803 R. 478-1033 C. 478-3135	2
		Harvey Manchester, Jr. 2119B Prior Road Wilmington, DE 19809 R. 798-9627 C. 478-3135	2
37. Wilmington 19805	Silverbrook-Haven Haven (1709 W. 3rd St.) Silverbrook (2203 Lancaster Ave.)	William B. Hitchens 2203 Lancaster Avenue Wilmington, DE 19805 R. 654-0518 C. 655-8383	4
38. Wilmington 19804	Simpson (811 Newport Gap Pike)	(WILLIAM E. RUSSELL) 44 Covered Bridge Lane Newark, DE 19711 R. 453-1037	10
39. Wilmington 19808	Skyline (3100 Skyline Dr.)	Ronald W. Bergman 5401 Crestline Road Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 737-5315 C. 737-9069	13
40. Wilmington 19801	Union (507 Washington St.)	Charles E. Covington 1217 McKennan's Church Rd. Wilmington, DE 19808 R. 995-6446 C. 655-4464	4
Maryland Post Offices		**(Area Code 301)**	
41. Cecilton 21913	Cecilton St. Paul's (Earleville) Zion	Jonathan E. Baker P. O. Box 326 Cecilton, MD 21913 R. 275-8511	4
42. Charlestown	Charlestown: Hart's Chapel Hart's Chapel (North East) St. John's	(SAMUEL M. SMITH) 1815 Windemere Avenue Wilmington, DE 19804 R. 302-998-4087	7
43. Chsapke Cty 21915	Chesapeake City: Trinity (3rd St. & Bohemia Ave.) Town Point	Frank O. Baynard Box 196 Chesapeake City, MD 21915 R. 885-5547 C. 885-5641	2
44. Elkton 21921	Cherry Hill Baldwin (Elk Mills) Cherry Hill (Elk Mills Rd.)	S. Willard Crossan, III Rte 4, Box 125 Elkton, MD 21921 R. 398-1554	2
45. Elkton 21921	East Cecil Charge Leeds (Rte 545) Union (Union Church Rd.)	*James B. Jones Rte 3, Box 75 Elkton, MD 21921 R. 244-7126	2
46. Elkton 21921	Elkton-Providence Elkton (219 E. Main St.) Providence (E. High St.)	Charles E. Barton 229 E. Main Street Elkton, MD 21921 R. 398-4440 C. 398-0933	6

47. North East 21901	North East-Bayview Bethel (Bethel Church Rd.) Shelemiah (Bayview)	(Boyd B. Etter) R. F. D. 1, Box 100 North East, MD 21901 R. 287-5720	1
48. North East 21901	North East (308 S. Main St.)	Conrad M. Cohen P.O. Box 522 North East, MD 21901 R. 287-6520 C. 287-2220	2
49. Perryville 21903	Perryville-Principio Perryville (Brd & Ssqhanna) Principio (Principio Frnce)	Box 266 Perryville, MD 21903 R. 642-6328	
50. Port Deposit 21904	Tome-Asbury-Cokesbury Asbury (Craigtown Rd.) Cokesbury (nr Port Dep.) Tome Memorial	(PATON M. ZIMMERMAN) 100 North Main St. Port Deposit, MD 21904 R. 378-4140 C. 378-3930	2
WEST CECIL PARISH:		Harold E. Owens, Director	
51. Colora 21917	Colora-Hopewell Hopewell Mt. Pleasant	Dilio E. Mariotti R. D. 1, Box 153 Colora, MD 21917 R. 658-6903	2
52. North East 21901	West Cecil Charge Ebenezer (Ebenezer Ch. Rd.) Rosebank (Rte 273, Calvert) Zion (Rte 272)	*Richard E. Green Rte 1, Box 223 North East, MD 21901 R. 658-6074	1
53. Rising Sun 21911	Rising Sun: Janes	Harold E. Owens Box 242 Rising Sun, MD 21911 R. 658-5210 C. 658-6800	6

BEYOND THE LOCAL CHURCH

= with Annuity Claim on Annual Conference

A. Within the connectional structures of United Methodism (¶ 454.1a)

Richard D. Bailey, Associate Council Director — Communication/Stewardship-/Foundation (8), (D:Camden-Woodside)

David W. Baker, Conference Council Director (2), (D:Wesley)

Alton S. Miller, Director, Finance and Field Service, General Board of Global Ministries (10), (E:Cambridge-Zion)

Nathaniel L. Miller, Associate Council Director — Black Ministries (4), (D:Lincoln-Milford-Harrington)

Harrel W. Pitsenbarger, Field Representative, Finance and Field Service, General Board of Global Ministries (4), (E:Federalsburg-Union)

David Riffe, Associate Council Director — Education (3), (W:Newark)

D. Bruce Roberts, Assistant Professor of Christian Education, Scarritt College for Christian Workers (5), (W: Brandywine-Trinity)

John W. Simpers, Jr., Associate Council Director — Director/Manager of Camp PeCoMeth (4), (W:Grace)

Walter H. Stone, Associate Council Director — Drayton Methodist Retreat Center (9), (D:Seaford-Mt. Olivet)

Laurence H. Stookey, Associate Professor of Preaching and Worship, Wesley Theological Seminary (6), (W:Perryville)

Robert O. Wallace, Field Representative, Office of Finance and Field Service, General Board of Global Ministries (2), (W:North East)
Donzel E. Wildey, Vice-President, Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (W:Peninsula-McCabe).
James M. Young, Executive Director, Methodist Action Program (6), (W:Peninsula-McCabe)

B. Extension ministries (¶ 454.1b)

Frederick M. Bruner, Family Therapist (4), (S:Trinity)
Charles D. Burge, Chaplain, U. S. Army (13), (W:Townsend)
William T. Carter, Chaplain, U. S. Army (14), (W:Newark)
R. Jervis Cooke, President, Wesley College (3), (D:Wesley)
William D. Geoghegan, Professor of Religion Bowdoin College (25), (W:Christiana-Kirkwood)
Walter A. Glass, Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Physics, Cedar Crest College (20), (W:Christiana-Salem)
William O. Hackett, Administrator, Methodist Country House (9), (W:Hillcrest-Bellefonte)
C. Chapman Herrman, Jr., Assistant Professor of Sociology, Western Maryland College (4), (W:North East-Bayview)
Greg W. Hill, Chaplain, U.S. Army (2), (W:Lewisville)
Edwin J. Horney, Chaplain, Delaware Home and Hospital for the Chronically Ill (11), (D:Smyrna)
Robert D. Howell, Protestant Chaplain, Veteran's Administration Hospital, Albany, NY (4), (W:St. Paul's)
Thomas R. Merrill, Chaplain, U.S. Army (16), (S: Mardela Spring)
Garry O. Parker, Missionary, Oriental Missionary Society International, Inc., (8), (E:Dorchester)
Robert W. Starrett, Chaplain, Wesley College (3), (D:Wesley)
Richard C. Stazesky, Executive Director, Church Home Foundation, Inc. (4), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)
* Marlene L. Walters, Hospital Chaplain, Wilmington Medical Center (2), (W:Aldersgate)
F. David Weber, Regional Director, National Conference of Christians and Jews (2), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)

C. Other (¶ 454.1c)

C. Richard Cox, Office of Navajo Economic Opportunity (2), (W:Silverbrook-Haven)
Garland S. Gammon, Bureau of Adult Correction of the Department of Correction, State of Delaware (10), (W:Calvary-Eastlake)
Richard L. Hamilton, Director, Drug Abuse Administration, State of Maryland (2), (W:Aldersgate)
John F. Holden, Executive Director, West End Neighborhood House (4), (W:Harrison Street)
Donald W. Kauber, Director of the Information and Education Department, Delaware League for Planned Parenthood, Inc. (9), (W:Brandywine-Trinity)

TO ATTEND SCHOOL

*Earle N. Baker, Asbury Theological Seminary (1), (E:Denton)
*Ronald E. Cheadle, Jr., Asbury Theological Seminary (1), (W:Red Lion)
*John M. R. Gauger, Dallas Theological Seminary (1), (W:Peniel)
*James A. Govatos, Yale University Divinity School (1), (D:Camden-Woodside)
Kendall K. McCabe, St. Andrew University, Scotland (2), (D: Seaford-Mt. Olivet)
*Robert A. McCullough, Jr., Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (W:Tome-Asbury)
*Harry A. Patterson, 3rd, Wesley Theological Seminary (3), (S: Delmar-St. Stephen's)
*David T. Seymour, Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (E:St. Michaels-St. Luke's)
Simon N. Stubbs, International Graduate School of Behavioral Science (2), (C:Jones Memorial)
Herbert E. Sye, Jr., Wesley Theological Seminary (1), (S: Whaleysville)
James P. Walz, Drew University (3), (W: Mt. Lebanon)
*Fred D. Wood, III, Wesley Theological Seminary (4), (D:Seaford-Mt. Olivet)

DISABILITY LEAVE

Floyd E. Waters (7), (S:Wesley Temple)

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Ronald P. Arms (3), (W: Brandywine-Trinity)
HAIG S. MEDZARENTZ (2), (E: Church Hill-Price)
Robert L. Warner (3), (W:Elkton-Providence)

DIACONAL MINISTERS

Jeanetta B. Benedict, Director of Christian Education, Newark United Methodist Church (1), (W:Newark)
Olive A. Cook, Social Worker, Division of Social Services,Wilmington, (1), (W:Aldersgate)

Limited Service Churches

Dover District

Name of Church & Locations	Charge Conference Where Reporting	Date Became Limited Service
Epworth (near Bridgeville, N. of Rt. 404)	Blades Charge	January 1, 1974
Ebenezer (Md. Rt. 610, off U.S. 113)	Frankford Charge	June 1, 1974
Bethesda Westwoods (near Gumboro)	Gumboro-Whitesville	January 1, 1974
Horsey's Grove (3 miles S.W.)	Laurel Charge	January 1, 1973
Sand Hill (Georgetown)	Georgetown: Grace	January 1, 1975
Cokesbury	Cannon Charge	May 25, 1978

Easton District

Wesley (Safefield)	Cambridge-Aireys	January 1, 1973
Little Zion (Crossroads)	Cambridge-Vienna	January 1, 1972
St. Peters (Meekins Neck)	Church Creek: John Wesley	January 1, 1972
Zion (Gum Swamp)	John Wesley	January 1, 1972
Street (Golden)	Crapo Charge	January 1, 1970
Boyer's Chapel (Rt. 1, Chestertown)	Millington-Pondtown	January 1, 1974
Dudley's Chapel (nr. Sudlersville)	Sudlersville	January 1, 1975
Metropolitan	Queenstown-Grasonville	May 25, 1978

Salisbury District

St. Peter's	Crisfield: Immanuel	January 1, 1973
Hopewell (Upper Hill)	Upper Hill	January 1, 1974
White Haven (White Haven)	Quantico-Rockawalkin	January 1, 1975
Mt. Zion-Powellville	Powellville Charge	January 1, 1977
Phoenix Church	Marion Station Charge	May 25, 1978

Wilmington District

Zoar (Main St., Odessa)	Middletown-Townsend	January 1, 1973
Wesley Chapel	Elkton-Providence	January 1, 1973

Others may want to take this route and we outline here the steps involved in case they may not be aware of the procedure.

(1) All Salary and conference apportionments are removed.
(2) The church drops out of the listing of churches to which pastors are assigned. (We urge the conference to begin a listing of such churches in the Journal with the charge conference where they are to report each year. This will allow for proper records and continues the historic continuity of these churches.)
(3) The only services to be held are weddings, funerals, or special occasions.
(4) One or more special services a year may be held with the offering received to be used for the upkeep of the building.
(5) The remaining members are transferred to a nearby United Methodist Church for regular worship and church involvement.
(6) The remaining members become a special committee under the charge conference to plan with the pastor for weddings, funerals, and special days. They also present a written report each year as to services held, money received and how expended, etc.
(7) This allows the possibility that should population shifts bring people into the area we would simply resume regular services.

V. Roll Of Conference Members

A. Chronological Roll

1914 John N. Link
1914 Essell P. Thomas

1918 Gilbert S. Ross
1918 Oliver Henry Spence

1920 Charles Edward Kincade
1920 Frank M. Volk

1922 Thomas J. Turkington

1923 Franklin Bryan Bailey

1924 Harry N. Bailey
1924 Daniel L. Ridout

1925 John E. McBride
1925 Henry M. Parks

1926 E. E. Coleman
1926 W. Irvin Collins
1926 W. A. Donoway
1926 Preston W. Spence

1927 John R. Diehl

1928 Charles D. Gerald
1928 James O'Neil
1928 Albert M. B. Snapp
1928 Roy L. Tawes

1929 Charles I. Carpenter
1929 Hartwell Fitch Chandler, Jr.
1929 Grayson H. Wheatley

1930 Henry T. Caldwell
1930 William L. D. Lyght
1930 Frank Douglas Milbury
1930 William C. Thomas

1931 Joseph B. Vaughn

1932 Howard A. Amoss
1932 Lee Elliott
1932 James M. Kay
1932 Henry N. Nicklas
1932 Walter H. Stone
1932 James J. Von Hagel

1933 Howard Andrew Bailey
1933 D'Arcy A. Littleton

1934 John E. French
1934 Daniel T. Pritchard
1934 Henry H. Schauer
1934 Charles P. Spencer

1935 Elmer L. Bennett
1935 Frank G. Buckley
1935 Ewell E. Crockett
1935 Waldo L. Dise
1935 Harvey Barnes Flater
1935 Walter A. Glass
1935 Carlton M. Harris
1935 Richard C. Hubbard
1935 John E. Jones
1935 Robert E. Van Cleaf

1936 Walter L. Beckwith
1936 Charles B. Hart
1936 Elmer R. Shield
1936 Paul Thomas
1936 Frederick H. Truitt

1937 John R. Shockley

1938 Kenneth M. Dickey
1938 Robert W. Hastings
1938 Donald O. Hornung
1938 Milton H. Keene
1938 Harry Kirby Krams
1938 J. Robert Mackey
1938 Paul E. McCoy
1938 Brooks E. Reynolds
1938 Charles H. Squires

1939 David W. Baker
1939 George W. Goodley, Jr.

1940 Frank O. Baynard
1940 William H. Hudson
1940 Edgar V. Wimberly

1941 John Llewellyn Bryan
1941 R. Jervis Cooke
1941 Harold M. Davis
1941 Edward J. Hemphill, Jr.
1941 Ralph W. Hopkins
1941 Alton S. Miller

1942 William O. Hackett

1943 Curtis W. Smith
1943 Donzel C. Wildey

1944 Augustus Chancy
1944 Perry O. Hill

1945 Ellwood W. Cursey
1945 William D. Geoghegan
1945 William H. Revelle, Jr.
1945 William M. Tasco
1945 Howell O. Wilkins

1947 Rudolph G. Given
1947 Kenneth R. Rose
1947 Dale L. Ruth
1947 Samuel P. Sanders
1947 Charles L. Willis

1948 Gerald A. Foster
1948 Edwin J. Horney

1949 Otho Gracen Brewer, Jr.
1949 William Hemphill, Jr.
1949 J. Chapman O'Dell
1949 Richard C. Stazesky
1949 Edwin Charles Thomas, Jr.

1950 William B. Bundick
1950 Albert J. Dredden
1950 Howard Ernest Evans
1950 William B. Hitchens
1950 Harry C. Jeffers
1950 Charles Trader
1950 Samuel L. Wilkins

1951 Donald O. Clendaniel
1951 Arley B. Golden
1951 Willard L. Robinson, Jr.

1952 George O. Commodore
1952 Joseph V. Holliday
1952 Chester E. Wilcox

1953 Charles E. Covington
1953 George W. Cuff
1953 John A. Irwin
1953 Melvin E. Tingle
1953 Harold E. Walton

1954 Edgar James Clawson, Sr.
1954 Edward R. Wilkins

1955 Charles Edwin Lasbury
1955 Roy Benjamin Phillips

1956 Dallas W. Butler
1956 Charles Richard Cox
1956 Walter H. Beckwith
1956 William Dore
1956 Howard Lee Gordy, Jr.
1956 Clarence H. Hayes
1956 Hubert F. Jicha, Jr.
1956 Frank Lucia
1956 William Henry Owens
1956 W. Daniel Rich
1956 David Riffe
1956 John William Simpers
1956 Kyle N. Smith
1956 Joseph Gordon Stapleton
1956 Ronald W. Starnes
1956 Omro Milton Todd

1957 Charles Edward Barton, Jr.
1957 Richard Douglas Bailey
1957 Edward Browning Blevins
1957 George C. Godfrey
1957 Robert Wilkins Helms
1957 Gerald M. Henderson
1957 Charles H. Poukish
1957 C. L. Reiter
1957 Frederick C. Seyfert, Jr.
1957 Olin J. Shockley, Jr.
1957 Robert Preston Whitlock

1958 Ralph Andrew Ellis, Jr.
1958 Garland S. Gammon
1958 W. Hayward Greene
1958 Nathaniel L. Miller
1958 Romie H. Payne, Jr.
1958 William D. Rich
1958 Cledus Jackson Robinson
1958 Lawrence Elmer Staton
1958 Robert O'Kelley Wallace

1959 Ewart G. Hackshaw
1959 Richard Lee Hamilton
1959 Clayton E. Hammond
1959 Charles C. Huffman
1959 Donald James Hurst
1959 Chester C. Hustead

1959 Thomas Ray Merrill
1959 David George Paul

1960 Charles Douglas Burge
1960 Carrol Scott
1960 Thomas Crawford Short
1960 Ira D. Steckman
1960 Laurence Hull Stookey

1961 William T. Archer, Jr.
1961 Ronald Warren Bergman
1961 Charles Chapman Herrman, Jr.
1961 Richard R. Hicks
1961 Everett C. Isaacs
1961 Donald W. Kauber
1961 Harrel Warren Pitsenbarger
1961 John Thomas Randolph
1961 Charles Edward Strickler
1961 Thomas Joseph Wall
1961 Floyd E. Waters
1961 James M. Young

1962 Felton E. May
1962 Kendall Kane McCabe
1962 Dale Ross Pruett
1962 D. Bruce Roberts
1962 Harold Preston Spedden
1962 Simon N. Stubbs
1962 Lawrence E. Wimbrow

1963 Fred M. Bruner
1963 William Thomas Carter
1963 Conrad Maurice Cohen
1963 George P. Kirk
1963 Jerrold Wayne Knotts
1963 Alvin J. Willink
1963 Dan Edward Walker

1964 Clifford Arnett Armour, Jr.
1964 Widmon Butler, Jr.
1964 Dilio Evo Mariotti
1964 George Lehmann Stellges

1965 John Francis Holden
1965 Buford Eugene Painter
1965 John A. Massimilla
1965 Charles Milton Moyer
1965 Gary W. Trail

1966 Ronald Paul Arms
1966 Nelson B. Benjamin
1966 Alexander Louis Boda
1966 Robert W. Starrett
1966 Robert Lee Thomas
1967 Earl LeRoy Magill
1967 Gary Otis Parker

1968 Paul Thomas McKelvey
1968 Harold Eston Owens

1969 Terry Waxton Armstrong
1969 Joseph Cooper Bostick
1969 Donald Otis Clendaniel, II
1969 William Miles Fitzhugh, Jr.
1969 Robert Dennis Howell
1969 Herbert N. F. G. Nurse
1969 Douglas Milton Ridley
1969 Jesse Henry Walker

1970 Irvin Miller Behm, Jr.
1970 John N. Brittain
1970 Bruce Edward Cooke
1970 Lloyd Rowland Foard
1970 Henry Sterling Green
1970 Robert Lee Harris
1970 John Ronald Owens
1970 James W. Riley
1970 Frank Edward Tulak
1970 John William Van Tine
1970 James Paul Walz

1971 Ray Francis Graham
1971 Robert Granville Kelley
1971 Harvey Manchester, Jr.
1971 Gary Lee Meekins
1971 Norman Lawrence Poultney
1971 Gary Stuart Tulak
1971 Robert Lewis Warner
1971 Fred David Weber

1972 Glenn Paul Catley
1972 Samuel Willard Crossan III
1972 Thomas Woodrow Hurley
1972 Howard Paul Ketterman, Sr.
1972 Harley Henry Krause
1972 Kenneth Richard Varrel
1972 Dorothy Evelyn White

1973 Jonathan Edwin Baker
1973 John Neal Brittain
1973 Thomas Peter Donnachie III
1973 Charles Austin Donophan
1973 Kenneth Wayne Grier
1973 Gary L. Moore
1973 Dale Lynn Vroman

1974 James Maurice Caldwell

1974 Greg Wayne Hill
1974 Vaughn Arzah Johnson
1974 Pamela Gail Ledbetter
1974 Michael Leigh Price
1974 William Travis Sterling
1974 Alfred Elwood Taylor
1974 Howard Gayland Walseman
1974 Ellsworth Price Woodruff

1975 Hervey Wayne Greer
1975 Robert Paul Hall
1975 Richard Cartwright Rash
1975 Floyd Albert Twilley
1975 Kenneth Steven Valentine

1976 James Lee Hartman
1976 Gonzalee Matthews

On Trial

1972 Thomas Chester Short

1975 John Franklin Mitchell
1975 George Harrington Radway
1975 Fred Dickinson Wood III

1976 Joseph Glenn Burris
1976 Richard Edward Green
1976 Raymond Thomas Hopkins III
1976 James Brockway Jones
1976 Colleen Marie O'Sullivan
1976 Harry Alton Patterson III
1976 Marlene Louise Walters

1977 Hanson Richardson Boney
1977 Paul Everett Isaacs
1977 Eleanor Apsley Kendall
1977 Ralph Benjamin McIntyre Sr.
1977 Joseph Francis Moore
1977 Ebenezer Ben Mudede
1977 Carolyn Ruth Swift
1977 Herbert Edward Sye, Jr.

This Year

1978 Earle Noble Baker
1978 Ronald Eugene Cheadle, Jr.
1978 Charles Joel Downing
1978 John Martin Russell Gauger
1978 James Albert Govatos
1978 Russell Lee Lehman
1978 Louis Arthur Martin
1978 Robert Albert McCullough, Jr.
1978 Walter Edward Middlebrooks
1978 Robert Riddleberger
1978 Michaele Spitzer Russell
1978 David Thornton Seymour
1978 James Albert Simon
1978 Robert Edward Simpson, Sr.

B. Alphabetical Roll And Directory

Members of Conference, Accepted Supplies with Post Office Address if different from appoint, Widows, Lay Members of the Conference with their Post Office Addresses.

NOTE: The letters designate: (AM) Associate Members; (D) Deacon; (E) Elder; (LP) Lay Pastors; (P) Probationer; (R) Retired; (LA) Leave of Absence; (SL) Sabbatical Leave; (DL) Disability Leave. The figures in the first column indicate the year of admission on trial; those in the last column, the year of appointment or relation, the Roman Numerals indicate the Board or Agency being served on. (The wife's name is listed directly under the member's name.)

The Roman Numerals designate:

I. Board of Church and Society
II. Board of Discipleship
III. Board of Global Ministries
IV. Board of Higher Education and Ministry
V. Board of Child Care
VI. Board of Directors — Wesley Foundations
  A. Delaware State
  B. University of Maryland
  C. University of Delaware
VII. Board of Laity
VIII. United Methodist Women
IX. Conference Council on Youth Ministries
X. Board of the Ordained Ministry
XI. Board of Diaconal Ministry
XII. Board of Pensions
XIII. Board of Trustees — Conference
XIV. Board of Trustees — Peninsula United Methodist Homes & Hospitals, Inc.
XV. Board of Trustees — Wesley College
XVI. Commission on Archives and History
XVII. Commission on Equitable Salary
XVIII. Commission on Religion and Race
XIX. Commission on Status and Role of Women
XX. Committee on Disability
XXI. Committee on Ministerial Benefits
XXII. Conference Committees
  A. Annual Conference Arrangements
  B. Episcopal Residence
  C. Investigation
  D. Nominations
  E. Committee on the Episcopacy
XXIII. Council on Finance and Administration
XXIV. Council on Ministries
XXV. Delmarva Ecumenical Agency
XXVI. District Committees
  Dover
  Easton
  Salisbury
  Wilmington
XXVII. General and Jurisdictional Board Members

Yr. Rec.	Name	No. of Bd. or Agency	Rel.	Appointment	Address	Yr. Sr.
1932	Amoss, H. M. (Ernestine O.)		R		4104 S. E. 18th Ave. Apt. 2-D, Cape Coral, Fla. 33904	6
1959	Archer, Wm. T. Jr. (Louise Marguerite)	I	E	Delmar: St. Stephens	102 State Street, Delmar, DE 19940	1
1964	Armour, Clifford A. Jr. (Jeanette A.)	XXII XXIV	E	Ocean City	P.O. Box 88, Ocean City, Md. 21842	4
1966	Arms, Ronald P.		LA		2206 N. Harrison St., Wilmington, DE 19801	3
1969	Armstrong, Terry W.	XIII, XIV, XXIV	E	Federalsburg: Bloomery	109 Park Lane, Federalsburg, MD 21632	2
1923	Bailey, Frank B. (Laura Ann)		R		351 Nimitz Road, White Oak Farms Dover, DE 19901	17
1933	Bailey, Howard A. (Nora Jefferson)		R		111 Elder Avenue, Yeadon, PA 19050	7
1924	Bailey, Harry N. (Mildred Edith)		R		Greenspring Avenue, Perryville, MD 21903	26
1957	Bailey, Richard D. (Ellen J.)	XIV, XXII XXIV	E	Assoc. Council Dir.	174 Fairfield Drive, Dover, DE 19901	8
1939	Baker, David W. (Florence E.)	XXIV, XXV	E	Council Director	506 Westwood Drive, Dover, DE 19901	2
1978	Baker, Earle N. (single)		PD	School	Asbury Theological Seminary	1
1973	Baker, Jonathan E. (Donna K.)	I, XXIV	E	Cecilton	P.O. Box 326, Cecilton, MD 21913	4
	Barclay, Howart F.	I	AM	Deal Island Cir.	Nanticoke, MD 21840	7
1957	Barton, Charles E., Jr. (Mary Joyce)	XII, XXIV	E	Elkton-Providence	229 E. Main St., Elkton, MD 21921	5
1940	Baynard, Frank O. (Elizabeth A.)	II	E	Chesapeake City- Trinity	Box 196, Chesapeake City, MD 21915	2
1956	Beckwith, W. H. (Constance)	XXIII	E	Chester-Bethel	2615 Foulk Road, Wilmington, DE 19803	4
1936	Beckwith, W. L. (Goldie May)		R		R. D. 3, Cambridge, MD 21613	4
1970	Behm, Irvin M., Jr. (Patricia West)	I	E	Millsboro-Long Neck	R. 1, E 393 P Millsboro, DE 19966	1
1966	Benjamin, Nelson (Nancy K.)		E	Frederica Chg.	Frederica, DE 19946	
1935	Bennett, Elmer L.		R		8901 Biscayne Dr., Ocean City, MD 21842	6
1961	Bergman, Ronald W. (Mary Lewis David)	III	E	Skyline	5401 Crestline Rd., Hills of Skyline, Wilmington, DE 19808	13
1969	Bishop, George W. (Evelyn H.)		AMR		Willards, MD 21874	7
1962	Black, William H. (Judith Ann)		LPE	Christiana- Kirkwood	Apt. 10-1, Amstel Dr. New Castle, DE 19720	16
1974	Blackburn, James C. (Elizabeth B.)		AME	Pastor-Ecumenical Church at Glasgow, DE	Box 177, RD 1 Middletown, DE 19709	5
1967	Blevins, Edward B. (Ruth Evelyn)	II, XXII	E	Kingswood	300 Marrows Road, Brookside Blvd., Newark, DE 19713	9
1966	Boda, Alexander L. (Betty Jean)		E	Tilghman	Tilghman, MD 21671	13
1977	Boney, Hanson Richardson		PD	Rock Hall-Fairlee	Rt. 1, Box 230, Rock Hall, MD 21661	2

1969	Bostick, Joseph C. (O. June)	XVII, XXIV	E	Fruitland: St. John's	Fruitland, MD 21826	4
1949	Brewer, Otho G. (Florence E.)	XXIII	E	Laurel: Centenary	133 Oakland Dr. Laurel, DE 19956	4
1970	Brittain, John Neal (Eileen Donahue)	III, XII	E	Assoc. Bethesda, Salisbury	101 Oakdale Road, Salisbury, MD 21801	3
1969	Brown, Claude (Mary)	XVII	AME	Asbury Chg.	601 Main Street, Sharpstown, MD 21861	4
1964	Bruner, Fred M. (Teresa)		E	Family Therapist	313 Lemmon Hill Lane Salisbury, MD 21801	7
1941	Bryan, John L. (Single)	III	E	Ezion-Mt. Carmel	4303 Whittier Road, Wilmington, DE 19802	2
1969	Bryant, Commander R.		AMR		Millington, MD 21651	
1935	Buckley, Frank G. (Kathryn Cooper)		R		1361 B River View Rd. Rock Hill, S.C. 29730	7
1950	Bundick, W. B. (Mary G.)		R		103 Queen Anne Ave. Lewes, DE 19958	1
1960	Burge, Charles D. (Eileen)		E	Chaplain	Yale-New Haven Hospital 789 Howard Ave. New Haven, Conn	13
	Burke, Clarence Russell (Frances B.)		LPD	Stockton-Shiloh	Rt. 2, Box 26, Eden, MD 21612	15
1976	Burris, Joseph B. (Single)		PD	Church Hill: Price	Box 6, Church Hill, MD 21612	1
1956	Butler, Dallas W. (Lucille M.)		E	Crisfield-Immanuel	Crisfield, MD 21817	10
1964	Butler, Widmon, Jr. (Alice Washington)	XII	E	St. Michaels- Royal Oak	210 Talbot Street, St. Michaels, MD 21663	2
1930	Caldwell, Henry T.		R		Galena, MD 21635	14
1974	Caldwell, James M. (Single)		E	Bethel-Concord- Wesley	Pine Street, Seaford, DE 19973	3
1929	Carpenter, Charles I. (Miriam D.)		R		P.O. Box 206, Milford, DE 19963	10
1963	Carter, Wm. T. (Judy)		E	Chaplain, U.S. Army	(523A Murphy Circle) Hg. FORS COM, Office of Staff Chaplain, Ft. McPherson, GA 30330	14
1972	Catley, Glenn P., Jr. (R. Elaine)	II XXII	E	Assoc. Asbury- Minquadale	134 Colesbery Dr., New Castle, DE 19720	2
1969	Caulk, Jacob C. (Marion)		AMR		Rt. 1, Box 340 East Millsboro, DE 19966	7
1944	Chancy, Augustus (Grace)		R		Box 1437, Easton, MD 21601	8
1929	Chandler, Hartwell F. (Adelaide Ballenger)		R		227 Fiddler's Green, Dover, DE 19901	7
1971	Chase, Harvey G. (Mary B.)	II, XXII	AME	Dale's Memorial	122 E. Lake Street, Middletown, DE 19709	1
1978	Cheadle, Ronald E., Jr. (Single)		PD	School	706 S. College Ave., Newark, DE 19713	1
1954	Clawson, E. J.		E	Wingate: St. Thomas	Wingate, MD 21675	3
1951	Clendaniel, Donald O., Sr. (Helen Dickerson)	XII	E	Claymont: Atonement	44 Seminole Avenue, Claymont, DE 19703	7
1969	Clendaniel, Donald O. (Ann Elizabeth)	II	E	Roxana Charge	R. D. 2, Frankford, DE 19945	8
1963	Cohen, Conrad M. (Joann Campbell)	X	E	North East	308 S. Main Street, North East, MD 21901	2
1926	Coleman, E. E. (E. Louise)		R		7 Elberly Dr., Chapel Hill, Newark, DE 19711	13
1926	Collins, W. Irvin (Audie Elizabeth)		R		Route 1, Box 781 Lancaster, VA 23503	9
1952	Commodore, George O. (Janet H.)	III, XXII,XXIV	E	Cambridge-Waugh	402 Pine Street, Cambridge, MD 21613	10

1972	Conner, Harry H. (Betsy A.)		R		207 Greenwood Road, Wilmington, DE 19804	7
1969	Conway, James A. (Irene P.)		AMR		Rt. 1, Box 1181, Tyaskin, MD 21865	11
1970	Cooke, Bruce E. (Gail)	I, XXIV	E	Snow Hill: Bates Memorial	P.O. Box 13, Snow Hill, MD 21863	3
1941	Cooke, R. Jervis (Mary Frances)	XXII, XXIV	E	President, Wesley College	1144 Westview Terrace, Dover, DE 19901	3
1953	Covington, Charles D. (Gladys Jane R.)		E	Union	1217 McKennon's Church Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808	4
1966	Cox, C. Richard (Julie Ann)		E	Office of Navajo Economic Opportunity	Nursing Dept., Navajo Community College, Tsatile, AZ 86556	
1935	Crockett, Ewell E. (Eloise Wesley)		R		R.F.D. Seaford, DE 19973	14
1972	Crossan, S. W. III (Single)		E	Cherry Hill	Rt. 4, Box 125, Elkton, MD 21921	2
1953	Cuff, G. Wayne (Mary)	X, XV, XXII	E	Hillcrest: Bellefonte	8 White Oak Road, Wilmington, DE 19809	4
1945	Cursey, E. W. (Elsie L.)		R		St. Michaels, MD 21663	6
1941	Davis, H. M. (Shirley)	II	E	Easton-St. Mark's	522 Trippe Avenue, Easton, MD 21601	13
1971	Dennis, Edgar N. (Sara E.)		AMD	Crisfield-Shiloh	R. 1, Box 336, Eden, MD 21811	7
1968	Dennis, Louis R. (Madeline)		R		112 Devonshire Road, Fairfax, Wilmington DE 19803	11
1972	Dennis, Roland W. (Loistine P.)		AMD	Cambridge-Vienna	715 Bradley Ave., Cambridge, MD 21613	2
1938	Dickey, K. M. (Florrie Marie)		E	Princess Anne-Antioch	623 N. Somerset Ave., Princess Anne, MD 21853	1
1927	Diehl, John R.		R		The Methodist Manor House, Room 103, 1001 Middleford Road, Seaford, DE 19973	22
1935	Dise, Waldo L.		R		Box 35, Bivalve, MD 21814	11
1972	Donnachie, Tom P. (Judith Ann)	III, XXIV	E	Assoc. St. Mark's Easton	634 Howard Street, Easton, MD 21601	1
1926	Donoway, Walter A.		R		201 Powell Avenue, Salisbury, MD 21801	18
1973	Donophan, Chas. A. (Nancy Clair)	III	E	Millington-Crumpton	Box 1, Cypress Street, Millington, MD 21651	2
1956	Dore, William (Ruth C.)	I	E	Ebenezer	525 Polly Drummond Rd., Newark, DE 19713	1
1970	Doughten, J. B. Jr. (Mary Evelyn)	XVII	AME	Greenwood Chg.	P.O. Box 31, Greenwood, DE 19950	5
1978	Downing, Charles J. (Karlina)		PD	Hoopers Island	Fishing Creek, MD 21634	2
1970	Downing, Ivon P. (Helen Ruth)		AME	Clarksville: St. George's	Clarksville, DE 19937	5
1950	Dredden, Albert J. (Deborah E.)	X	E	Lewes Charge	Rt. 1, Box 112, Lewes, DE 19958	1
1932	Elliott, Lee (Eva B.)		R		214 Lewis Dr., Lakeside Manor, Laurel, DE 19956	7
1958	Ellis, Ralph A., Jr. (Veda)	XII, XIV	E	Seaford: St. Johns	239 W. Conwell Street, Seaford, DE 19973	2
1950	Evans, Howard E. (Lois Almeta)	X, XIII	E	Milton: Goshen	103 Mulberry Street, Milton, DE 19968	4
1974	Fansler, Kenneth G. (Evelyn)	XI	AME	Assoc. Aldersgate	2027 Harwyn Road, Graylyn Crest, Wilmington, DE 19806	6

1969	Fitzhugh, Wm. M., Jr. (Christine)	X, XVI	E	Georgetown: Grace	300 E. Market Street, Georgetown, DE 19947	5
1935	Flater, Harvey B. (Louise M.)		R		506 4th Street, Denton, MD 21629	3
1970	Foard, Lloyd R. (Pat)	III	E	Newark	P.O. Box 36, Newark, MD 21841	5
	Ford, Warren J. (Clara)		LPD	Salisbury: Riverside	Delmar, DE 19940	10
1948	Foster, Gerald A. (Elizabeth S.)	XIV, XVI,XXIV	E	Red Lion	R.F.D. Red Lion, Bear, DE 19701	1
1934	French, John E.		R		P.O. Box 204, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971	2
1968	Gammon, G. S. (Single)		E	Bureau of Adult Corrections, State of Delaware	45 Central Terrace, No. 7 Clifton Pk., Wilmington, DE 19802	10
1969	Garrett, Wm. J. (Sarah Hayes)		R		RD 4, Box 705, Delshire, Dover, DE 19901	4
1978	Gauger, John Martin R. (Linda)		PD	School	Dallas Theological Seminary	1
1945	Geoghegan, W. D. (Sarah P.)		E	Prof. Religion Bowdoin College	40 Federal Street Brunswick, ME 04011	25
1928	Gerald, C. D. (Melinda P.)		R		R.D. 2, Box 152 C, Eden, MD 21822	12
1969	Gibbs, Marie F.		LPD	Boyer's Chapel	R.D. No. 1, Box 124, Worton, MD 21678	7
1947	Given, R. Gordon (Lois Frances)		E	Lincoln Charge	Lincoln, DE 19960	2
1970	Gladden, Edward M. (Mary)		AME	Laurel-Mt. Pleasant	814 So. Central Avenue, Laurel, DE 19956	1
1969	Gladden, H. H. (Betty Lou)	II	AME	Hebron	Box 331, Hebron, MD 21830	13
1935	Glass, W. A. (Eleanor Adeline)		E	Prof. Cedar Crest	1931 Highland Street, Allentown, PA 18104	20
1957	Godfrey, George C. (Carolyn L.)	XIV, XV, XXIV	E	Dover: Wesley	140 Hazel Road, Dover, DE 19901	2
1951	Golden, A. B. (Sarah)	XIII, XXII	E	Christ	6 White Kirk Drive, Wilmington, DE 19808	5
1939	Goodley, George W. (Margaret E.)		R		118 Prospect Ave., West Grove, PA 19390	2
1956	Gordy, H. L., Jr. (Beverly Clow)	X	E	Salisbury: Trinity	403 N. Division Street, Salisbury, MD 21801	4
1978	Govatos, James Albert		PD	Attending School	Asbury Theological Sem.	1
1971	Graham, Ray F. (Nancy)		E	Trappe: Bruceville	Box 46, Trappe, MD 21673	3
1971	Grattan, Harold N. (Bernice O.)		AMR		107 W. Martin Street, Snow Hill, MD 21863	6
1970	Green, H. Sterling (Nettie P.)		E	Georgetown: Indian Mission	102 E. Laurel St., Georgetown, DE 19947	4
1976	Green, Richard E. (Mary Lou)		PD	West Cecil Charge	Rt. 1, Box 223, North East, MD 21901	1
1958	Greene, W. Hayward (Madeline)	XVIII	E	Salisbury: Wesley Temple	RD 2, Box 182, West Road, Salisbury, MD 21801	4
1971	Greene, Wallace L. (Mabel)		AME	Taylors Island	R.D. 1, Box 14, Preston, MD 21655	16
1975	Greer, Hervey W. (Single)		E	Church Hill-Burrsville	R.D. 1, Box 63, Church Hill, MD 21623	2
1973	Grier, Kenneth W. (Single)	XXX, V	E	West Harrington Charge	63 Commerce Street, Harrington, DE 19952	4
1969	Hackett, Thaddeus (Esther E.)		AMR		206 West Street, Harrington, DE 19952	3

1942	Hackett, William O. (Marian R.)		E	Administrator, Methodist Country House	105 Oxford Place, Alapocas, Wilmington, DE 19803	9
1959	Hackshaw, E. C. (Peggy Rose)	XXII	E	Berlin Circuit	Box 15, Berlin, Maryland 21811	12 2
1975	Hall, Robert P. (Diane)		E	Cheswold Chg.	Cheswold, DE 19936	2
1959	Hamilton, R. L. (Marjorie B.)		E	Dir. of Md.'s Drug Abuse	230 Stoney Run Lane, Baltimore, MD 21210	5
1959	Hammond, Clayton E. (Anna B.)	VI	E	Dover-Whatcoat	341 Saulsbury Rd., Dover, DE 19901	5
1971	Handy, Clarence E. (Margaret)		AME	Oakville-Cottage Grove	Rt. 1, Box 97, Tyaskin, MD 21865	25
1935	Harris, Carlton M. (Lucy Cave)		R		4 Stanley Drive, Baltimore, MD 21228	8
1970	Harris, Robert L. (Lena Kay)	X	E	Seaford: Reliance	Route 1, Seaford, DE 19973	1
1936	Hart, Charles B. (Theodora T.)		R		1-1/2 Mill Street, Westfield, Mass. 01085	3
1976	Hartman, James L. (Nancy)	I, XXIV	E	Mardela Springs	Box 126, Mardela Springs, MD 21837	2
1938	Hastings, Robert W. (Madilyn Elizabeth)		R		105 E. 3rd Street, Seaford, DE 19973	26
1957	Hays, Clarence H. (Patricia Jane)	XXII	E	Centreville	220 Broadway, Centreville, MD 21617	5
1967	Helms, R. W. (Florence Jane)	II	E	Peninsula: McCabe	1306 Copley Drive, Wilmington, DE 19803	1
1941	Hemphill, Edward J. (Reba F.)		R		Plantation Apt. 3C, 2100 Howell Branch Rd., Maitland, FL 32751	4
1949	Hemphill, Wm., Jr. (Sarah Foster)	XXII	E	Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.	202 Alapocas Drive, Wilmington, DE 19803	2
1957	Henderson, G. M. (Virginia Caroline)	XVI	E	Peniel	117 E. Market Street, Wilmington, DE 19804	6
1970	Henry, Phillip A. (Lois L.)		AME	Millington-Pondtown	Box 282, Odessa, DE 19730	9
1961	Herrman, C. C., Jr. (Single)		E	Asst. Professor of Sociology	Western Md. College, Westminster, MD 21157	5
1969	Hilbert, James J. (Margaret E.)		AMR		114 Friendship Road, Elkton, MD 21921	8
1944	Hill, Perry O. (Elizabeth B.)	XI	E	Calvary-Eastlake	304 W. Summit Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19804	1
1974	Hill, Greg W. (Rosemary)		E	Chaplain	Ch (CPT) 4307-1, Wolford, Ft. Riley, KS 66442	2
1971	Hilton, Paul R. (Bernice N.)	XII, XIV	AME	Coleman	425 Bethune Drive, Dunleith, Wilmington, DE 19801	6
1950	Hitchens, Wm. B. (Jean H.)	X XII	E	Silverbrook: Haven	2203 Lancaster Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19805	4
	Hodge, S. Wilfred (Jean)		LP	Upper Hill	Box 151, Upper Hill, MD 21868	2
	Hope, Clifton		LPE	Gumboro-Whitesville	RD 1, Box 243, Millsboro, DE 19966	3
1965	Holden, John R. (Sylvia)	XVII, XXIV	E	Exec. Dir. West End Neighborhood House	1409 W. 7th St., Wilmington, DE 19805	4
1954	Holliday, J. V. (Hilda Louise)	IV	E	St. Michaels: St. Luke's	Box 207, St. Michaels, MD 21663	1
1976	Hopkins, Raymond T.		PD	Cannon Charge	RD 1, Box 471, Bridgeville, DE 19933	1
1941	Hopkins, Ralph W. (Annabel)		R		1055 28th Ave., N., Naples, FL 33940	30
1948	Horney, E. J. (Miriam H.)	IV	E	Chap. Del. Home & Hosp. for Chronically Ill	137 Sunnyside Road, Smyrna, DE 19977	11

1938	Hornung, Donald O. (Mary Virginia)		E	Berlin-Stevenson	18 S. Main Street, Berlin, MD 21811	6
1969	Howell, R. D. (Elizabeth)		E	Chaplain-Veterans Admin. Hosp.	7 Fairlawn Drive, Silkirk, N.Y. 12158	4
1935	Hubbard, Richard C. (Dorothy B.)		R		RD 3, Box 33, Cambridge, MD 21613	3
1940	Hudson, W. H. (Dorothy W.)	XII, XV	E	Millsboro-Grace	Church Street, Millsboro, DE 19966	6
1959	Huffman, Chas. C. (Daisy Margaret)		E	Federalsburg Concord	206 W. Central Ave. Federalsburg, MD 21632	4
1972	Hurley, Thomas W. (Janice J.)	V, XXII	E	Selbyville: Salem	P.O. Box 618, Selbyville, DE 19975	3
1959	Hurst, D. J. (Mauvette F.)		E	Christiana-Salem	23 W. Main Street, Christiana, DE 19702	3
1960	Hustead, Chester C. (Ruth)		R		P.O. Box 1575, Salisbury, MD 21801	5
1953	Irwin, John A. (Edith H.)	X, XXII, XXIV	E	Seaford: Mt. Olivet	728 Nylon Blvd., Seaford, DE 19973	2
1961	Isaacs, Everett C. (Catherine M.)	II, X, XXIV	E	Cambridge	308 Oakley Street, Cambridge, MD 21613	3
1977	Isaacs, Paul Everett (Glena)		PD	Laurel Chg.	146 Delaware Avenue, Laurel, DE 19956	2
1969	Jackson, Edward H. (Elizabeth)		AME	Clarksville Charge	Clarksville, DE 19937	5
1950	Jeffers, Henry C. (Rebecca P.)		R		15 W. Collins, Oxford, Ohio 45056	19
1962	Jicha, H. F., Jr. (Eleanor L.)		E	Millsboro: Zoar	Box 233, River Rd., Millsboro, DE 19966	6
1971	Johnson, Hester O.	II XIX	AME	Easton-Miles	RD 1, Box 416, Easton, MD 21601	20
1974	Johnson, Vaughn A. (Debbie)	VI, X	E	Princess Anne: Metropolitan	33 E. Broad Street, Princess Anne, MD 21853	4
1976	**Jones, James B. (Single)**		PD	E. Cecil Charge	Rt. 3, Box 75, Elkton, MD 21921	2
1935	**Jones, John E. (Inez G.)**		R		2301 12th Street, Wilmington, DE 19805	4
1971	Jones, Lewis R. (Rebecca)		AME	Chester-Stevenville	R.D. 1, Box 295, Chester, MD 21619	6
1961	Kauber, Donald W.		E	Dir. of Inf. & Ed. Dept. of Planned Parenthood	920 Punehoe St., Apt. 1, Honolulu, Hawaii	9
1962	Kay, J. Melvin (Philena Kay)		R		R. D. 2, Finksburg, MD 21048	11
1938	Keene, Milton H. (Dorothy A.)		R		1 Doe Run Ct., Apt. 3-A, Wilmington, DE 19808	2
1977	Kendall, Eleanor Apsley		PD	St. Georges-Delaware City	St. Georges, DE 19733	3
1971	Kelly, Robert G. (Ann B.)	I	E	Preston Charge	N. Main Street, Box 655, **Preston, MD 21655**	1
1970	**Kester, Edward E. (Susan Kiern)**	X	E	Queenstown-Grasonville	**Box 7 Queenstown, MD 21658**	2
1972	**Ketterman, H. P. Sr. (Linda H.)**	XIII	E	Crisfield: Asbury	Rt. 1, Box 281 A, Crisfield, MD 21817	2
1920	Kincade, Charles E. (Single)		R		2618 W. 6th Street, Chester, PA 19013	9
1964	Kirk, George P. (Betty Ann)		R		104 Mitchell Street, Logan, W. VA 25601	2
1963	Knotts, Jerrold W. (Sally)	IV	E	Assoc. Newark	69 E. Main Street, Newark, DE 19711	2
1938	Krams, H. Kirby		R		R. 1, Box 14 C, Benton Corner Road, Sudlersville, MD 21668	7

1972	Krause, Harley H. (Blanche A. K.)	II	E	Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant	307 W. Main Street, Crisfield, MD 21817	1
1955	Lasbury, C. E. (Kaylene M.)	XXIII	E	Hockessin	Box 185, Hockessin, DE 19707	10
1976	Ledbetter, Pam	IX, XIX	E	Magnolia Chg.	P.O. Box 256, Magnolia, DE 19962	3
1971	Lee, Edward W. (Virginia)		AME	Salisbury-Quantico	P.O. Box 373, Hebron, MD 21830	15
1969	Lee, Jeremiah, Jr. (Minnie)		AME	Seaford Charge	804 E. 3rd Street, Seaford, DE 19973	1
1978	Lehman, Russell L. (Lois B.)		PD	Whaleysville: New Hope	Box 6, Whaleysville, MD 21872	1
1971	Lewis, Cevert A. (Shirley)		AME	Vienna-Elliots	Box 178, Vienna, MD 21869	2
1969	Lewis, David T. (Caroline)		AME	Girdletree-Coolspring	Girdletree, MD 21819	10
1914	Link, John N. (Jinnie Elizabeth)		R		Methodist Manor House, 1001 Middleford Road, Seaford, DE 19973	17
1933	Littleton, D'Arcy A. (Marie W.)		R		N. Church St., P.O. Box 148, Sudlersville, MD 21668	10
1956	Lucia, Frank (Helen A.)	XIV	E	Milford-Avenue	424 Kings Highway Milford, DE 19963	4
1950	Lyght, William L. D.		R		712 W. 20th Street, Wilmington, DE 19802	11
1938	Mackey, J. Robert (Jayne S.)		R		c/o Pasadena Community Church, 112 70th St., St. Petersburg, FL 33707	4
1967	Magill, Earl (LeWanda Ruth)	XVII, XIX	E	Ocean View	Ocean View, DE 19970	9
1964	Mariotti, Dilio E. (Nancy)		E	Colora-Hopewell	RD 1, Box 153, Colora, MD 21917	2
1978	Martin, Louis A.		PD	Still Pond-Betterton	Box 36, Still Pond, MD 21667	3
1971	Manchester, Harvey, Jr. (Single)	IV, IX	E	Assoc. St. Paul's Wilmington	2219B Prior Road, Wilmington, DE 19809	2
1965	Massamilla, John A. (Edna M.)		R		229 N. York Road, Hatboro, PA 19040	2
1975	Matthews, Gonzalee (Cynthia)	IV	E	Easton-Bellevue	Dover Road, Easton, MD 21601	2
1962	May, Felton E. (Phyllis H.)	XV, XXII	E	Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.	215 S. Hanson Street, Easton, MD 21601	4
1925	McBride, John E. (Mattie)		R		P.O. Box 84, Fruitland, MD 21826	14
1962	McCabe, Kendall K. (Single)		E	School	c/o R. D. 5, Box 224, Berlin, MD 21811	2
1938	McCoy, Paul E. (Althea Hite Cooley)	XXIII	E	Newark	102 Bent Lane, Newark, DE 19711	3
1978	McCullough, Robert A.		PD	School	Wesley Theological Seminary Washington, D.C. 20016	1
1977	McIntyre, Ralph B., Sr. (Hazel)		PD	Oriole	Oriole, MD 21848	1
1968	McKelvey, Paul Thomas (Karen E.)	I, XXII	E	Snow Hill: Whatcoat	102 W. Federal Street, Snow Hill, MD 21863	1
1972	Medzarentz, Haig S. (Elsie C.)		LA		Waterview Apts. 2, Waterview Rd., Apt. L-1, Westchester, PA 19380	2
1971	Meekins, Gary L. (Fonda L.)	II, XII	E	Bridgeville Chg.	502 N. Cannon Street, Bridgeville, DE 19933	1

1959	Merrill, T. R. (Carolyn R.)	X	E	Chaplain	(2983B Gardner Loop) Headquarters, First U.S. Army, Office of Staff Chaplains, Ft. George G. Meade, MD 20755	16
1978	Middlebrooks, Walter E. (Marylene)		PD	Federalsburg: Denton	206 Denton Road, Federalsburg, MD 21632	2
1930	Milbury, F. Douglas (Lillian J.)		R		223 N. Bradford St., Dover, DE 19901	9
1941	Miller, Alton S. (Carol J.)		E	Dir. Finance & Field Service, Bd. of Global Ministries	7 Algonquin Road, Cambridge, MD 21613	10
1958	Miller, Nathaniel L. (Sasha)	X, XXIV	E	Assoc. Council Director	551 Westwood Drive, Dover, DE 19901	4
1969	Mills, Walter J. (Emma L.)		AMR		P.O. Box 546, Fruitland, MD 21826	5
1974	Minker, Ralph L., Sr. (Ruth Edna)		R		1301 N. Harrison St., Wilmington, DE 19806	5
1975	Mitchell, John F. (Nancy)		PD	Assoc. Peninsula-McCabe	2308 Paulwynn Drive, Wilmington, DE 19810	1
1973	Moore, Gary L. (Cylinda W.)	XX, XXIV	E	Greensboro: Burrsville	P.O. Box 57, Greensboro, MD 21639	1
1977	Moore, Joseph Francis (Marilyn)		PD	Powellville Chg.	Powellville, MD 21852	2
	Mott, J. Arthur		LP	Neavitt, Bozman	Maple Avenue, Trappe, MD 21673	5
1965	Moyer, Charles M. (Dorothy A.)	III	E	Camden-Woodside	38 S. Main Street, Camden, DE 19934	8
1977	Mudede, Ebenezer B. (Tracey)		PD	Zion Charge	RD 2, Mardela Springs, MD 21837	3
1932	Nicklas, Henry N. (Mary H.)		R		14 Penn Avenue, Milford, DE 19963	13
1969	Nurse, Herbert N.F.G.		R		1749 N. Yale, Wichita, KS 67208	5
1951	O'Dell, J. C. (Emily Z.)		E	Galena	Box 107, Galena, MD 21635	2
1928	O'Neil, James (Myrtle May)		R		Box 286A, R.D. 2, Laurel, DE 19956	19
1976	O'Sullivan, Colleen M.		PD	Nanticoke-Bivalve	123 Main Street, Nanticoke, MD 21840	1
1968	Owens, Harold E. (Cherie Ann)	III	E	Rising Sun-Janes	Box 242, Rising Sun, MD 21911	6
1970	Owens, John R. (Nancy)	V	E	Assoc. Seaford: St. Johns	506 Shipley Street, Seaford, DE 19973	1
1956	Owens, Wm. H. (Marilyn H.)	XII, XIV XV	E	Cambridge-Zion	610 Locust Street, Cambridge, MD 21613	7
1965	Painter, Buford E. (Nora H.)	XXIV	E	Cambridge: St. Paul	601 Eldon Park, Cambridge, MD 21613	2
1967	Parker, Gary O. (Sara M.)		E	Oriental Missionary Society	47 Edwin Street, No. Quincy, MA 02171	8
1925	Parks, Henry M. (Leah E.)		R		311 Marsh Road, Hillcrest, Wilmington, DE 19809	17
1976	Patterson, Harry A. (Single)		PD	School	Mt. Hermon Rd. & S. Kaywood Drive, Route 7, Salisbury, MD 21801	3
1959	Paul, David G. (Peggy A.)		E	Dagsboro: Bethel	Box 147, Dagsboro, DE 19939	2
1958	Payne, Romie H., Jr. (Lorraine)		E	Laurel: Christ	601 S. Central Avenue, Laurel, DE 19956	3
1955	Phillips, Roy B. (Thelma W.)		E	Kent Island	Harbor View, Chester, MD 21619	18

1961	Pitsenbarger, H. W. (Mary Frances)		E	Field Repr., Finance & Field Serv. Natl. Div. Bd. of Global Ministries	113 W. Central Avenue, Federalsburg, MD 21632	4
1959	Poukish, C. H. (Joyce Louise)	V	E	Bridgeville: Union	101 Laws Street, Bridgeville, DE 19933	1
1971	Poultney, N. L. (Sally)		E	Cambridge, Choptank	R.D. 3, Box 164A, Cambridge, MD 21613	4
1974	Price, Michael L. (Betty)	III, IX	E	Assoc. Avenue, Milford	306 Polk Avenue, Milford, DE 19963	3
1934	Pritchard, Daniel T.		R		206 Caesar Rodney Road, Wyoming, DE 19934	6
1962	Pruitt, Dale R. (Margaret)		E	Clayton Charge	P.O. Box 266, Clayton, DE 19938	1
1975	Radway, George H. (Lillian C.)		PD	Laurel Delmar	508 West Street, Laurel, DE 19956	9
1961	Randolph, J. T. (Maubra Jane)	X	E	Wyoming	Wyoming, DE 19934	6
1975	Rash, Richard C. (Carol)		E	Assoc. Aldersgate	2410 Carr Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19803	1
1957	Reiter, C. L. (Anna S.)		R		904 Hanover Street, Salisbury, MD 21801	22
1945	Revelle, W. H., Jr. (Carolyn H.)	XV, XXII XXIV	E	Dist. Supt. Dover Dist.	431 N. State Street, Dover, DE 19901	4
1938	Reynolds, B. E. (Grace Collins)	II	E	Salisbury: Bethesda	103 W. William St., Salisbury, MD 21801	5
1958	Rich, W. D. (M. Ardelle)	X, XIV XXII	E	Assoc. Grace, Wilmington	12 Vining Lane, Wilmington, DE 19807	3
1978	Riddleberger, Robert (Ann)		PD	Crapo Charge	Box 11, Crapo, MD 21626	3
1969	Ridley, Douglas M. (Ann F.)	I	E	Chestertown: Christ	411 Campus Avenue, Chestertown, MD 21610	3
1924	Ridout, Daniel L.		R		58 Oakmont Drive, New Castle, DE 19720	8
1956	Riffe, David (Joyce B.)	XXIV	E	Assoc. Council Director	317 Hickory Ridge Road, Smyrna, DE 19977	3
1973	Riley, James W. (Claudia H.)	XVI	E	Salisbury: Grace	1112 Mt. Hermon Road, Salisbury, MD 21801	3
1964	Roberts, D. B. (Penny J. R.)		E	Ass't. Prof. Christian Ed. Scarritt College for Christian Workers	1008 18th Avenue, Nashville, TN 37213	5
1970	Roberts, James H. (Gwendolyn Ophia)	II	AME	Oxford-Williamsburg	P.O. Box 334, Oxford, MD 21654	2
	Robinson, Frank W. (Joyce B.)		LPE	Wittman-McDaniel	48 Glenwood Avenue, Easton, MD 21601	2
1958	Robinson, C. J. (Evelyn W.)	XIX	E	New Castle-Mt. Salem	101 W. 6th Street, New Castle, DE 19720	4
1951	Robinson, Willard L., Jr. (Eleanor Elizabeth)	III, V	E	Marshallton: Cedars	2716 Barnsley Road, Wilmington, DE 19808	1
1957	Rose, Kenneth R. (JoAnn W.)	II	E	Grace-Wilm.	1704 Bancroft Pkwy., Wilmington, DE 19806	5
1918	Ross, Gilbert S. (Grace B.)		R		3245 Fairway Drive, Lindengreen, Wilmington, DE 19803	20
1978	Russell, Michaele		E	Ellendale Charge	Box 193, Ellendale, DE 19941	1
	Russell, William E. (Angela C.)		LPD	Wilmington-Simpson	44 Covered Bridge Lane, Newark, DE 19711	10

1947	Ruth, Dale L. (Margaret Elizabeth)	XIII	E	Rehoboth Beach: Epworth	19 Baltimore Avenue, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971	2
1947	Sanders, Samuel R. (Bernice C.)		E	Nanticoke Cir.	P.O. Box 463, Salisbury, MD 21801	16
1962	Schauer, Henry H.		R		RFD #1 Hebron, MD 21830	4
1960	Scott, Carrol (Lucille)	XVII	E	Preston-Hurlock	R.D. 1, Box 277, Preston, MD 21655	4
1957	Seyfert, F. C. Jr. (Jo Ann)	XIX	E	Holly Oak	1511 Philadelphia Pike, Wilmington, DE 19809	5
1978	Seymour, David T. (Single)		PD	School	Wesley Theological Sem.	1
	Seymour, James T.		LP	Snow Hill: Ebenezer	107 S. Collins Street, Snow Hill, MD 21863	3
1936	Shield, Elmer R. (Ada Matthews)		R		7 Second Street, Pocomoke City, MD 21851	10
1937	Shockley, John R. (Edith M.)		R		800 McCabe Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19802	2
1957	Shockley, Olin J. (Dorothy V.)	X, XV	E	Aldersgate	410 Country Club Drive, Wilmington, DE 19803	4
1972	Short, Thos. Chester		PD	Dorchester Charge	Box 98, Secretary, MD 21664	4
1960	Short, Thos. Crawford (Mary H.)	X	E	Asbury-Minquadale	9 Fols Crescent Penn Acres, New Castle, DE 19720	5
1969	Shufelt, Vinton D. (Edith Sard)		AMR		Rt. 7, S. Kaywood Dr., Salisbury, MD 21801	5
1978	Simon, James A. (Constance)		PD	Pocomoke City Charge	407 Oxford Street, Pocomoke City, MD 21851	2
1956	Simpers, J. W., Jr. (Ethel Mary)	XXIV	E	Assoc. Council Dir.	Camp Pecometh, Lands End Road, Centreville, MD 21617	4
1978	Simpson, Robert E., Sr. (Madeline)		PD	Kirkwood	206 Jefferson St., Box 217, Delaware City, DE 19706	7
1943	Smith, Curtis W. (Rosemary)	I	E	Allen	Allen, MD 21810	3
1956	Smith, Kyle N. (Margaret P.)		E	Milford: Calvary	206 S. E. Front Street, Milford, DE 19963	5
	Smith, Samuel M. (Margaret K.)		LP	Charlestown-St. Johns	1815 Windemere Ave., Wilmington, DE 19804	7
1928	Snapp, Albert M. B. (Marguerite Lucille)		R		101 Layton Ave. North, Wyoming, DE 19934	16
1962	Spedden, H. P. (Elaine M.)	VII	E	Richardson Park	11 N. Maryland Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19804	2
1918	Spence, Oliver H. (Pearl Rebecca)		R		58 S. Queen Street, Dover, DE 19901	12
1926	Spence, Preston W. (Elizabeth O.)		R		4 Troy Avenue, Wilmington, DE 19804	13
1934	Spencer, Charles P. (Edna B.)		R		Temp. P.O. Box 1367, Leesburg, FL 32748	6
1938	Squires, Charles H. (Sileen Perry)		R		555 Giles St., Havre de Grace, MD 21078	2
1972	Stanley, George L. (Mamie)		AME	Centreville-Newton	Box 175, Hurlock, MD 21643	9
1971	Stanley, Nelson C. (Margaret)		AME	E. New Market-Linkwood	E. New Market, MD 21631	22
1956	Stapleton, J. Gordon (Barbara J.)	X, XV	E	St. Mark's, Stanton	1210 Flint Hill Road, Wilmington, DE 19808	3
1957	Starnes, Ronald W. (Martha E.)		R		College Square, Dover, DE 19901	2
1971	Staten, William M. (Rose V.)	VII, XXIV	AME	Lincoln-Milford-Harrington	Rt. 1, Box 162, Lincoln, DE 19960	3

1966	Starrett, Robert W. (Carolyn J.)	III, XIV, XXII	E	Chaplain: Wesley College	102 Governors Avenue, Dover, DE 19901	3
1958	Staton, Lawrence E. (Betty Ann)		E	Salisbury: St. Andrews	Rte. 4, Box 606, Salisbury, MD 21801	1
1949	Stazesky, Richard C. (Mary Anne T.)		E	Exec. Dir. of Ch. Home Foundations, Inc.	1025 Faun Road, Graylyn Crest, Wilmington, DE 19803	4
1964	Steckman, Ira D. Jr. (Mearl E.)	XXII	E	Smyrna: Asbury, Centennial	306 Hamilton Way, Smyrna, DE 19977	9
1964	Stellges, George L. (Una Naomi)	IV	E	Salisbury: Christ	Rt. 7, Box 66, Salisbury, MD 21801	5
1971	Sterling, Wm. T., Jr. (Sheila T.)	VIII	E	Sudlersville	P. O. Box 202, Sudlersville, MD 21668	2
1932	Stone, Walter H.	XXIV	E	Assoc. Council Director	Worton, MD 21678	9
1960	Stookey, Laurence H. (Peggy Ann)		E	Asst. Prof. of Preaching & Worship	Wesley Theological Seminary, 4400 Mass. Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20016	6
1965	Strickland, A. W. (Hattie Elizabeth)		R		421 Valley Road, Havertown, PA 19083	14
1961	Strickler, Charles E. (Mary)		R		P.O. Box 353, Snow Hill, MD 21863	2
1962	Stubbs, Simon N.		E	Appointed to Attend School	8411 14th Avenue, Langely Park, MD 20787	2
1977	Swift, Carolyn R.		PD	Assistant, Wesley-Dover	804 Sunset Terrace, Dover, DE 19901	2
1977	Sye, Herbert E. (Berta)		PD	School	Wesley Theo. Seminary	4
1945	Tasco, William M. (Single)		R		122 E. Lake Street, Middletown, DE 19709	4
1928	Tawes, Roy L. (Mabel S.)		R		511 Caulk Road, Milford, DE 19963	7
1974	Taylor, Alfred E. (Beverly)		E	Mt. Vernon Charge	Box 203, Sharptown, MD 21861	4
1969	Taylor, George W. (Inez N.)		AMR		Clarksville, DE 19937	3
1971	Taylor, John Edwin (Rosalee)		AMD	Bishopville-Showell	P.O. Box 375, Bishopville, MD 21813	5
1949	Thomas, Edwin C. Jr. (Elizabeth D.)	XXII, XXIV	E	District Supt. Salisbury Dist.	1404 Camden Ave., Salisbury, MD 21801	4
1914	Thomas, Essel P. (Elsie D.)		R		Methodist Manor House, 1001 Middleford Road, Seaford, DE 19973	23
1936	Thomas, Paul (H. Marjorie)		R		950 N. E. 2nd Terrace, Boca Raton, FL 33432	5
1966	Thomas, Robert L. (Jeanean B.)	II	E	Townsend	P.O. Box 60, Townsend, DE 19734	4
1930	Thomas, William C. (Adelaide K.)		R		7426 N. 20th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104	15
1972	Thompson, Daisy		LPR		442 Fulton Street, Dover, DE 19901	2
1958	Tingle, Melvin E. (Marguerite G.)		E	Oxford	P.O. Box 116, Oxford, MD 21654	5
1956	Todd, O. M. (Flora W.)		R		10 Birch Drive, Greenville, PA 16125	1
1950	Trader, Charles L.		R		Methodist Manor House, 1001 Middleford Rd., Seaford, DE 19973	13
1965	Trail, Gary W. (Elaine Burkett)		E	Hurlock: Unity Washington	Box 298, Hurlock, MD 21643	2

1936	Truitt, F. Howard (Mary V.)		R		200 Church Street, Sharptown, MD 21861	4
	Tubbs, Joseph J. (Florence)		R		Rt. 1, Chesmar, Chestertown, MD 21620	1
1971	Tulak, Gary S. (Judith Ann)	II	E	Odessa	Main Street, Odessa, DE 19730	1
1970	Tulak, Frank E. (Janice L.)		E	Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte	31 Glenrock Dr. Radnor Green Claymont, DE 19703	5
1922	Turkington, T. J.		R		600 Market Street, Denton, MD 21629	19
1971	Turner, William A. (Barbara)		AME	Frankford Chg.	Box 37, Frankford, DE 19945	3
1975	Twilley, Floyd A., Jr. (Ann)	III	E	Parsonsburg	Box 88, Parsonsburg, MD 21849	2
1975	Valentine, Kenneth S. (Single)	I	E	Assoc. Salisbury: Asbury	1214 Frederick Ave., Salisbury, MD 21801	1
1935	Van Cleaf, R. E. (Jeanette M.)		R		Pot Nets, Box D 385, Millsboro, DE 19966	4
1970	Van Tine, John W. (Virginia R.)	IV	E	Queen Anne	Box 267, Queen Anne, MD 21657	2
1972	Varell, K. Richard (Lorna F.)	II	E	Lewes: Bethel-Groome	130 W. 4th Street, Lewes, DE 19958	1
1931	Vaughn, Joseph B. (Alice T.)		R		Windmill Village, Box 3018, Punta Gorda, FL 33950	10
1920	Volk, Frank M. (Viola)		R		27712 Ridge Rd., Damascus, MD 20750	19
1932	Von Hagel, James J. (Virginia C.)		R		24 Golfview Dr., Apt. C-3, Newark, DE 19702	5
1973	Vroman, Dale Lynn (Anita Susan)		PD	E. New Market Charge	Box 95, E. New Market, MD 21613	2
1963	Walker, Dan E. (Ruth E.)	III	E	Rock Hall	Rock Hall, MD 21861	9
1969	Walker, Jesse H. (Charlotte)	XIII	E	Mt. Joy-Buttonwood	625 S. Heald Street, Wilmington, DE 19801	8
1961	Wall, Thomas J. (Corrine J.)	XII	E	Pocomoke City	200 Walnut Street, Pocomoke City, MD 21851	6
1958	Wallace, Robert O. (Ebba)		E	Field Rep., Bd. of Global Min.	165 Kendale Drive, Clearwater, FL 33519	2
1977	Walseman, Howard Gayland (Beth)	III	E	Ridgely Chg.	Box 414, Ridgely, MD 21660	2
1977	Walters, Marlene L. (Thomas)		PD	Dept. of Pastoral Care, Wilm. Med. Ctr.	2424 Grubb Road, Wilmington, DE 19810	2
1967	Walton, Harold E. (Norma Jo)	III, XXIV	E	Middletown Chg.	701 S. Cox Street, Middletown, DE 19704	2
1970	Walz, James P. (Margaret J.)		E	School	Drew University, Madison, N.J. 07904	3
1971	Warner, Robert L. (Audrey)		LA		108 Mulberry Drive, Windy Hills, Newark, DE 19711	3
1961	Waters, Floyd E. (Margaret I.)		EDL		218 Lake Street, Salisbury, MD 21801	6
1971	Weber, F. David (Rosemary L.)		E	Regional Director Western N.Y., Natl. Conf. of Christians & Jews	Suite 235, Statler Hilton Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y. 14202	1
1929	Wheatley, Grayson H. (Frances H.)		R		Route 3, Box 121, Snow Hill, MD 21863	11
	Wheedleton, John R. (Betty B.)		LPD	Williamsburg (Short Street)	R.D. #3, Box 216, Seaford, DE 19973	9

1972	White, Dorothy E.		E	Community Ministries, Legerton-Wilcoxson Associates		1
1957	Whitlock, Robert P. (Mary E.)	XV, XXIV	E	St. Paul's-Wilmington	4 Malvern Court, Wilmington, DE 19803	2
1943	Wildey, Donzel C. (Ellen E.)	III	E	Vice Pres. Wesley Theological Seminary	Wesley Seminary, 4400 Mass. Ave. N. W., Washington, DC 20016	1
1952	Wilcox, Chester E. (Blanche W. C.)		R		Box 712, Webasso, FL 32970	9
1954	Wilkins, Edward R. (Josephine A.)	X, XI	E	Denton: Ames	Box 66, Denton, MD 21929	3
1945	Wilkins, Howell O. (Dorothy)	III, XV, XXV	E	Salisbury: Asbury	504 Pine Bluff Rd., Salisbury, MD 21801	6
1950	Wilkins, Samuel L.	IV	E	Whaleysville Charge	Box 32, Whaleysville, MD 21871	1
	Williams, Joseph W., Jr. (Anita E.)		LP	Chestertown: Pomono	Rt. 2, Chestertown, MD 21620	5
1963	Willink, Alvin J. (Doris J.)	II	E	Harrington-Houston	203 Weiner Avenue, Harrington, DE 19952	4
1940	Willis, Charles L. (Hazel R.)		R		Rt. 3, Box 466 A, Clinton, TN 37716	11
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1940	Wimberly, Edgar V. (Evelyn Mae)		R		3810 N. 16th Street, Philadelphia, PA 19140	18
1961	Wimbrow, L. E. (Olivia H.)	XVIII	E	Chestertown: First	P.O. Box 227, Chestertown, MD 21620	4
1975	Wood, Fred Dickson (Patricia)	III	PD	School	Wesley Theological Seminary, 4400 Mass. Ave. N.W., Washington, DC 20016	4
1973	Woodruff, Ellsworth P.		E	Bethel Chg.	Box 62, Bethel, DE 19931	1
1961	Young, James M. (Kathleen S.)	XXIV	E	Exec. Director Meth. Action Program	407 W. 9th Street, Wilmington, DE 19801	5
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Gauger, John M. (Peniel) — 3909 Swiss Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75204
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Harmon, H. T., Sr. (Simpson) — 1707 Newport Road, Wilmington, DE 19808
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Jenkins, Mrs. Ada (Ezion-Mt. Carmel) — 1983 Spencer Place, Philadelphia, PA 19141
Johnson, Russell (Rising Sun) — Rising Sun, MD 21911
Manuel, Warren A. (Christ) — 304 Mansion Rd., Elmhurst, Wilmington, DE 19804
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Babski, Benjamin (Kirkwood), 4952 S. Raintree Court, Pepperidge, Wilmington, DE 19808
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Barber, Edwin (Peniel), 104 Wardel Rd., Glen Berne Estates, Wilmington, DE 19804
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Bergez, Albert I. (Peniel), 101 Harbeson Place, Glenville, Wilmington, DE 19804
Berry, Russell (St. Paul's, Wilm.), 103 Sorrel Dr., Surrey Park, Wilmington, DE 19803
Brooks, Ellwood J. (Simpson), 239 Meadowbrook Ave., Wilmington, DE 19805
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Brown, Elise R. (Ezion-Mt. Carmel), 100 E. 36th St., Wilmington, DE 19802
Brown, George C. (Cedars), 11 Harvard Road, Cooper Farms, Wilmington, DE 19808

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Brown, Leona J. (Union), 20 Whitehall Circle, Wilmington, DE 19808
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Burcham, Arthur (Christ), 1805 Lincoln Ave., Wilmington, DE 19808
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Compton, Mrs. Evelyn (Ebenezer, Newark), 78 Skyline Dr., Stratford, New Castle, DE 19720
Connelly, Donald P. (Calvary), 7 Greenridge Road, Newark, DE 19711
Cooper, Mary (Simpson), 308 Clyde St., Cedar Heights, Wilmington, DE 19804
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Foster, Spotswood (St. Paul's, Wilm.), 2412 Brickton Rd., Chatham, Wilmington, DE 19803
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Gaines, Naomi (Coleman), 38 Aquilla Drive, Overview Gardens, New Castle, DE 19720
Gamsby, Arthur (Kingswood), 24 W. Stephens Dr., Chestnut Hill, Newark, DE 19713
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Hollingsworth, William (St. Paul's, Wilm.), 1109 Greenhill Ave., Wilmington, DE 19809
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Humphreys, Barbara E. (Ebenezer, Newark), 17 Henderson Hill Road, Newark, DE 19711
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Parker, Leonard (Haven, Townsend), Route 2, Townsend, DE 19734
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Powrie, Robert A. (Aldersgate), 1211 Grinnell Road, Green Acres, Wilmington, DE 19803
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	RM	Alois Matthews, Crapo, MD 21626
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	LM	Mrs. Wm. O. Carroll, 506 S. Aurora, Easton, MD 21601
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	RM	Mrs. Oscar Willey, RFD, Denton, MD 21629
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	RM	James O. Spicer, W. Central Ave., Federalsburg, MD 21632
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	RM	Raymond Simmons, Church Creek, MD 21622
	RM	Margarite Ruark, Fishing Creek, MD 21634
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	RM	Mrs. Janet Mott, Bozman, MD 21612
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58. Tilghman	LM	Harry Crutcheley, Claiborne, MD 21624
	RM	Christopher Henderson, Tilghman, MD 21671
59. Trappe-Bruceville	LM	John M. Sewell, Trappe, MD 21673
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61. Williamsburg	LM	Madeline Lord, Federalsburg, MD 21632
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	RM	Wilton Todd, P.O. Box, Wingate, MD 21675
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	LM	Mrs. Lucie Holmes, 7 Somerset, Crisfield, MD 21817
	RM	Mrs. Darlene Piazza, Apes Hole Rd., Crisfield, MD 21817
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7. Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant	LM	Calvin Gibson, Jr., 7 West Main St., Crisfield, MD 21817
	RM	Mrs. Marie Daugherty, Mariners Rd., Crisfield, MD 21817
8. Crisfield: Shiloh	LM	Marian Ward, Freemantown, Crisfield, MD 21817
	RM	Margo Green, 123 Chesapeake, Crisfield, MD 21817
	RM	Jonathan Wharton, Crisfield, MD 21817
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21. Marion Station-Handys	LM	Bernice Jones, Marion, MD 21838
	RM	Annie M. Fontaine, Marion, MD 21838
22. Marion Station-Mariners	LM	Mrs. Lula M. Wells, 304 Hinman Rd., Crisfield, MD 21817
	RM	George Ward, Gen. Del., Marion, MD 21838
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	RM	Robert Taylor, Rt. 2, Box 387, Berlin, MD 21811
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	RM	James Gahling, Sheephouse Rd., Pocomoke, MD 21851
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	RM	Mrs. Evelyn Peterson, Rt. 7, Box 123, Kaywood Dr., Salisbury, MD 21801
	RM	E. Gordy Parker, 425 Monticello Ave., Salisbury, MD 21801
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40. Salisbury: Grace	LM	Jim Killmon, 1521 Magnolia Dr., Salisbury, MD 21801
	LM	Maurice Hancock, 215 Oakdale Rd., Salisbury, MD 21801
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	RM	David Waters, 705 Booth St., Salisbury, MD 21801

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- RM Mrs. Letha Whayland, Quantico Rd., Salisbury, MD 21801

43. Salisbury: St. Andrews
- LM Mrs. Aline Crowley, 416 Wilkins St., Salisbury, MD 21801
- LM Vincent Waller, 315 S. Haven Ave., Salisbury, MD 21801
- RM Edgar Bozman, 218 S. Salisbury Blvd., Salisbury, MD 21801

44. Salisbury: Trinity
- LM Max Chambers, Tyaskin, MD 21865
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- RM Mrs. Warren Brittingham, 213 Naylor St., Salisbury, MD 21801
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- LM Mrs. Iva Dashiel, 902 Lake St., Salisbury, MD 21801
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46. Asbury Charge
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- RM Mrs. Neva E. Little, Rt. 1, Mardela Springs, MD 21837

47. Mt. Vernon
- LM Louise Elliott, Little Water St., Sharptown, MD 21861
- RM Mrs. Kay Buckley, Church St., Sharptown, MD 21861

48. Zion Charge
- LM Nora Morris, Rt. 1, Mardela, MD 21837
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49. Snow Hill: Bates Memorial
- LM Miss Mabel Pruitt, Rt. 3, Box 151, Snow Hill, MD 21863
- RM Mrs. Virginia Gordy, Rt. 2, Box 35, Snow Hill, MD 21863

50. Snow Hill: Ebenezer
- LM Mrs. Flossie B. Douglass, 305 W. Market St., Snow Hill, MD 21863
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51. Snow Hill: Whatcoat
- LM Miles Eichhorn, RFD, Girdletree, MD 21863
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52. Stockton-Shiloh
- LM Geraldine Tull, Stockton, MD 21864
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53. Oakville-Cottage Grove
- LM Lena C. Tilghman, Westover, MD 21871
- RM Elmer Collins, Princess Anne, MD 21853

54. Upper Fairmount
- LM Warren D. Bloodsworth, Jr., 406 Beckford Ave., Princess Anne, MD 21853
- RM Wm. Barry, P.O. Box 104, Upper Fairmount, MD 21867

55. Upper Hill
- LM William Waters, Box 182, Upper Hill, MD 21868
- RM June Rhodes, Box 173, Upper Hill, MD 21868

56. Whaleysville
- LM Mrs. Maude Love, Whaleysville, MD 21872
- RM Howard Ellis, Willards, MD 21874

57. Whaleysville
- LM Mrs. Phoebe Smith, Rt. 1, Box 387, Parsonsburg, MD 21849
- RM Mrs. Virginia Showell, Rt., Box 202, Bishopville, MD 21813

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- LM James Sinclair

2. Christiana-Kirkwood
- LM Fannie Spahr, 2711 Barnsley Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808
- LM Alice Newman, Kirkwood, DE 19708

3. Christiana Salem
- RM Thelma Johnson, 47 Brown Lane, Christian, DE 19702
- LM Thomas Roberts, Jr., 139 Salem Church Rd., Newark, DE 19713

4. Claymont: Atonement
- RM Mrs. Frances Perry, Canoe Club Rd., Newark, DE 19702
- LM Mrs. Edith Webb, 2400 McKinley Ave., Claymont, DE 19703
- LM George Newton, 15 Hillside Ave., Claymont, DE 19703
- RM Walker Y. Wells, Jr., 2512 Traynor Ave., Claymont, DE 19703

5. Glasgow
- LM Jean Boyer, 1612 S. College, Newark, DE 19702
- RM Edith Richards, Old Balt. Pike, RD 2, Newark, DE 19711

6. Hockessin
- LM Clyde Eilo, 1 Leigh Ct., Westgate, Wilmington, DE 19801
- LM Mrs. Thomas Langrell, 27 Drummond Dr., Highland West, Wilmington, DE 19808
- RM Mrs. Donna Krieg, RD 3, 530 Hemingway Dr., Hockessin, DE 19707

7. Kirkwood
- RM Wm. Holloway, RD 3, Newark, DE 19711
- LM Benjamin E. Lloyd, Jr., 405 High St., Odessa, DE 19730

8. St. John's-Moore's
- RM James H. Sapp, 207 Capitol Trail, Newark, DE 19711
- LM Mrs. Eva Hicks, Box 62, Lewisville, PA 19351

9. Ebenezer
- RM Mrs. Edna Ewing, RD 5, Elkton, MD 21921
- LM Norris H. Greenplate, 907 Capitol Tr., Newark, DE 19711

10. Kingswood
- RM Daniel E. Harris, 727 Fawn Rd., RD 3, Newark, DE 19711
- LM Elizabeth Galletly, 45 Greenridge, Newark, DE 19711

11. Newark
- LM Arthur Gamsby, 24 W. Stephens, Newark, DE 19713
- RM Mrs. Mary Westbrook, 21 Merry Rd., Newark, DE 19713
- LM Mrs. Gladys Shaw, 5 Fox Lane, Newark, DE 19711
- LM Mrs. Jessie Spear, Mill Creek Rd., RD 1, Hockessin, DE 19707
- LM Mrs. Bette Ward, 64 W. Stephen Dr., Newark, DE 19713
- RM William Clark, Jr., 12 Marlyn Rd., Newark, DE 19711
- RM Herbert Holck, 3 Calgary Rd., Newark, DE 19711
- RM Thomas Pellegrene, Sr., 14 Lenape Lane, Newark, DE 19713
- LM Col. Daniel Sundt, 109 Timberline Dr., Newark, DE 19711

12. Asbury-Minquadale
- LM Paul Miller, 202 W. Franklin Ave., Wilmington Mnr., New Castle, DE 19720
- RM John Seney, 24 Briarcliff Dr., Overview Gdns., New Castle, DE 19720
- LM Charles Gilson, 106 Werden Dr., Llangollen Est., New Castle, DE 19720
- RM Mrs. Grace Martin, 8 Tyrone Ave., W. Minquadale, New Castle, DE 19720

13. New Castle: Mt. Salem
- LM Amelia Bobon, 36 Dryden Rd., New Castle, DE 19720
- LM Bradford Davis, 31 Winterbury Cir., Wilmington, DE 19808
- LM Mrs. Reba Coger, 113 E. 4th St., New Castle, DE 19720

14. St. Georges-Delaware City
- LM H. Kennard Harding, 134 Hamilton St., Del. City, DE 19706
- RM Harry N. Kirk, Clinton St., Del. City, DE 19706

15. Middletown
- LM Clara Feucht, RD 1, Middletown, DE 19709
- LM John Butler, Jr., RD 1, Box 376, Middletown, DE 19709
- RM Marjorie Watson, Amberly Apts. 710, Middletown, DE 19709
- LM William Moffitt, Jr., 124 Whitmore Dr., Middletown, DE 19709

16. Odessa
- LM Harry McNatt, Odessa, DE 19730

17. Townsend
- LM Mrs. Clara Reynolds, Rt.1, Townsend, DE 19734
- RM Mrs. Mildred Boardley, Rt. 2, Townsend, DE 19734

18. Aldersgate
- LM Harry Appleby, Box 135, Bear, DE 19701
- RM Mrs. George B. McKeown, 102 Dunbarton, Wilmington, DE 19808
- LM Mrs. John Hogan, 218 Sandra Rd., Wilmington, DE 19803
- LM Robert Powrie, 1211 Grinnell, Wilmington, DE 19803
- LM Mrs. John F. Downham, 1808 Jaybee Dr., Wilmington, DE 19803
- RM Miss Olive Cook, 2200 Elmfield Dr., Wilmington, DE 19803

19. Brandywine-Trinity
- LM Aubrey Norton, 1601 Shadybrook Rd., Wilmington, DE 19803
- RM Ms. Brenda Pleasant, 313 W. 37th St., Wilmington, DE 19802

20. Calvary-Eastlake
- LM Beverly Alexander, 1905 Faulk Rd., Faulk Wds., Wilmington, DE
- RM Mrs. Miriam Quillen, Bellwood, 503 Sharpley Blvd., Wilmington, DE 19803

21. Chester-Bethel
- LM Mrs. Sue Taber, 507 Del. Ave., Hillendale, Wilmington, DE 19809
- LM Will Cupery, 13 Crestfield Rd., Crestfield, Wilmington, DE 19810
- RM Mrs. Harry Meck, 2610 Naaman's Rd., Wilmington, DE 19810
- RM Barbara Fulmer, 1902 Zebley Rd., Wilmington, DE 19810

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- LM Arthur Burcham, 805 Lincoln Ave., Cranston Hgts., Wilmington, DE 19808
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- LM Lewis D. Armstrong, 2402 Cedar St., Roselle, Wilmington, DE 19805
- RM Clifton Albright, 29 Milltown Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808

23. Coleman
- LM Mrs. Lula Bunting, 463 Anderson Dr., Wilmington, DE 19801
- RM William Jenkins, 402 Talladega Dr., Wilmington, DE 19801

24. Ezion-Mt. Carmel
- LM Wm. R. Jones, 201 W. 37th St., Wilmington, DE 19802
- LM Sudonia Holland, 1314 Walnut St., Wilmington, DE 19801
- RM Mrs. Cleo H. Henry, 1007 Poplar St., Wilmington, DE 19801

25. Grace
- LM V. Hardy Scheuerman, 14 Frances Lane, Wilmington, DE 19803
- RM Mrs. David G. Cushing, 14 Meadows Lane, Centreville, DE 19807
- LM Marvin L. Reinhart, RD 3, Box 83D, Kennett Square, PA 19348
- RM William T. Wood, Jr., 305 Saddler Lane, Wilmington, DE 19803
- LM Mrs. Sydney W. Fleming, 24 Crestfield, Wilmington, DE 19810

26. Harrison St.
- LM Marvin McKay, 200 W. 36, Wilmington, DE 19802
- RM Mrs. Gladys Jones, 121 Curtis Ave., Wilmington, DE 19804

27. Hillcrest-Bellefonte
- LM Douglas McGregor, 4633 Sylvanus Dr., Rockwood Hills, Wilmington, DE 19803
- LM Mrs. Donna Quigley, 41 Osage Rd., Claymont, DE 19703

28. Holly Oak
- LM Rodney Rawlins, 53 N. Cannon Dr., Wilmington, DE 19809
- RM Mrs. Clara Friedel, 25 Delaware Ave., Wilmington, DE 19809

29. Marshallton-Cedars
- LM Mrs. Dorothea Leach, 3800 Hutchison Dr., Wilmington, DE 19808
- RM Mrs. Louise Holliday, 2716 Barnsley Dr., Wilmington, DE 19808
- LM Mrs. Donald Gauger, 2618 MacClary Dr., Wilmington, DE 19808
- RM Mrs. Gladys Ainsworth, 2403 Newport Gap, Wilmington, DE 19808

30. Mt. Joy-Buttonwood
- LM Willie Dixon, 300 N. Gray Ave., Wilmington, DE 19805
- RM Sylvester Woolford, 20 Buttonwood Ave., Wilmington, DE 19720

31. Mt. Lebanon-Mt. Salem
- LM Mrs. Marilyn Leffet, 208 Binstead Ave., Kiamensi Gdns., Wilmington, DE 19804
- RM Mrs. Kathleen Rawlins, 3312 Englewood Dr., Wilmington, DE 19810

32. Peniel
- LM Austin R. Ross, 402 Woodbine Ave., Wilmington, DE 19804
- LM Arthur Craig, Sr., 207 Stonehurst Dr., Wilmington, DE 19804
- RM Harold Leach, 204 Second Ave., Wilmington, DE 19804
- RM Mrs. Margaret Leach, 204 Second Ave., Wilmington, DE 19804

33. Peninsula-McCabe
- LM Charles Taylor, 11 Benton Ct., Wilmington, DE 19810
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- LM Mrs. Edmund Maag, 2404 Larkwood Dr., Lancashire, Wilmington, DE 19810
- RM Harold Conner, 613 Amberley Rd., Sharpley, Wilmington, DE 19803

34. Richardson Park
- LM Mrs. Rachel Keen, 9 Hayden Ave., Wilmington, DE 19804
- LM Robert Godfrey, 301 S. du Pont Rd., Wilmington, DE 19805
- RM Carmelete Buttles, 6 North Ave., Boxwood, Wilmington, DE 19804

35. St. Mark's
- LM Mrs. Angie Heinold, 1700 Telegraph Rd., Wilmington, DE 19804
- RM Mrs. Edna Hudson, 117 Yearsly Rd., Wilmington, DE 19808
- LM Mrs. Betsy Breckenridge, RD 1, Landenberg, PA 19350
- RM John M. Speake, Jr., 601 7th Ave., Wilmington, DE 19808

36. St. Paul's
- LM Spotswood Foster, 2412 Brickton Rd., Wilmington, DE 19803
- LM J. Wallace Watson, 2417 Brickton Rd., Wilmington, DE 19803
- RM James Beall, 121 Wynnwood Dr., Wilmington, DE 19810
- RM Mrs. Evan Beeson, 2217 Lincoln Ave., Wilmington, DE 19809

37. Silverbrook-Haven
- LM Mrs. Juanita Wilson, 1735 W. 5th, Wilmington, DE 19805
- RM Mrs. Mildred Holden, 1919 W. 16th, Wilmington, DE 19805
- LM Edgar E. Wilson, Sr., 716 Princeton Rd., Wilmington, DE 19807

38. Simpson
- LM Ellwood J. Brooks, 239 Meadowbrook, Wilmington, DE 19804
- RM Mrs. Helen Powell, 205 Harrison, Wilmington, DE 19808

39. Skyline
- LM Mrs. Grace Leedy, 2609 Whittier, Wilmington, DE 19808
- RM Mrs. Sandy Soltow, 2704 Keswick, Wilmington, DE 19808

40. Union
- LM Dr. A. Frank Chapman, 2417 Brookshire Dr., Wilmington, DE 19803
- RM H. Marvin Jester, 325 W. Summit Ave., Wilmington, DE 19803

41. Cecilton
- LM Betty Obenshain, Cecilton, MD 21913
- RM Leona Lum, Earleville, MD 21919

42. Charlestown
- LM Emma Wood, RD 2, North East, MD 21901

43. Chesapeake City
- LM Wayne Cothin, Sr., RD 1, Chesapeake City, MD 21915
- RM Richard Taylor, Town Pt. Rd., Chesapeake City, MD 21915

44. East Cecil Charge
- LM Rachel B. Racine, Box 27, Childs, MD 21916
- RM Marion Walters, 301 King St., Elkton, MD 21921

45. Elkton-Providence
- LM Mrs. Ethel Feucht, Rt. 4, Elkton, MD 21921
- LM Mrs. Elsie Buckworth, 423 Del. Ave., Elkton, MD 21921
- RM George Harris, 113 Booth St., Elkton, MD 21921
- RM Mrs. Judith Pugh, 242 E. Main St., Elkton, MD 21921

46. Cherry Hill
- LM George Reynolds, RD 4, Elkton, MD 21921
- RM Ray Jacobs, RD 5, Box 187, Elkton, MD 21921

47. North East-Bayview
- LM Charles Puschell, RD 3, Box 195, North East, MD 21901
- RM Mrs. Evelyn Reed, RD 2, Box 32, North East, MD 21901

48. North East	LM	Ermond Moore, RFD 2, Box 341, North East, MD 21901
	RM	Naze Wherry, Rt. 3, Box 26, North East, MD 21901
49. Perryville-Principio	LM	Wilbur Tyson, RD 1, Box 12, Perryville, MD 21903
	RM	Dr. Ernest Ni, 100 Matte Lane, Havre de Grace, MD 21078
50. Asbury, Cokesbury, Tome	LM	Mrs. Peggy Wade, 321 Trimble Rd., Joppatowne, MD 21085
	RM	Janette Westerfield, Port Deposit, MD 21904
51. Colora-Hopewell	LM	Byron Anson, MacCauley Rd., Conowingo, MD 21918
	RM	Miss Bruna Abrahams, Tome Hwy., Port Deposit, MD 21904
52. West Cecil	LM	George Prettyman, Sr., RD 1, North East, MD 21901
	RM	Wayne Sprout, RD 1, Rising Sun, MD 21911
53. Rising Sun	LM	Mrs. Susan Ewing, RD 1, Farmington, Rising Sun, MD 21911
	RM	Mrs. Janet Wolf, Walnut Circle, Rising Sun, MD 21911

VI. Business Of The Annual Conference

A. Daily Proceedings

Official Journal

Thirty-Ninth Session, May, 1978

Saturday Morning—May 6, 1978

9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. — Bishop James K. Mathews called to attention the Thirty-Ninth Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference in the gymnasium of Wesley College, Dover, Delaware. The Bishop led the Conference in a Worship Service including the singing of hymns, the reading of scripture, prayers, and a brief message based on the scripture. The Conference Secretary moved that the roll be taken by the persons attending by signing in on sheets provided in each of the Legislative Review Sections.

The Bishop then announced that the only item for business to be considered was a Corporate Session of Wesley College. He turned the meeting over to the Honorable Reynolds duPont who presided. The minutes of that corporate session follow:

The special meeting of the Corporate Session of Wesley College, Inc. was held in the gymnasium on Saturday, May 6, 1978. Following the opening ceremonies and worship service led by Bishop James K. Mathews, the meeting was called to order by the Honorable Reynolds duPont, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Wesley College at 9:30 a.m.

Mr. duPont then outlined the process through which the Board of Trustees had proposed the amendment and called the special meeting. He then called on Dr. R. Jervis Cooke, President of Wesley College who presented the background of the proposed amendment and the necessity of the special meeting.

Dr. Cooke then moved for the passage of the proposed resolution amending Article Third of the Articles of Incorporation. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously. The wording of the resolution follows:

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees deems it advisable to amend Article Third of its Certificate of Incorporation:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That Wesley College, Inc. amend the Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation as follows:

1. Article Third of the Certificate of Incorporation is amended by deleting the existing Article Third in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

THIRD: The purpose of this corporation shall be to establish and maintain a Christian institution or institutions for higher education, which shall offer college courses leading to associate and baccalaureate degrees, and which shall be under the patronage of the Peninsula Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church in the United States of America and to be located at Dover in the State of Delaware and/or elsewhere and to do everything necessary or appropriate therefor.

It was announced by Mr. duPont that the Certificate of Amendment would be signed by the President, Dr. Cooke, and the Secretary of the Corporation, Mrs. Edgar W. Buchanan, sealed with the corporate seal, and delivered by the college attorney to the Secretary of State.

The corporate session was adjourned at 9:40 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Madaline E. Buchanan
Mrs. Madaline E. Buchanan,
Secretary

Following the adjournment of the corporate session, the Bishop made comments concerning Wesley College, and called for announcements. James Young announced that he had materials to be passed out concerning Jai Lai in Delaware and he encouraged people to support the move to block same.

The Conference Secretary announced the location and leadership of the Legislative Sections.

Section I	**Little Theater, Wesley College, Dover**
Chairperson	Mr. H. Thomas Welch
Secretary	Mrs. Mildred White
Assistant Secretary	The Rev. James L. Hartman
Staff Representative	The Rev. David W. Baker
	The Rev. Richard D. Bailey
	Mr. Theodore W. Briggs
Section II	**Simpson Room, Wesley College, Dover**
Chairperson	Mrs. Lida Wells
Secretary	The Rev. Terry W. Armstrong
Assistant Secretary	The Rev. Hervey W. Greer
Staff Representative	The Rev. Nathaniel L. Miller
Section III	**Peninsula Room, Wesley College, Dover**
Chairperson	The. Rev. G. Wayne Cuff
Secretary	Miss Mable Pruitt
Assistant Secretary	The Rev. Michael L. Price
Staff Representative	The Rev. David Riffe

The Cabinet will be rotating among the Sections.

The Conference Secretary announced that the Legislative Review Sections would convene at 10 a.m.

Bishop Mathews then recessed the Thirty-Ninth Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference and stated that it would reconvene on Tuesday, May 23 at 10:45 a.m. for the Communion and Memorial Service.

Tuesday Morning—May 23, 1978

10:45 a.m. SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER and MEMORIAL SERVICE. The Reverend Mr. William Hackett delivered the sermon. Serving were

Bread:	**Cup:**
Elders:	**Deacons**
W. Hayward Greene	Eleanor A. Kendall
Melvin E. Tingle	Carolyn Swift
Dorothy E. White	Thomas Chester Short
Gary L. Meekins	Hanson R. Boney
Curtis W. Smith	
John N. Brittain	

The Cabinet served as readers and concelebrants with Bishop James K. Mathews. The following list of those deceased in the past year was read:

Ministers

Calvin C. Byrd	Ray W. Kirwan
Charles H. Cottingham	Guy Everhart Leister
Seldon G. Dix	Paul E. Reynolds
Milton R. Elliott	Joseph I. Williams

Clarence E. Wilkins

Spouses

Mrs. O. H. (Gertrude) Connelly	Mrs. Mary V. Hyland
Mrs. A. B. (Cora E.) Frye	Mrs. J. T. (Blanche) Price
Mrs. Ada P. Grant	Mrs. Robert (Minnie) Thomas
Mrs. J. C. (Bessie) Hanby	Mrs. Thomas (Mary E.) Randall

Mrs. T. J. (Doris) Turkington

Lay Members Of The Annual Conference

Dr. Minor C. K. Jones	Dr. Millard G. LesCallette
Mr. Charles E. Jolley	Mrs. Lowan Pitts

Tuesday Afternoon—May 23, 1978

2:00 p.m. Bishop James K. Mathews reconvened in plenary the thirty-ninth session of the Peninsula Annual Conference at the Central Middle School, Dover, Delaware at 2:00 p.m. The Bishop reminded the Conference that it is actually the 194th year of Methodism on the Del-Mar Peninsula and that we are moving rapidly to 1984 the Bicentennial of Methodism in the United States. The Conference sang the hymn "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" and The Reverend Paul McCoy led the group in prayer.

ORGANIZATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL MOTION: The Conference Secretary, The Reverend Mr. Clifford A. Armour, Jr. moved the following:

1. The bar of the Conference includes the first fifteen rows on the main floor of the Auditorium.
2. The printed program is to be the program of the Conference subject to necessary changes.
3. The Committee on Approval of the Daily Proceedings is Jonathan Baker, William Staton, Gonzalee Matthews, Sandy Lodge, Clara Boss, Paul Hilton. The Committee is to present the report when requested by the Bishop.
4. The roll call is to be taken by all members signing cards to be collected by the ushers at the opening session.
5. Richard D. Bailey is named reporter for United Methodist Information and Publications, other church papers, and press contact with the secular communications media.
6. The Conference minutes be made the Official Journal of the Conference and the Secretary be authorized to edit and condense the same.
7. The Secretary sends greetings to all members not able to attend the Conference Session on the report of such cases by the District Superintendents.
8. Members may be excused from sessions upon report to their Superintendents or the Secretary.
9. Attendance of clergy and lay members will be recorded in the Conference Journal.
10. The Boards, Divisions, Commissions and Committees as printed in the Minutes becomes the Boards, Divisions, Commissions and Committees of the Conference with such corrections as need be made.
11. Motions must be presented to the Secretary on forms provided for this purpose, prior to, or at the time they are presented to the Conference. Forms will be found on the Secretary's desk and are also in the hands of the ushers.

12. When the customary draft is received from the Publishing House, it shall be endorsed and turned over to the proper treasurer.
13. That Tom P. Donnachie, III be named Chairman of Ushers and Doorkeeper for the Sessions, and that Lawrence E. Staton and Cordella Brown be named as Assistants. The following are named ushers:

Alexander L. Boda	Harley H. Krause
Widmon Butler, Jr.	Sandy Lodge
Mrs. Sadonia Holland	Thomas Chester Short
William C. Hopkins	Kenneth S. Valentine
Thomas W. Hurley	Dale Vroman
William A. Kniceley	Daniel E. Walker

Mrs. Marjorie Watson

14. Resolutions which have not been considered by the Study and Review Sections will require suspension of the rules to be considered by the Conference. Five (5) copies of the resolutions should be in the hands of the Conference Secretary by 10 a.m. on Wednesday morning.
15. The Bishop's State of the Church Address at the opening session of the Annual Conference will be printed in the Journal.
16. Other addresses and sermons will be available for all at the cost of reproducing them. Forms for ordering these can be secured from the Conference Secretary.
17. Charges with only one Lay Member will have the name of the Reserve Member typed on one side of the same badge with the name of the Lay Member. When the Lay Member cannot attend a session, the Lay Member will be responsible to see that the Reserve Member receives the badge.
18. Charges with more than one Lay Member will not have any Reserve Members' names typed on the same badge with the Lay Member's name. When a Reserve Member is to take the place of a Lay Member, the badge for the Lay Member will be brought to the Registration Desk. The person at the Registration Desk will hold the Lay Member's badge and type a badge for the Reserve. Before the Lay Member can go back in the session, the Reserve Member's badge must be returned.
19. The following are nominated to serve as Assistant Secretaries for the 1977 Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference: Mildred White, George Stellges, William Sterling, William Staten, and Widmon Butler, Jr., usher.

ROLL CALL: The Secretary took the roll by receiving cards from all Conference members. Clergy present: 259; Laity present: 235

TRANSFERS: The following were announced by Bishop Mathews:

Transfers Out: Richard Allan Reynolds to the Troy Conference, July 15, 1977
William Reber Pittman to the Louisiana Conference, November 12, 1977
Charles Robert Greene III to the Texas Conference, January 1, 1978

Transfers In: Richard Allan Reynolds from the New Hampshire Conference, June 15, 1977
John Llewellyn Bryan from the New Hampshire Conference, July 1, 1977
Dilio Evo Mariotti from the Troy Conference, August 1, 1977
James Brockway Jones, probationer, from the North Carolina Conference, May 23, 1978

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Mr. John Irwin moved that representing the Conference Board of Ordained Ministry, move that the request of Charles F. Betters, Irvin R. Pusey, John W. Ringgold, Jack S. Smith and Charles W. Walz, to terminate their membership in the United Methodist Ministry be granted (according to paragraph 439.2, 1976 Discipline) effective as of the adoption of this motion, May 23, 1978, at 2:15 p.m. and that their credentials be so inscribed and returned to them.

It was seconded and approved by the Conference.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Mr. William Hemphill addressed the Conference thanking them for the privilege of serving as host and he thanked the persons in the Conference Council and Business Office who are: Evelyn Colten, Susan Lang, Ginny Robinson, Dorothy Saxton, Joan Warren, Norma Wilson. He then presented Dr. R. Jervis Cooke, President of Wesley College, who welcomed the Conference.

BISHOP'S STATE OF THE CHURCH ADDRESS: Bishop James K. Mathews gave his State of the Church Address. The Address can be found printed in the Conference Journal in the section under Reports.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Mr. William H. Revelle, Jr. presented Eunice Mathews, wife of our Bishop, to the Annual Conference. She was greeted by the United Methodist of the Del-Mar Peninsula with an outstanding ovation and was presented a corsage. She addressed the Conference. She informed us that Bishop Mathews is presiding over his 60th Annual Conference.

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS COMPOSITE REPORT: The Reverend Mr. William H. Revelle, Jr., Dean of the Cabinet of the Peninsula Annual Conference, presented the Composite Report for 1978. (For Report see IV Reports.)

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT: The Reverend Mr. William H. Revelle, Jr., called the attention of the Conference to the Nominating Committee Report found in the packet. The report will be considered on Wednesday.

The Report of the Statistician

The Reverend Mr. Kyle N. Smith

For the period from January 1, 1977 to December 31, 1977

This report is about numbers. Numbers tell a story, not always the whole story, but a story. The numbers in this report tell a story about people.

There's a story in the Gospel according to Matthew (Matt. 25:1. . .) about ten maidens who took their lamps and went to meet a bridegroom and his bride. The parents and friends of those maidens would assume that the ten met the wedding party and escorted those celebrating people from the home of the bride's father to their new home. They would also assume that the ten participated in the joy of the wedding event there.

But the figure ten does not tell all the story. Later that night or with the coming of a new day, five of the maidens had a different story to tell. They had not participated in the celebration because they did not carry out the tasks that were necessary to enable them to do so—they did not have enough oil for their lamps.

Last May we met in this place to participate in the events of Annual Conference. The worship, business and togetherness of that event were to show us where we had been and where we were and to inspire us, empower us and enable us to go back to our old or new assignments and let our lights shine. Bishop Mathews expected great things from us. We had high hopes and good intentions. The people who make up the churches had similar hopes and dreams. There were expectations that our efforts would produce an increase in church membership. And there would be those who would have gone astray and would be restored. Others would be moving and membership transfers would be arranged so that they would not be lost from the membership rolls. Bishop Mathews expected that we would keep up-to-date on our church rolls so that at the end of several years no church would suddenly find that a huge number of persons had been lost and have to declare this fact by action of the Church Conference.

And now it is May, 1978, and we are at Annual Conference again. We have performed the work and we have recorded the numbers. We are 101,424 members strong in the Peninsula Annual Conference. That does not reflect the increase we had expected. In fact, that figure is 92 less than the figure reported for 1976. Why did it happen?

It happened—the decrease in membership—because of the 508 churches in the Peninsula Annual Conference 60% (305) reported professions of faith or restored and 40% (203) did not report professions of faith or restored. This represents a 4% decrease in those reporting and a 4% increase in those not reporting over the 1976 membership report. It happened because 34% (175) of our churches reported confirmation classes and 66% (333) of our churches did

not report confirmation classes. It happened because here and there names of lost members were removed by Charge Conference Action. So often this happens because we get behind in keeping up with persons who become inactive in the church. It might be said that this is not significant because it doesn't matter whether we remove five a year for five years or twenty-five at the end of five years, we come up with the same membership total. The thing we need to remember is that if we keep up with those who become inactive, we might be able to keep them on the membership.

The decline in the birthrate is not the answer to our decline in church membership and church school membership. The birthrate decline is part of the reason, of course, but not the whole reason. The graphs on the statistical report in your hand shows that the birth rate in Delaware (graph #1) has stabilized since 1973 to about the national average of 14.9 per 1,000 population in 1977. After a dramatic drop in the Maryland birth rate (graph #2) from 17.6 per 1,000 population in 1970 to 13.2 in 1973, the birthrate for Maryland has shown signs of stabilizing since 1973 and was at the rate of about 12 per 1,000 population in 1976. It is not shown on the graphs, but the population in Delaware has continued to increase from 535,819 in 1968 to about 582,100 in 1977. Maryland's population has also increased from 3,778,600 in 1968 to about 4,200,000 in 1977.

Graph #4 may say to us that if we continue as we are we have not hit bottom with our youth enrollment in church school or in the baptized under 16 category. However, we did show a sizable gain of 152 in the number of persons baptized in 1977.

These figures tell us that we ought to be showing an increase in church school or that the degree of the decline should be much less than it is. They also tell us that we ought to be showing an increase in church membership.

Even as we file our reports for printing, and the statistical reports have already been forwarded to the printer by the Secretary of the Conference, let us turn our attention to the work ahead. We know that Bishop Mathews believes in us, we know that God trusts us. Then let us, ordained and laypersons alike, perform our tasks as ministers "who (have) no need to be ashamed, rightly handling the word of truth."

RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 1
Statistical Report PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE
For the Period from January 1, 1977 to December 31, 1977

Church Membership

District	Members Reported 1976	Rec'd by Confess Faith 1977	Rec'd from Other UMC 1977	Rec'd from Other Denom	Rem'd by Ch'rg Conf	Rem'd to Other UMC	Rem'd to Other Denom.	Rem'd by Death	Mem. Close of 1977	Avg. Attn W'ship	Pers. Baptized
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Dover	23,344	551	218	72	293	197	78	313	23,304	8,966	618
Easton	22,916	536	155	52	163	149	42	383	22,922	8,723	474
Salisbury	22,413	482	232	73	277	139	45	310	22,429	9,218	500
Wilmington	32,843	796	426	190	548	458	141	339	32,769	10,618	797
Total	101,516	2,365	1,031	387	1,281	943	306	1,345	101,424	37,525	2,389
Total Laity		2,386	1,125	431	1,022	861	319	1,227	101,516	37,428	2,237
Increase					259	82		118		97	152
Decrease		21	94	44			13		92		

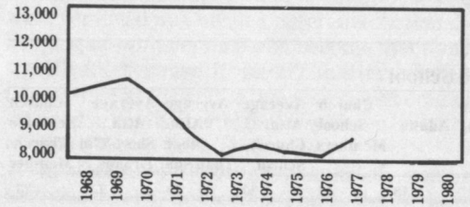
Church School

Prepare Members	Constit'ncy Roll	Confirmat'n Class	Leaders	Children	Youth	Adults	Church School Members	Average Attn. Church School	Average Attn. Other Than Sun.	Average Attn. Short-T'm Groups	Church School to Church Member
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
4,146	2,137	275	1,440	4,148	2,001	3,978	11,567	6,450	1,573	2,132	281
4,032	3,022	308	1,213	3,756	1,798	2,462	9,229	5,310	1,195	3,754	263
3,689	2,708	349	1,248	3,788	2,131	3,646	10,813	5,397	1,965	2,462	238
6,796	4,367	519	1,565	5,204	2,051	2,787	11,607	5,583	2,875	3,363	345
18,663	12,234	1,451	5,466	16,896	7,981	12,873	43,216	22,740	7,608	11,711	1,127
19,256	12,792	1,708	5,591	17,647	8,758	13,116	45,112	23,767	6,937	10,179	1,196
									671	1,532	
593	558	257	125	751	777	243	1,896	1,027			69

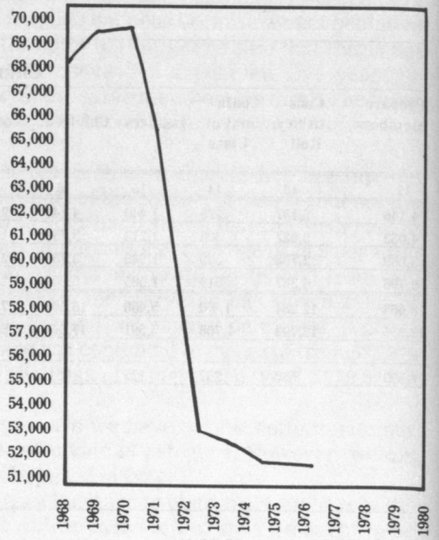
U.M.M.		U.M.W.		Property & Other Assets				
Members U.M.M.	Amount Paid	Members U.M.W.	Amount Paid	Value Church Land Bldg. & Equipment	Value Parsonage and Furniture	Value Other Assets	Indebtedness on items 28-29-30	Other Indebtedness
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
650	8,129	3,685	71,365	21,314,885	2,356,498	1,496,065	1,213,398	10,191
762	12,799	3,874	77,251	17,784,710	2,634,850	1,328,411	602,267	41,820
680	11,629	3,789	87,607	17,422,241	2,218,793	1,368,542	482,323	5,950
594	4,517	3,630	67,740	32,713,640	3,448,947	4,352,031	2,525,735	34,974
2,686	37,076	14,978	303,963	89,235,476	10,659,088	8,545,049	4,823,723	92,934
		15,700	277,775	83,819,258	9,857,426	8,124,149	5,090,122	46,043
			26,188	5,416,218	801,662	420,900		46,891
		722					266,399	

The graphs on page 120 show that the birth rate in Delaware has shown some signs of stabilizing since 1973 and has begun to level off in Maryland as well. The Delaware birth rate was 15 per 1,000 population in 1977 and Maryland's rate was 12.8 per 1,000 in 1976. The national birth rate was 14.9 per 1,000 in population in 1977.

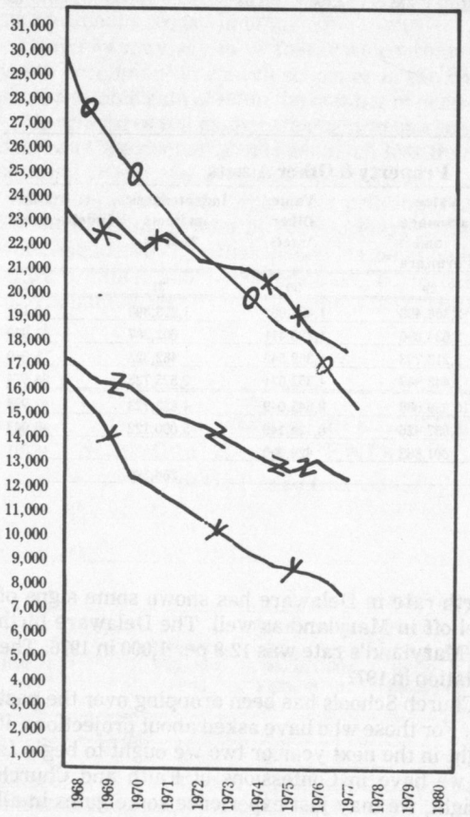
The graphs also show that enrollment in Church Schools has been dropping over the past ten years. This is true for all age categories. For those who have asked about projections, it might be said that if we do a few things right in the next year or two we ought to begin to level off in Church School enrollment as we have in Confessions of Faith and Church Membership. If we really do some things right, we may just experience some gains in all these categories.



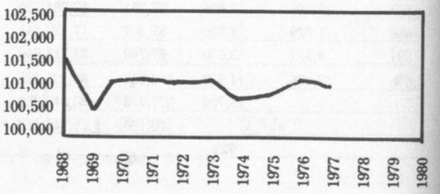
Graph #1. The figures at the left represent the number of births in the state of Delaware for years shown.



Graph #2. The figures at the left represent the number of births in the state of Maryland for years shown.



Graph # 4. These figures represent the number of persons in each category described in the legend for graph 4. The information is found in the statistical reports to the Peninsula Annual Conference for years shown.



Graph #3. The figures at the left represent the number of persons who were members of churches in the Peninsula Annual Conference for years shown.

Legend for Graph #4.

———, Confession of Faith

~~X-X~~, Baptized, under 16 or Preparatory Roll

~~O-O~~, Children enrolled in Church School

~~Y-Y~~, Youth enrolled in Church School

~~Z-Z~~, Adults enrolled in Church School

The Bishop called attention to the fact of modest increases during the last two (2) years and called upon all to work harder.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE TREASURER: Mr. Edward J. Steiner, Conference Treasurer, presented his report. (See Reports). The report was received with sincere thanks.

RECOGNITION OF HARRISON STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH: The Reverend Mr. William Hemphill requested the Conference to suspend the rules to consider the following resolution:

WHEREAS the Harrison Street United Methodist Church of Wilmington, Delaware, founded in 1891 as an outgrowth of the Franklin St. M. E. Sunday School and with the help of the pastor and people of the nearby St. Paul's Church, has had a distinguished history of Christian witness and service in the life of the city of Wilmington and has been served by 20 of the very able ministers of the Peninsula Annual Conference, and

WHEREAS shifts in population and other social changes have scattered the membership and a decade of repeated effort to serve the local community has not resulted in winning many new members, and

WHEREAS the members of the Harrison Street Church, after serious study of the options facing the congregation for the future, reached a decision on May 1, 1977, to close the church as of May 31, 1978,

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Harrison Street United Methodist Church be discontinued by the Peninsula Annual Conference at the close of this session, and that the Conference give special praise to Almighty God for the service rendered by this church in these 87 years and for all who have been a part of its life and work, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Trustees of the Harrison Street Church be instructed by the Peninsula Annual Conference to deed the property of the church to the Wilmington District Mission and Church Extension Society for the development of future ministries in the city of Wilmington.

The Resolution was approved.

PENSION CRUSADE REPORT: The following report was given by the Chairperson of the Pension Crusade, Mr. Robert A. Powrie:

A year ago I had the privilege of speaking to you on the pledging portion of our Peninsula Conference Pension Crusade. I am pleased to be invited again this year to update you on your accomplishments in meeting your payments on your pledges for the period from June 1977 to April 30, 1978.

Let me remind you again that the Pension Crusade was initiated with two main goals — To help us provide for the future of our retired ministers, their spouses and dependents. It also will give oncoming generations of ministers the hope of financial security in their own retirement and the assurance of being able to approach the sunset years of life feeling the necessities of life will be met.

The Conference Crusade Committee was fortunate in obtaining the services of Dr. John E. French as the follow-up Director for our Crusade. Dr. French has been busy with several different churches obtaining pledges from those who had not accepted their fair share pledge and assisting on follow-up and interpretation of the Pension Crusade. He is completely dedicated to our Crusade and a telephone call or a letter to his Rehoboth Beach home will bring his able assistance to your church at any time.

We are pleased to report that the acceptance of the fair share goal has increased to $1,689,275 and through April 30, 1978, we have received $321,909. Expenses to-date have been $62,020 including the $45,000 service fee to the office of Finance and Field Service, National Division of the Board of Global Ministries. The amount that has been paid to the General Board of Pensions is $200,000, and we expect to forward the next $100,000 shortly. The Dover District has paid in 22% of their goal, the Easton District 17%, the Salisbury District 22%, and the Wilmington District 16%. Many churches have exceeded the 33% mark at this time and I wish I had time to name the various churches that are doing an outstanding job.

The standings of each church are published by the Business Office and sent to each church in the consolidated mailings three times a year. The receipts through May 1978 will be

published in the Conference Journal and any church that wants an up-to-date standing printed must have their funds into the Business Office by the end of this week. Some churches are publicizing their accomplishments on their goal by posting monthly data on a chart. Other churches are updating the congregation through their bulletin. We urge that all information from the total Conference, and the local church, be discussed and displayed in each congregation because an informed church is a performing church.

We are well on our way of meeting the challenge of our first year payment on our $1,500,000 commitment and I am certain that we will continue to meet our next challenge to complete our Crusade and be over the top by June 1, 1980.

Again, I thank each and every one of you for your part in making the Crusade such a success to date.

The Bishop accepted the Report with thanks.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Bishop recognized The Reverend Mr. Charles E. Barton who moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of presenting a Resolution of Appreciation.

The Conference approved. The Reverend Mr. Barton then asked Mr. & Mrs. Ira S. Pruitt to join him on the stage. He then presented the following Resolution of Appreciation:

WHEREAS: Ira S. Pruitt became Treasurer of the Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions at the time The Board of Pensions assumed pension responsibility from The Board of Conference Claimants in 1956 and

WHEREAS: Ira S. Pruitt has served as the only Treasurer of the Board of Pensions and

WHEREAS: Ira S. Pruitt has served ably as Treasurer during the very difficult period of merger with the Delaware Conference and also during the difficult period of entry into Ministers Reserve Pension Fund and

WHEREAS: Ira S. Pruitt has given wise council and careful direction so that the endowment fund has grown from $663,678.11 in 1956 to $2,769,295.81 in 1976 and the annuity rate has increased from $50. to $110. and the pension rates were equalized at the time of merger and

WHEREAS: Ira S. Pruitt has exhibited Christian dedication to the task and has maintained a concerned Christian relationship with pensioners for these twenty-two years.

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions and the Peninsula Annual Conference offer its most sincere gratitude to Ira S. Pruitt for his long distinguished service to the Board of Pensions, to the Peninsula Annual Conference and to those who are now pensioners and to those who will be pensioners.

The Conference approved the resolution with a standing vote of thanks.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: Bishop Mathews presented Bishop and Mrs. Fred G. Holloway to the Conference.

PRESENTATION BY ABINGDON PRESS: Before the presentation, Bishop Mathews called the Conference's attention to the following books:

The Black Experience in Religion	C. Eric Lincoln
The Brother of a Dragonfly	Will D. Campbell
Preaching the New Lectionary	Reginald H. Fuller
Signposts for the Future	Hans Kung
By What Authority	William Barclay
Theology of the New Testament	Rudolph Bultmann
John Wesley: A Theological Biography	Martin Schmidt

Bishop Mathews then presented the Abingdon Book Editor, Mr. Ron Patterson. He brought greetings from the Board of Publication and our Editor, Mr. John Proctor, to the Conference and presented two (2) gifts — a check for $8,119.92 for the Pension Fund and two (2) cassette programs: "Teaching Thru the Lecture Method" and "Methods and Skills for Teaching Youth" for the Conference Library.

ORDER OF THE DAY: The Bishop recognized The Reverend Mr. George O. Commodore, acting chairperson of the Ethnic Minority Local Church Development Task Force, who

called attention to the following fact sheet:

According to 1977 statistics, the Peninsula Conference has a black membership of 14,028 served by 162 churches in the following membership categories:

74.0% with 1-99 members
8.8% with 100-199 members
14.8% with 200-299 members
2.4% with 300 or more members

There is one Native American (Nanticoke Church) with 44 members and one Moor Church with 64 members.

There are 54 charges served by black pastors, 6 of which are stations and 48 of which are circuit charges.

Seven black churches are on integrated circuits served by white pastors.

The Moor and Native American churches are on circuits and are served by white pastors. One black minister serves an all white congregation and one serves a meaningfully proportioned integrated congregation.

Statistics show that almost all of the ethnic churches are small which makes for difficulty in providing a full range of the kinds of experiences which are conducive to spiritual growth.

The Black constituency of our Conference has in the Ethnic Minority Local Church document placed leadership with adequate facilities for carrying out adequate programs for addressing needs of whole persons as priority.

The practical vision lifted up in this document assumes that strengthening ethnic work demands a New Testament based evangelistic thrust which encompasses the provision of the atmosphere in which growth takes place.

The call to the ministry of leadership is not separated from the call of the total church to provide adequately for all that makes ministry possible.

One of the factors hindering recruitment of blacks is inadequate living facilities.

There are presently:

8 parsonages of black ministers which meet acceptable standards 2 of which are new.
25 fair parsonages (liveable but inadequate)
11 poor parsonages (sub standard by codes)

One of our present thrusts is to address this hindrance to future recruitment.

One of the ways this may be done is through grants and low interest loans made possible through a revolving loan fund.

The strengthening of ethnic churches is strengthening the whole church to fulfill the mandate of our Lord which is given to all of us; therefore, we concur with the "Assumptions related to the Ethnic Minority Local Church priority in the resource guide":

We assume that the way the United Methodist Church treats its ethnic minority members is but a window into its own spiritual health;

that the benefits which flow from effective implementation of this priority will liberate both minority and majority members in our denomination;

that the present crisis in the United Methodist Church is due in large part to a hesitancy, reluctance, or downright obstinacy to the sharing of power and control beyond mere nominal representation of ethnic persons;

that the inaccessibility to resources, the inequitable distribution of these resources, the inability to marshal these resources (power) to accomplish our goals, the institutionalized standards, patterns and practices, coupled with the dominant and persistent cultural values and assumptions of the majority members, are the major interdependent aspects of our United Methodist system needing to be changed in order to empower ethnic minority persons/groups;

that to inadvertently act as a church for all ethnic minorities in the name of one minority is not to take seriously ethnic cultural uniqueness nor recognize those special gifts each brings to the life of our church;

that ethnic minority persons themselves need to be about the task of reflecting upon and

reclaiming their particular religious experiences and developing their own methods and categories for considering that experience, and

that the United Methodist Church can and will respond again to the needs and responsibilities at an authentic level of mission in the church's development.

He expressed thanks to the late Mrs. Lowan Pitts, who had chaired the Task Force, The Reverend Mr. Felton E. May, Cabinet Representative to the Task Force, Ms. Mary Cuff, Vice Chairperson of the Task Force and The Reverend Mr. Nathaniel Miller, Staff Representative to the Task Force. The program was an audio-visual presentation prepared by the Task Force and Mrs. Fred Seyfert.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Mr. Sterling Greene presented The Reverend Mr. Kenneth Deere and invited all to the "pow-wow" this evening.

POINT OF INFORMATION: The Reverend Mr. Jesse Walker asked that the slide presentation of the "Ethnic Minority Local Church Task Force" be available for local churches.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements were made by the Conference Lay Leader, James Hardcastle and the Conference Secretary.

BENEDICTION: The Benediction was given by Bishop Fred G. Holloway.

Tuesday Evening—May 23, 1978

The Nanticoke Indian Association along with the Commission on Religion and Race presented the program. Worship in the setting of a "pow-wow" was led by The Reverend H. Sterling Green, pastor of Indian Mission United Methodist Church, Patsy Wright, Jean Norwood, Odette Skinner and Eloise Carter. The speaker was The Reverend Kenneth Deere, a member of the Muskogee Tribe and the first native American to serve on the Commission on Religion and Race. The Association has received a grant to study and learn about their heritage as Nanticoke Indians. They told of renewed excitement and pride in who they are and shared their heritage, their crafts and their dancing.

The dancers for the program were Bobby Norwood, Gertrude Wright, Tyron Norwood, Gene Norwood, Charles Wright, Odette Skinner, Michelle Wright, Donnie Wright, Phillip Sammons, Ingrid Sammons, Mark and Tara Sammons.

Wednesday Morning—May 24, 1978

9:00 a.m. The Division of Worship led the Conference in an Act of Celebration. The preacher was Bishop Roy Nichols, Western Pennsylvania area of the United Methodist Church.

ORDER OF THE DAY—MISSIONAL PRIORITY: EVANGELISM — The Reverend Mr. Everett Isaacs made the presentation. Mr. J. Robert Martin of the World Methodist Council, Committee on Evangelism, spoke to the Conference on evangelism and encouraged all to celebrate the Festival of the Open Door on November 5, 1978. Mr. Isaacs presented Mrs. Virginia Clendaniel, Chairperson of the Peninsula Annual Conference Board of Discipleship, who presented the following report:

At its last meeting, the Executive Committee of the Board of Discipleship received the following motion which was seconded and unanimously passed:

> "The Board of Discipleship accepts the concept of an Approved Conference Evangelist as it is outlined in **The Book of Discipline** and The Standards for Conference Evangelists as prepared by the Section on Connectional Ministries of the Board of Higher Education and Ministry and Divisions of Evangelism, Worship, and Stewardship of the Board of Discipleship as its minimal guidelines.
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> "The Reverend Dr. Gerald A. Foster be recommended to the Peninsula Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church as an Approved Conference Evangelist with the rights and responsibilities outlined in **The Book of Discipline** and The Standards for Conference Evangelists prepared by the Section on Connectional Ministries of the Board of Higher Education and Ministry and Divisions of Evangelism, Worship and Stewardship of the Board of Discipleship for the Conference year 1978-79."

The Board of Discipleship is most anxious to point out, however, that the position of an Approved Conference Evangelist is not to be confused with the position of Conference Staff Person for Evangelism. These are two entirely different positions with entirely different duties and responsibilities. An Approved Conference Evangelist will make himself available to local churches to fill certain specific needs, in this case, in evangelism preaching, whereas the Conference Staff Person for Evangelism will serve as a coordinator and resource person for the planning and implementation for all forms of conference evangelism events. The Board of Discipleship is very concerned that all conference members understand the distinction between these two positions.

We present this report to the Conference and you, Bishop Mathews, for your further action.

The Reverend Mr. Felton E. May moved that the Conference accept the report and recommendation that Dr. Gerald A. Foster become the Peninsula Annual Conference Evangelist. It was seconded and approved. The Bishop called Dr. Gerald A. Foster to the stage. He briefly expressed appreciation for the honor and accepted the responsibility. The Bishop extended him the right hand of Christian fellowship and promised him the prayers and support of the Conference. The Bishop led the Conference in prayer.

APPROVAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS: The Bishop recognized The Reverend Mr. William Staten who moved the acceptance of the Daily Proceedings for Tuesday, May 23, 1978. The motion was seconded and approved.

CONSENT CALENDAR: The Conference Secretary announced that the following reports, not including any recommendations or resolutions, are placed on the Consent Calendar. The Conference accepted the reports.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Bishop recognized The Reverend Mr. Jonathan Baker, Chairperson of the Division of Human Relations, Board of Church and Society, who moved a suspension of the rules to introduce a resolution not considered by the Legislative Review Sections. The motion carried by the 2/3 vote necessary. The Resolution is "Support for Native Americans in Their Struggle for Justice," and will be considered on Thursday, May 25, 1978.

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW SECTION REPORTS: The Bishop called for the report of Legislative Review Section I and Mr. H. Thomas Welch and Mildred White presented the report as follows:

Council on Ministries

Report on the Rules and Guidelines for the Conference Nominating Committee: A-1 through A-10

Section recommends concurrence			Voting 104
For 100	Against 0		Not Voting 2

The Conference approved.

Recommendation B

Section recommends concurrence			Voting 104
For 95	Against 9		Not Voting 0

The Conference approved.

Resolution on Social Security Allowance for Clergy

WHEREAS, the social security tax contribution rate is presently 6.05% each for employers and employees, and it is 8.1% for self-employed people, and additional planned rate increases will raise the tax to 7.65% each for employers and employees, and to 10.75% for self-employed people by the year 1990 and later, and

WHEREAS, the law requires that members of the clergy pay the self-employed rate for social security taxes, and

WHEREAS, churches now may elect to cover non-clergy employees under social security and pay one-half of the contribution rate, while clergy must be covered under social security at the higher rate of self-employed,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the churches and employing agencies of the Peninsula Annual Conference be encouraged to provide an allowance for clergy of not less than the difference between the rate for employer-employee and the rate for the self-employed, beginning this allowance with the year 1978 if possible, but not later than 1979.

Section recommends that Resolution on Social Security be amended by changing the THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, to read:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the churches and employing agencies of the Peninsula Annual Conference be encouraged to provide an allowance for clergy of not less than one-half the self-employed rate, beginning this allowance with the year 1978 if possible, but not later than 1979.

Section recommends concurrence with the Resolution as amended.

				Voting	109
For	78	Against	15	Not Voting	16

Following much debate, the Conference approved.

Committee on Camps and Retreat Centers
Recommendation 1 through 6
Section recommends concurrence.

				Voting	104
For	94	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Communications
Recommendation 1 through 3
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	97	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Conference Council on Children's Ministries
Recommendations 1 through 6
Section recommends concurrence Voting 104
Under #2 and #3 please note that the language referring to "her" be changed to include "him".

For	103	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Conference Council on Youth Ministries
Recommendation 1 through 6
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	103	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Conference Council on Adult Ministries
Recommendation 1 through 5
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	103	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Conference Council on Family Ministries
Recommendation 1 through 4, page 22
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	103	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Task Force on Ethnic Minority Local Church
Recommendation 1 through 3, page 23
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	103	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Task Force on Hunger
Recommendation 1 through 5, page 23
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	103	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Board of Pensions
Resolution #1
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	102	Against	0	Not Voting	0

Resolution #2
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	104
For	102	Against	0	Not Voting	0

Resolution on Service as Local Pastors

WHEREAS, service provided by a full-time Local Pastor is considered to be equal in value with service provided by a Pastor in full connection, and

WHEREAS, had most Retired Local Pastors retired at a later point in time, they would have retired as Associate Members, and

WHEREAS, the funding of the pension program was made under the assumption that all Retired Pastors would receive the full service annuity rate, and

WHEREAS, since January 1, 1977, the date the Conference entered the Ministers Reserve Pension Fund, the General Board of Pensions has been paying Local Pastor pensions at 100% of the Conference service annuity rate, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Peninsula Annual Conference pay all full-time Local Pastors service at 100% of the Conference service annuity rate (instead of the 85% previously approved) effective January 1, 1977.

Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	105
For	105	Against	0	Not Voting	0

The Reverend Mr. John Irwin, Chairperson of the Board of Ordained Ministry, moved to eliminate the first "whereas . . .". It was seconded and passed. The Conference approved the resolution as amended. The amended resolution now reads:

WHEREAS, had most Retired Local Pastors retired at a later point in time, they would have retired as Associate Members, and

WHEREAS, the funding of the pension program was made under the assumption that all Retired Pastors would receive the full service annuity rate, and

WHEREAS, since January 1, 1977, the date the Conference entered the Ministers Reserve Pension Fund, the General Board of Pensions has been paying Local Pastor pensions at 100% of the Conference service annuity rate, therefore,

BE IT NOW RESOLVED, that the Peninsula Annual Conference pay all full-time Local Pastors service at 100% of the Conference service annuity rate (instead of the 85% previously approved) effective January 1, 1977.

Commission on Equitable Salaries
Recommendations 1 through 3
Section recommends concurrence

For	100	Against	0	Not Voting	2

The Reverend Mr. Joseph Bostick moved to amend #2 by deleting the words "and full-

time supply pastors." The Conference accepted the recommendation as amended so that #2 now reads: "That effective January 1, 1979, the minimum compensation for student pastors be $8,000.00."

Recommendation 4
Section amended by adding the following:
Resolution: And that the following resolution was adopted by the 1971 Annual Conference that the Minimum membership requirement for a Charge or Church not apply as long as that Charge or Church will adequately support a minister to the recommended Minimum Salary guidelines, meeting conference apportionments and actively in Mission.

Section recommends concurrence as amended		Voting	104
For 100	Against 0	Not Voting	2

The Conference approved.

Recommendations 5 through 7

Section recommends concurrence		Voting	104
For 100	Against 2	Not Voting	1

The Reverend Mr. Joseph Bostick moved to amend #6 so that the salary should be $10,340.00. So that it now reads: "That the Commission grant the request of the Dover District Superintendent $10,340.00 for salary of a pastor for the Long Neck area for the Conference year 1978-79.
The Conference accepted the amendment.

Recommendation 8
The Reverend Mr. Joseph Bostick moved to amend the Resolution by adding that the Commission recommends the authorization of special grants from Equitable Salary Funds to strengthen the following transitional ministries for the Annual Conference year 1978-79. The requests, a, b, and d, are for salary levels above minimum and c. is for minimum level.

a. Up to $7,100.00 to Red Lion Church;
b. Up to $3,000.00 to Seaford-Reliance: Gethsemane Church;
c. Up to $9,000.00 for an associate pastor at Ezion-Mt. Carmel Church;
d. Up to $5,100.00 to Middletown: Dale's Memorial Church.

The Cabinet will designate up to $8,000.00 from the Equitable Salary Discretionary Fund, and up to $16,200 will come from the Equitable Salary Fund.
The Conference approved the amendment. The Conference then approved recommendations 1 through 8.

Board of Discipleship
Recommendations A. 1-7, B. 1-5, C., D. 1-4

Section recommends concurrence		Voting	104
For 103	Against 0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

Board of Laity
Recommendations 1 through 5

Section recommends concurrence		Voting	104
For 103	Against 0	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.
RECOGNITION OF CHAPLAINS: Chaplain (LTC) Tom Merrill, Deputy Staff Chaplain, First U. S. Army, Ft. Meade, Maryland, brought greetings from Purnell Bailey, Chairperson of the Commission on Chaplains. He called upon all the Chaplains to stand and the Conference greeted them. He then called upon Chaplain Ed Horney, who listed the Chaplains from the Peninsula Annual Conference.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: The Bishop called for the Announcements.
BENEDICTION: Chaplain (LTC) Tom Merrill gave the Benediction.

Wednesday Afternoon—May 24, 1978

2:00 p.m. Bishop James K. Mathews called the Conference to order with the singing of "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" and The Reverend Ms. Cordella Brown led in prayer.
CONFERENCE PREACHER: Bishop Mathews introduced Bishop Roy Nichols who addressed the Conference. Following the sermon the Bishop reminded all again that today is the 240th anniversary of John Wesley's Aldersgate experience. The Conference was in silent prayer followed with prayer by the Bishop. The Conference sang the hymn, "Just As I Am."
CORPORATE SESSION OF WESLEY COLLEGE: Bishop Matthews called upon The Honorable Reynolds duPont, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees who called to order the Corporate Session of Wesley College. The minutes follow:

WESLEY COLLEGE
CORPORATE SESSION
Minutes of the Meeting, May 24, 1978
Presiding, Honorable Reynolds duPont

The meeting was called to order by Mr. duPont at 3:15 p.m.
Mr. duPont reported on college highlights over the past year. He cited the improved financial situation. He also thanked the Conference for the continued financial support and for changing the Articles of Incorporation to allow the granting of the Baccalaureate degree.
Mr. duPont introduced the President, Dr. R. Jervis Cooke. Dr. Cooke introduced the chairman of the Division of Business Administration, Dr. Roland Jones, who gave the background of the development of the Baccalaureate degree program in Business Administration.
Dr. Cooke introduced Kevin Carson representing the Student Government Association. Mr. Carson, a senior in Business Administration, brought the greetings from the student body. He also announced some of the highlights of the year from the student perspective, especially the fact that Tom Mundel, a sophomore, was elected as National President of Phi Theta Kappa, honorary scholastic fraternity for two year colleges.
Dr. Cooke thanked the four ministers who are working with the Wesley College Ambassadors Task Force to strengthen the relationship between the Churches and the College. The four ministers are Charles Barton, Everett Isaacs, Alvin Willink, and Cliff Armour.
Dr. Cooke shared highlights of the college's religious life program including the weekly chapel program and three special religious emphases during the year. He reported that the year had been one of the best in recent memory in regards to campus citizenship and relationships between faculty, students, and the administration.
Dr. Olin Shockley, Chairperson of the Nominating Committee of the Board of Trustees, made the motion to elect the Trustees in the Class of 1982. The motion was seconded and passed thereby electing the following as Trustees: Rev. Dr. Robert Whitlock, Rev. Dr. J. Gordon Stapleton, Rev. Harold Johnson, Hon. Thomas B. Evans, Mrs. Emily Womach, Dr. George Kirk, Mr. Norman Holland, Jr., Mr. Joseph Hulihan, and Ms. Lillian Burris.
There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ H. Thomas Welch
H. Thomas Welch,
Assistant Secretary

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: Ms. Fritzie Davis, Laymember from Roxana Charge, moved a suspension of the rules to consider a Resolution on Alcoholic Beverage Policy of Wesley

College. The motion failed, not receiving the necessary 2/3 vote. Therefore the rules were not suspended.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: Bishop Mathews recognized Ms. Pam Harris who introduced the Youth Members of the Annual Conference:

Wilmington
Sandy Lodge
Janet Wesley

Salisbury
Richard Jackson
Beth Williams

Dover
Terry Kimbrough
Peter Hallett

Easton
Lee Coulby
Frank Gonsallus

Also Bill Messenger—by virtue of being representative on Conference Council on Ministries and Herman Lipsius, President of the Conference Youth Council, addressed the Conference.

MINISTERIAL EDUCATION FUND: Dr. John L. Knight, President of Wesley Theological Seminary, brought greetings to the Conference and encouraged us in our giving to the Ministerial Education Fund.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT: The Reverend Mr. William H. Revelle, Jr. presented the report of the Nominating Committee. The Conference approved the report. (For report see Boards, Commissions and Committees.)

ORDER OF THE DAY: PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.: The Bishop called upon Mr. J. Wallace Watson who presented the program, which involved a statement about the Pacific Homes Sixty Minutes Presentation and a presentation on Cokesbury Village.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: The Bishop called for announcements.

BENEDICTION: The Bishop called upon The Reverend Mr. Dale L. Ruth to give the Benediction.

Wednesday Evening—May 25, 1978

The Board of Laity, under the leadership of Mr. James C. Hardcastle, held their annual Laity Banquet. A larger crowd than ever before filled the gym of Wesley College. The speaker was Donald Barnhouse, news analyst, author, lecturer, teacher, and the recently appointed academic dean of Heritage University, an evangelistic school near Charlotte, North Carolina.

Thursday Morning—May 25, 1978

9:00 a.m. Bishop James K. Mathews called the Peninsula Annual Conference to order following the overnight recess. The following women members of the Peninsula Conference led in a most refreshing worship: Pamela G. Ledbetter, Patricia Farris, Pamela Harris, Mildred White, Daisy Thompson, Mary Cuff, Cynthia Matthews, Carolyn Swift, Marie Bryan, Lucy Mangum, Eleanor Kendall, and Dorothy White.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Bishop recognized The Reverend Mr. John Simpers, Associate Council Director-Camp Pecometh, addressed the Conference calling attention to some of the needs.

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW SECTION III REPORT: The Bishop called upon The Reverend Mr. G. Wayne Cuff and Miss Mabel Pruitt who led us through the report which follows:

1. **Board of Global Ministries**

A. **Committee on Education and Cultivation**
Recommendations 1 through 4
Section recommends concurrence
For 47 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

B. **Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns**
Recommendations 1 through 4
Section recommends concurrence
For 47 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

C. **Division of Health and Welfare Ministries**
Recommendations 1 through 3
Section recommends concurrence
For 47 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

D. **Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.**
Recommendations 1 through 3
Section recommends concurrence
For 48 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
Proposed Class for 1978-1982—Board of Trustees
Motion: That list of Trustees submitted by the Nominating Committee of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc., and elected by that corporate body, be confirmed by the Peninsula Annual Conference.

Proposed Class Memberships 1982
Rev. Richard D. Bailey
Mr. Pierre S. duPont
The Honorable David Elliott
Mr. James Hardcastle
Mr. William Henderson
Mr. Gerald Pearson
Mr. Henry Price
Mr. Henry Silliman
Mrs. Jessie C. Smith
Rev. Robert Starrett, ex officio

The new members elected by the Board of Trustees of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc. during the year 1977-1978 are now submitted to the Peninsula Annual Conference for confirmation:
Rev. Terry W. Armstrong (Class of 1979)
Rev. George C. Godfrey (Class of 1981)
The Conference approved.

E. **Division of Missions**
Recommendations 1 through 5
Section recommends concurrence
For 44 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 1
The Conference approved.

Division of Missions
Item 6
Section recommends to amend to read—
"Where need exists, assist worthy church extension projects."
For 44 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 1
The Conference approved.

Division of Missions
Recommendation 1 - Re: Council of Bishops
Section recommends concurrence
For 47 Against 1 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

NOTE: Recommendations 2 and 3 were withdrawn by the Chairperson of the Board, The Rev. Dr. Donzel C. Wildey, and The Rev. Harold Owens withdrew the last sentence in his report on page 72.

Ms. Pruitt recognized The Reverend Dr. Wildey, who addressed the Conference on projects of the Board of Global Ministries and accepted a check from The Reverend Dr. Robert Whitlock for St. Paul's United Methodist Church in payment for a gift made in 1960 hoping that the funds will be used to establish a new church.

2. **Board of Higher Education and Ministry**

A. **Division of Higher Education and Campus Ministry**
Recommendations 1 through 3
Section recommends concurrence
For 42 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

B. **Division of Career Planning and Counseling**
Recommendations 1 and 2
Section recommends concurrence
For 42 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

3. **Board of Diaconal Ministries**
Recommendations a through c
Section recommends concurrence
For 39 Against 0 Voting 57 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW SECTION II REPORT: The Bishop called upon Mrs. Lida Wells, The Reverend Mr. Terry Armstrong and The Reverend Mr. Hervey Greer for the report. The Reverend Mr. Armstrong asked that Mrs. Wells be excused and that he and The Reverend Mr. Greer will make the report.

1. **Board of Church and Society**
Recommendations a and b
Section recommends concurrence
For 92 Against 0 Voting 92 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.
Recommendation c
Recommendation amended to read:
We will support the Maryland Conference on Social Concerns. Section recommends concurrence as amended.
For 92 Against 0 Voting 92 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.
Recommendations d through g
Section recommends concurrence
For 92 Against 0 Voting 92 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

NOTE: The Section allowed the Chairperson of the Board of Church and Society, Mrs. Doris Phillips, to present Program goals in place of those in the Conference Report. The Goals and the action the Section took follows:

a. General Welfare Division

1. **Public Assistance, Gambling, Capital Punishment**
Action Goal: General Welfare will continue to monitor the Maryland and Delaware legislatures to aid local churches in responding to legislation in social concerns areas.

2. **Biogenesis, Child Abuse**
Action Goal: General Welfare will follow up the 1978 Convocations on the issues of biogenesis and child abuse by disseminating information and materials in these areas as it becomes available.

3. **Social Action and Evangelism**
Action Goal: General Welfare will attempt to emphasize to local churches that the goal of sanctification and wholeness which is paramount in the evangelistic thrust is inextricably involved in concern for all persons and their wholeness.
Goals 1 through 3
Section recommends Concurrence
For 92 Against 0 Voting 92 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

4. The Section amended the Goal so that it now reads as follows:
Crime and Justice
Action Goal: General Welfare will hold October district workshops, to inform local churches of issues involving crime prevention, rehabilitation, and prison reform, **and that the District Workshop include a concern for the victims of crime.**
(Amendment underlined)
The Section recommended concurrence
For 85 Against 0 Voting 92 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

5. **National Health Care, Energy and Lifestyle**
Action Goal: General Welfare will hold a spring Convocation March 31, for local church people to provide resources and information on the issues of national health care, and energy and lifestyles.

6. **Crime and Justice and Drug and Alcohol Concerns**
Action Goal: General Welfare will work in conjunction with local churches to develop model programs in the areas of crime and justice and drug and alcohol concerns. This will involve financial assistance and resources to help set up a model for each area in each state.

7. **Special Days**
Action Goal - Drug and Alcohol Sunday in November and Labor Sunday in September will be promoted by article in the COMMUNICATOR.
The Section recommends concurrence for 5-7
For 92 Against 0 Voting 92 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

b. Human Relations Division

1. **Criminal Justice - the "rights of the victim"**
Action Goal: Human Relations will participate in the spring, March 31, Convocation by providing a forum on the questions relating to the "rights of the victim." The question of detention versus restitution will be addressed.

2. **Rights of Juveniles**
Action Goal: Human Relations will provide $1,000 financial assistance to the churches in the Salisbury area to support the shelter care project "Room-at-the-Inn," and follow up with a model for use in other communities.

3. **Personhood**
Action Goal: A series of articles, special mailings, resources and opportunities for dialogue will be provided in reference to Christian guidelines for our relationships.

4. **Death and Dying**
Action Goal: A study unit will be prepared which can be used by small groups in local churches with their ministers and laypersons on the subject of death and dying.

5. **Internal functioning**
Action Goal: A description of our responsibilities to other Conference Committees and to individuals in the local church will be developed.

6. **Special Days — Human Relations**
Action Goal: Human Relations Day will be promoted by an article in the COMMUNICATOR.
The Section recommends concurrence for 1-6 Voting 92
For 92 Against 0 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

c. World Peace Division
1. **World Hunger**
Action Goal: We will offer a seminar on World Hunger issues as a part of the Spring Convocation of the Board of Church and Society.

2. **Washington Seminar**
Action Goal: We will assist with planning and promotion of the Board's trip to Washington for a Washington Seminar.

3. **Resourcing local churches on World Peace Issues**
Action Goal: *Newsletter 4 times/year from Board, with information and literature provided by Divisions — to be sent to Pastors, Social Concerns Chairpersons, United Meth. Women Chairpersons of Christian Social Involvement.
*Promotion of World Order Sunday
*Encourage local church participation in IMPACT, Bread for the World, and WHEAT action networks.
*Literature for January workshops.

4. **United Nations Seminar**
Action Goal: Plan and promote a trip to New York in the fall for youth and adults for a United Nations Seminar.

5. **Pacem In Terris**
Action Goal: Support ecumenical efforts on World Peace and Hunger issues.
*Provide support to Pacem In Terris, and make full use of program resources which they provide.
Section recommends concurrence Voting 92
For 92 Against 0 Not Voting 0
The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #1
Section recommends concurrence Voting 92
For 51 Against 26 Not Voting 9
The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #2
Section recommends concurrence Voting 92
For 65 Against 11 Not Voting 10
The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #3
The Section amended the Resolution by adding to the first "Therefore, Be It Resolved" the words "possession and use" so that it now reads—
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church that we oppose the legalization or the decriminalization of marijuana **possession and use**. We do support the lessening of criminal penalties for first-time offenders.
Section recommends concurrence as amended Voting 92
For 66 Against 12 Not Voting 1
The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #4
Section recommends concurrence. Voting 92
For 23 Against 19 Not Voting 26
The Conference approved.

ORDER OF THE DAY: The Bishop recognized Ms. Susan Keirn Kester, Chairwoman of the Commission on the Status and Role of Women. She highlighted their display.

REPORT: BOARD OF DIACONAL MINISTRY: In the absence of the Chairperson, Mrs. June Bostick, the report was presented by The Reverend Mr. Kenneth Fansler and The Reverend Mr. Perry O. Hill. The Reverend Mr. Perry O. Hill presented Miss Jeanetta B. Benedict from Consecrated Lay Worker and Miss Olive A. Cooke from Commissioned Deaconess to be recognized as diaconal ministers. The Conference approved. The Reverend Mr. Hill then recommended the following for recertification:

Director Of Christian Education

Benedict, Jeanetta B. (Miss)
69 East Main St., Newark, DE. 19711 (Newark UMC)

Cook, Olive A. (Miss)
2200 Elmfield Road, Wilmington, DE. 19810

Johnson, Cheryl Bornt (Mrs.)
1215 Gibbon, Laramie, WY. 82070 (First UMC)

May, Phyllis (Mrs. Felton)
215 South Hanson St., Easton, MD. 21601

Stevens, Jessie V. (Miss)
P. O. Box 306, Hurlock, MD. 21643

Minister Of Christian Education

Armour, Clifford A., Jr.
Bruner, Fred M.
Fansler, Kenneth G.
Seyfert, Frederick C., Jr.
Stapleton, J. Gordon

Educational Assistant

Morgan, Mary K. (Mrs. Henry)
205 Union St., Milton, DE. (Goshen UMC)

Director Of Music

Cohen, Joann C. (Mrs. C. M.)
308 South Main St., North East, MD. 21901 (North East UMC)
Swensson, Evelyn D. (Mrs. Sigurd)
R. D. #2, Box 58-A, Chadds Ford, PA. 19317 (Aldersgate UMC)

Associate In Music

Green, Thelma M. (Mrs. Elbert)
3 Yale Road, Wilmington, DE. 19808 (Christ UMC)

Church And Community Worker

White, Mary G. (Miss)
1218 B Street, Wilmington, DE. 19801 (Neighborhood House, Inc.)

He then recommended for certification as a Church and Community Worker:

Nelson, Ramona Zandra (Miss)
P. O. Box 605, New Castle, DE. 19720 (Peninsula-McCabe UMC)

The Conference approved. For the remainder of the report see the Disciplinary questions #53-59. Bishop Mathews then presented the appropriate certificates to those being recognized as Diaconal Ministers.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: Ms. Paula Watson, Communication Representative for the Interpreter, was introduced to the Conference.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ORDAINED MINISTRY: The report can be found in the Journal, Disciplinary Questions #18-48. All items were approved and persons appropriately elected.

RECOGNITION OF RETIRING MEMBERS: Bishop James K. Mathews recognized those persons entering the retired relationship with a granting of a certificate to each. The Reverend Mr. William Bundick and The Reverend Mrs. Mildred White addressed the Conference. Those retiring are:

William Brantley Bundick
Omro Milton Todd
Joseph Jerome Tubbs
Mildred Elizabeth White

RECOGNITION OF PROBATIONARY MEMBERS: The Conference Secretary, Clifford A. Armour, Jr., presented the class entering probationary membership and the Bishop asked the disciplinary questions; appropriate answers were given.

CHEADLE, RONALD EUGENE, JR.
Address: 706 South College Ave., Newark, DE 19713
Birthplace: Wilmington, DE Date: June 10, 1956
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1978
Charge Conference: Red Lion, Bear, DE
College: University of Delaware
Degree: B.A. Date: 1977
Seminary: Asbury Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 1st year
Anticipated date of graduation: 1980
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

DOWNING, CHARLES JOEL
Address: Fishing Creek, MD 21634
Birthplace: Carroll, Iowa Date: Nov. 15, 1948
Marital Status: Married (Karlina) Children: 3
Licensed to Preach: 1977
Charge Conference: Hoopers Island, Fishing Creek, MD
College: Westmar College, LeMars, Iowa
Degree: B. Applied Sci. Date: Dec. 1976
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: In 2nd year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1981
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

GAUGER, JOHN MARTIN RUSSELL
Address: 2618 Maclary Drive, Wilmington, DE 19808
Birthplace: Wilm. DE Date: October 21, 1951
Marital Status: Married (Linda) Children: 0
Licensed to Preach: 1977
Charge Conference: Peniel U. M. Church, Newport, DE
College: University of Delaware
Degree: B.A.L.S. Date: 1974
Seminary: Dallas Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 3rd year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1979
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

GOVATOS, JAMES ALBERT
Address: 481 Sunset Drive, Dover, DE 19901
Birthplace: Dover, DE May 24, 1954
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1978
Charge Conference: Camden-Woodside, Camden, DE
College: Swarthmore College
Degree: B. A. Date: 1976
Seminary: Yale Divinity School
Degree: Completing 2nd year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1979
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

MARTIN, LOUIS ARTHUR
Address: P. O. Box 36, Still Pond, MD 21667
Birthplace: Los Angeles, CA Date: November 15, 1942
Marital Status: Married (Elizabeth)
Licensed to Preach: December 31, 1975
Charge Conference: Still-Pont-Betterton-Lynch, Still Pond, Md.
College: Frostburg State College: Degree: B.S. 1970
University of Southern California; Degree: M.S. 1973

Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 3rd year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1978
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

McCULLOUGH, ROBERT ALBERT, JR.
Address: 502 E. Basin Road, New Castle, DE 19720
Birthplace: Wilmington, DE Date: August 18, 1954
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1978
Charge Conference: Asbury U.M. Church, New Castle, DE
College: University of Delaware
Degree: B.A. Date: 1976
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 1st year
Anticipated date of graduation: 1980
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

MIDDLEBROOKS, WALTER EDWARD
Address: 206 Denton Rd., Federalsburg, MD 21632
Birthplace: Lamar County, GA Date: August 18, 1948
Marital Status: Married (Marylene) Children: 1
Licensed to Preach: 1977
Charge Conference: Federalsburg-Denton, Md.
College: University of the District of Columbia
Degree: B.A. Date: 1973
Seminary: School of Religion, Howard University
Degree: In 2nd year
Anticipated date of graduation: 1979
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

RIDDLEBERGER, ROBERT
Address: Box 11, Crapo, MD 21626
Birthplace: Ridgely, Md. Date: October 25, 1937
Marital Status: Married (Ann) Children: 3
Licensed to Preach: 1975
Charge Conference: Crapo Charge, Crapo, MD
College: Chesapeake College, Degree: A.A. 1975
Salisbury State College: Degree: B.A. 1977
Seminary: Evangelical School of Theology
Degree: Completing 1st year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1980
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

RUSSELL, MICHAELE SPITZER
Address: Route 1, Box 81A, Laurel, DE 19956
Birthplace: Salisbury, MD Date: June 16, 1948
Marital Status: Married (Willard) Children: 0
Licensed to Preach: 1978
Charge Conference: Blades/Asbury, Blades, DE
College: University of Delaware
Degree: B.A. Date: 1970
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 1st year
Anticipated date of graduation: 1980
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

SEYMOUR, DAVID THORNTON
Address: Rt. 1, Box 6, St. Michaels, MD 21663
Birthplace: Baltimore, MD Date: September 18, 1955
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1978
Charge Conference: St. Luke's St. Michaels, Md.
College: Salisbury State College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1977
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 1st year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1980
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

SIMON, JAMES ALBERT
Address: 407 Oxford St., Pocomoke City, MD 21851
Birthplace: Guyana, South America Date: February 19, 1939
Marital Status: Married (Constance) Children: 0
Licensed to Preach: 1977
Charge Conference: Mt. Zion, Pocomoke City, MD
College: Carver Bible College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1974
Seminary: Interdenominational Theological Center
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

SIMPSON, ROBERT EDWARD, SR.
Address: 206 Jefferson St., Box 217, Delaware City, DE 19706
Birthplace: Wilmington, DE Date: July 21, 1929
Marital Status: Married (Madeline) Children: 4
Licensed to Preach: 1968
Charge Conference: Kirkwood U. M. Church, Kirkwood, DE
College: University of Delaware
Degree: B.A. Date: 1976
Seminary: Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 1st year

Anticipated date of graduation: 1981
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

BAKER, EARLE NOBLE
Address: 509 Franklin St., Denton, Md. 21619
Birthplace: Easton, MD Date: August 21, 1954
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1977
Charge Conference: St. Luke's U.M. Church, Denton, Md.
College: United Wesleyan College
Degree: B.S. Date: 1976
Seminary: Asbury Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 2nd year
Anticipated date of graduation: M.A.R. - 1978; M. Div. - 1980
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

LEHMAN, RUSSELL LEE
Address: Box 6, Whaleysville, MD 21872
Birthplace: Flint, Mich. Date: July 4, 1949
Marital Status: Married (Lois)
Licensed to Preach: 1978
Charge Conference: Whaleysville, MD
College: John Wesley College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1977
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: Completing 1st year
Anticipated date of graduation: May 1981
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1978

RECOGNITION OF FULL MEMBERSHIP: The Conference Secretary presented those entering the full membership. The Bishop asked the appropriate disciplinary questions and received the appropriate answers.

CROSSAN, SAMUEL WILLARD, III
Address: R.D. 4, Box 125, Elkton, MD 21921
Birthplace: Wilmington, DE Date: July 31, 1947
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1972
Charge Conference: Cherry Hill, Elkton, Md.
College: Goldey Beacon, Jr. College: Degree: A.A. 1967
Scarritt College: Degree: B.A. 1969
Vanderbilt Law School: Degree: J. D. 1976
Seminary: Vanderbilt University Divinity School
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1972
D. Min. 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1972
Full Member: 1978

Ordination:
Deacon: 1972
Elder: 1978

FOARD, LLOYD ROWLAND
Address: P. O. Box 36, Newark, MD 21841
Birthplace: Colora, MD Date: February 11, 1938
Marital Status: Married (Patricia) Children: 3
Licensed to Preach: 1962
Charge Conference: Mt. Pleasant, Colora, MD
College: Delaware State College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1969
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1970
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1970
Elder: 1978

GREER, HERVEY WARD
Address: R.D. 1, Box 63, Church Hill, Md. 21623
Birthplace: Minneapolis, Minn. Date: January 8, 1950
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1969
Charge Conference: Church Hill-Burrsville, MD
College; Westmar College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1973
Seminary: Garrett Theological Seminary
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1976
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1975
Elder: 1978

HALL, ROBERT PAUL
Address: Box 191, Cheswold, DE 19936
Birthplace: Salisbury, MD Date: July 5, 1952
Marital Status: Married (Diane) Children: 0
Licensed to Preach: 1976
Charge Conference: Cheswold Charge, Cheswold, DE
College: University of Maryland, (Baltimore County)
Degree: B.A. Date: 1974
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1975
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1975
Elder: 1978

HARTMAN, JAMES LEE
Address: Box 126, Mardela Springs, Md. 21837
Birthplace: Jenkins Bridge, VA Date: December 11, 1940
Marital Status: Married (Nancy) Children: 1
Licensed to Preach: 1975
Charge Conference: Mardela Springs, Mardela Springs, Md.
College: University of South Florida
Degree: A.B. Date: 1974
Seminary: Princeton Theological Seminary
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1976
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1976
Elder: 1978

LEDBETTER, PAMELA GAIL
Address: P.O. Box 256, Magnolia, DE 19962
Birthplace: Moncks Corner, SC Date: August 8, 1950
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1974
Charge Conference: Magnolia Charge, Magnolia, DE
College: Georgia Southern College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1972
Seminary: Candler School of Theology, Emory University
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1976
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1974 South Georgia Conference
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1974
Elder: 1978

MATTHEWS, GONZALEE
Address: 420 E. Dover Road, Easton, MD 21601
Birthplace: Mappsville, VA Date: November 24, 1949
Marital Status: Married (Cynthia) Children: 1
Licensed to Preach: 1971
Charge Conference: Easton-Bellevue, Easton, MD
College: Virginia College
Degree: B.S. Date: 1972
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1976
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1976
Elder: 1978

RASH, RICHARD CARTWRIGHT
Address: Box 62, Bethel, DE 19931
Birthplace: Wilmington, DE Date: October 19, 1944
Marital Status: Married (Carol) Children: 2
Licensed to Preach: 1974
Charge Conference: St. Paul's U.M. Church, Wilmington, DE
College: Lycoming College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1966

Seminary: Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary: Degree: M. Div. 1977
Also - Methodist Theo. School of Ohio, '74-'75; Wesley Theo. Sem. '75-'76
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1975
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1975
Elder: 1978

TWILLEY, FLOYD ALBERT, JR.
Address: P. O. Box 88, Parsonsburg, MD 21849
Birthplace: Pittsville, MD Date: December 22, 1952
Marital Status: Married (Ann) Children: 1
Licensed to Preach: 1975
Charge Conference: Parsonsburg, Parsonsburg, MD
College: Western Maryland College
Degree: A.B. Date: 1974
Seminary: Boston University School of Theology
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1975
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1975
Elder: 1978

VALENTINE, KENNETH STEVEN
Address: R.F.D. 1, Box 100, North East, Md. 21901
Birthplace: Queens, NY Date: May 20, 1952
Marital Status: Single
Licensed to Preach: 1972
Charge Conference: North East-Bayview, MD
College: Methodist College
Degree: B.A. Date: 1974
Seminary: Drew Theological School
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1977
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1975
Full Member: 1978
Ordination:
Deacon: 1975
Elder: 1978

WALSEMAN, HOWARD GAYLAND
Address: Box 424, Ridgely, MD 21660
Birthplace: Lowville, NY Date: December 16, 1951
Marital Status: Married (Beth)
Licensed to Preach: 1974
Charge Conference: Ridgely Charge: Ridgely, MD
College: Albright College
Degree: A.B. Date: 1973
Seminary: Wesley Theological Seminary
Degree: M. Div. Date: 1976
Conference Relationship:
Probation: 1974 (Northern New York)
Full Member: 1978

Ordination:
Deacon: 1974
Elder: 1978

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Several announcements were made by the Conference Secretary and others.

BENEDICTION: The Benediction was given by The Reverend Mr. William Bundick.

Thursday Afternoon—May 25, 1978

2:00 p.m. The Bishop called the Peninsula Annual Conference to order following the lunch recess. The Bishop asked The Reverend Robert O. Wallace to lead us in prayer.

ORDER OF THE DAY: MISSIONAL PRIORITY—WORLD HUNGER: The Bishop recognized The Reverend Dr. Bruce Cooke, who introduced Mr. Don Reeves, Friends Committee on National Legislation for World Hunger.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Reverend Mr. David W. Baker spoke on the response within the Peninsula Annual Conference to the three Missional Priorities. He reported that up to May 19, 1978, 114 churches have responded financially to our appeals for the Hungers of Humankind. These 114 churches have contributed $14,859.00 of which $8,049.00 is for World Hunger and $5,249.00 is for Ethnic Minority Local Church Development and $1,661.00 is undesignated. If other churches would contribute in the same way, we would pass our goal of $61,833.00. He also informed the Conference that as of noon on May 25, 1978, we have 575 members registered.

OFFERING: The Reverend Mr. William Hemphill announced the offering for World Hungers. The offering was $621.27.

APPROVAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS: The Reverend Mr. Jonathan Baker moved the approval of the Daily Proceedings for Wednesday, May 24, 1978, and requested the Conference to give the Committee on Daily Proceedings permission to approve the proceedings for Thursday, May 25, 1978.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE: The Bishop welcomed the following District Superintendents from the Baltimore Conference: The Reverend Dr. Merrill Drennan, The Reverend Mr. Douglas Cooney, The Reverend Mr. Charles Wallace, The Reverend Mr. Richard Clifford and The Reverend Mr. Wilmer Shearer. The Reverend Dr. Drennan addressed the Conference briefly. They were introduced by The Reverend William H. Revelle, Jr.

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW SECTION II REPORT: The Bishop called for the continuation of the report of Section II:

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #5, page 55

A substitute Resolution was presented:

RIGHT TO LIFE

WHEREAS the Word of God clearly states, indicates and implies in repeated references that children are a gift from the Lord,

AND WHEREAS the Scripture clearly teaches that God ordains life in the womb with perfect intent and definite foreknowledge of the meaning and purpose of that life,

AND WHEREAS it is stated in the Scripture of God, on occasion, even named the baby in the womb and declared beforehand His intention for that life,

AND WHEREAS on January 22, 1973, the Supreme Court of the United States declared that the fetus is not a "person" in the legal sense and that states are forbidden to outlaw abortions anytime prior to birth if in the opinion of one licensed physician an abortion is necessary to preserve the "life or health" of the mother,

AND WHEREAS the "Health" of the mother means, by the Court's own definition, "The Medical judgment may be exercised in the light of all factors—physical, emotional, psychological, familial, and the woman's age—relevant to the well-being of the patient. All these factors may relate to health.

AND WHEREAS millions of abortions have been performed in the United States since 1973.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference protest, decry, and abhor this mass slaughter of unborn babies who are "persons" by every right of the just laws of God and man,

That the Peninsula Annual Conference call upon every responsible citizen to support the enactment of moral legislation that will protect the life of the unborn child,

And that this resolution be communicated to our Congressional Representatives and Senators of Delaware and Maryland and to Delaware and Maryland Legislators.

The substituted Resolution was amended by adding the following before the paragraph that reads "That the Peninsula Annual Conference—etc."

That the Peninsula Conference support the right of persons to have the freedom to choose abortion only where it is medically certain that the completion of the pregnancy will pose a threat to the life of the mother.

Section defeated the substitute and the amendment.

				Voting	92
For	23	Against	47	Not Voting	9

The Conference upheld the recommendation of non-currence.

Section considered the original Resolution on pages 55 to 57. The original Resolution was amended by adding the underlined to the first Be It Therefore Resolved—

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED

That the Peninsula Annual Conference support the right of persons to have the freedom to choose abortion **in cases where it is determined after medical, phychological and spiritual counsel that the birth would result in physical, psychological and/or spiritual danger to mother and/or child.** Such abortion would be performed only by licensed medical practitioners within a medically acceptable time frame.

Section recommends concurrence with the original Resolution as amended.

				Voting	92
For	52	Against	13	Not Voting	4

The Reverend Mr. William Sterling moved to amend by adding that whenever and wherever feasible and possible, the Father of an unborn child be included in the decision to abort or not to abort.

The Amendment passed.

Mr. Frank Chapman moved to substitute the Resolution passed by the 1976 General Conference, (**Book of Discipline**, p. 90, E.)

> "E) Abortion. — The beginning of life and the ending of life are the God-given boundaries of human existence. While individuals have always had some degree of control over when they would die, they now have the awesome power to determine when and even whether new individuals will be born. Our belief in the sanctity of unborn human life makes us reluctant to approve abortion. But we are qually bound to respect the sacredness of the life and well-being of the mother, for whom devastating damage may result from an unacceptable pregnancy. In continuity with past Christian teaching, we recognize tragic conflicts of life with life that may justify abortion. We call all Christians to a searching and prayerful inquiry into the sorts of conditions that may warrant abortion. We support the legal option of abortion under proper medical procedures. Nevertheless, governmental laws and regulations do not necessarily provide all the guidance required by the informed Christian conscience. Therefore, a decision concerning abortion should be made after thorough and thoughtful consideration by the parties involved, with medical and pastoral counsel."

The Conference accepted the substitute and passed it as the main motion.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #6

Section recommends concurrence.

				Voting	92
For	36	Against	2	Not voting	2

NOTE: In the Sixth Whereas the words "are most likely to" should appear following the words "themselves" and before "become". The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #7

				Voting	92
For	37	Against	2	Not voting	5

The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #8
Section recommends concurrence.

				Voting	92
For	37	Against	4	Not voting	4

The Conference approved.

Board of Church and Society, Resolution #9
Section recommends concurrence

For	43	Against	0	Not voting	0

The Conference approved.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #10
Withdrawn by the Board and will be added to their report.

Board of Church & Society, Resolution #11
Section recommends concurrence.

				Voting	92
For	45	Against	0	Not voting	2

The Conference approved.

II. **Commission on Archives and History**
Resolutions a through d
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	90
For	84	Against	0	Not voting	1

The Conference approved.

III. **Commission on the Status and Role of Women**

GOALS FOR 1979

1. Each local church will have a person designated to represent the concerns of women, their status and roles.
2. Our commission will provide a training workshop for the local church representatives in the January District Workshops.
3. Our commission will publish advocacy articles regularly in the COMMUNICATOR.
4. Our commission will develop a statistical analysis of the participation by women within the Peninsula Conference.
5. Our commission will publish a bi-monthly newsletter to be sent to the United Methodist Women presidents, pastors, and local church representatives in each local church.
6. Our commission will take the field work model (display) into as many local churches as possible; aiming for at least 10 churches in each district.
7. Our commission will work toward a woman keynoter at the 1979 Peninsula Annual Conference.
8. Our commission will sponsor a luncheon meeting at Annual Conference on Thursday for professional women employed within the church structure.
9. Our commission will encourage all Boards and agencies to be sensitive to the specific obstacles that preclude full participation by women: i.e., the need for babysitting, the need for meetings during school hours, the fear of coming out for night meetings alone, etc.

Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	92
For	86	Against	1	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

IV. **Commission on Religion and Race**
Resolutions a through c
Section recommends concurrence

				Voting	92
For	89	Against	1	Not Voting	0

The Conference approved.

RESOLUTION

We, the undersigned, being duly elected officers and members in good standing of St. George's United Methodist Church, Bacons, Delaware, Sussex County, in the United States of America, do hereby declare and cause to be set forth the following Resolution.

WHEREAS on the 2nd day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight, at a regular meeting on the Administrative Board, a motion was made and unanimously approved to call upon the Annual Conference Session and all christian churches throughout the State of Delaware, to publicly deplore from the pulpit of their churches, television and radio and newspapers, the production of the film entitled "The Many Faces of Jesus," and

That on the day to be selected, all christians throughout the State of Delaware congregate at Dover, Delaware and march on the State Capital requesting our Governor, The Honorable Pierre S. duPont, and the members of the State Legislature, to enact a law prohibiting the showing of the aforementioned film, or, any film, portraying Our Lord, Jesus Christ, as a homesexual and bisexual.

Be it so Resolved.

Paul Elliott,
Chairperson, Administrative Board
St. George's United Methodist Church
Bacons, Delaware

The Section defeated the Resolution with a vote of

For	5	Against	23	Not Voting	8

Therefore the Section recommends non-concurrence.
The Conference upheld the recommendation of non-concurrence.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION: The Bishop called upon The Reverend Mr. Jonathan Baker for the Resolution: Support for Native Americans in their Struggle for Justice.

Support For Native Americans In Their Struggle For Justice

WHEREAS the 1976 General Conference of the United Methodist Church stated "Recently the United States has been forced to become more sharply aware and keenly conscious of the destructive impact of the unjust acts and injurious policies of the United States government upon the lives and culture of American Indians. In the past the white majority population was allowed to forget or excuse the wrongs which were done to the indigenous peoples of this land. Now, American Indians are speaking with a more unified voice and are causing both the government and the American people to re-examine the actions of the past and to assume responsibility for the conditions of the present. A clear appeal is being made for a fresh and reliable expression of justice. A call is being made for a new recognition of the unique rights which were guaranteed in perpetuity to American Indians by the treaties and agreements which were solemnly signed by official representatives of the United States government."; and

WHEREAS the 1976 General Conference also stated "The United Methodist Church recognized that a new national commitment is needed toward a respecting and effecting of the rights of American Indians to establish their own identities, maintain their culture, live their lives, and use their resources. The United Methodist Church calls its congregations. . . to furnish support for:

1) The right of the Indian to be Indian in this country.

2) The right of Indians to be self-determining and to make their own decisions related to the use of their resources.
3) The right of Indians to plan for an Indian future in this nation and to expect a fulfillment of the commitments which have been made previously by the government.";

WHEREAS treaties and agreements made by the United States government are the foundation of Indian law; and

WHEREAS many basic resources and services are dependent on continued recognition of these treaties and agreements, and these include tribal governments, numerous elementary and secondary schools and some junior colleges, educational programs, housing, employment assistance, economic subsistence programs, legal services and many other elements of human service which are contained therein; and

WHEREAS the Native American International Caucus of the United Methodist Church has called the Annual Conferences of the United Methodist Church to fulfill their historical commitment to justice and individual and corporate rights by:

A) endorsing the policy statement developed and published by the Executive Committee of the General Board of Church and Society in January 1978;
B) declaring their own statements of support for the protection of Native American interests, the Secretary and Bishop of each Annual Conference contacting the Congressmen and women within their Jurisdiction to call for the defeat of the following termination bills now before Congress:

HR 9950	HR 9054	HR 9906	HR 9736	HJR 1
HR 9951	HR 9175	HR 4169	HJR 206	SB 826
				SB 1437

C) holding workshops and study groups to become knowledgeable of the issues concerning Native American relations with the government of the United States and to develop an understanding of the distinctive culture and unique rights of Native Americans in the United States.
D) affirming the validity and worth of Native American personhood by materially and spiritually supporting the churches with Native American ministries.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference supports the claim of Native American tribes to certain specified rights guaranteed by treaties made in good faith by Native tribes negotiating with the United States government and which treaties are declared to be valid and enforceable and legally binding upon both bodies.

WE FURTHER RESOLVE that the United States has not only a legal obligation, but a moral obligation to fulfill all obligations thereof.

The Conference approved the resolution.

LIMITED SERVICE CHURCHES: The Reverend Mr. William H. Revelle, Jr., Dean of the Cabinet, announced that the following are being designated "Limited Service Churches," with the following motion:

Resolved that those churches appearing on page 66 of the 1977 Journal under the category of "Limited Service Churches" be continued as such for the ensuing year.

That the Sand Hill Church, related to the Georgetown, Grace Charge Conference, effective date January 1, 1975, be added to those listed under Dover District and continued as such for the ensuing year.

That the Phoenix Church on the Marion Charge, Salisbury District; the Metropolitan Church on the Queenstown Grasonville Charge, Easton District; and the Cokesbury Church on the Cannon Charge, Dover District, be added to that listing effective with this session of the Peninsula Annual Conference.

The Conference approved.

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST FOUNDATION, INC.: The Reverend Mr. Richard D. Bailey, Executive Director, thanked the Conference for the action one year ago which established the Foundation. He presented the officers of the Foundation:

President	—K. Thomas Everngam
Vice President	—John F. Kelso
Secretary	—Paul E. McCoy

THE BUDGET: The Chairperson, The Reverend Mr. Otho G. Brewer, presented the Budget recommended by the Council on Finance and Administration.

The Conference approved. (See Unified Budget)

THE COMMITTEE ON COURTESIES: The Reverend Mr. Dale R. Pruett, Chairperson, presented the resolution. Serving with him were Susan Keirn Kester and Ewart C. Hackshaw. The resolution:

Bishop Mathews, and members of the 39th session of the Peninsula Annual Conference, showing appreciation is a quality which all Christians should express as a viable part of their relationship with both God and others. The Apostle Paul reminded the Christians at Ephesus that they should always give thanks for everything, and that was to be done to God in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. (Ephesians 5:20). We express our gratitude to one another, understanding that we can do so only because we have first proclaimed our gratitude to God who, in His gracious love, shares Himself with us.

Therefore, believing that our appreciation of others ultimately gives honor and glory to God through Jesus Christ, we gratefully acknowledge those persons who have made this conference interesting, informative, and inspirational.

We acknowledge with gratitude the leadership of our Bishop, James K. Mathews, his cabinet and staff. Bishop Mathews' patient and skillful effort has been sharpened by the sixty sessions of annual conference of which he has been a part. In his State of the Church address he challenged us to establish a spirituality which matches the demands of our times.

Equally challenging were our other conference speakers. We are indebted to The Reverend Kenneth Deere, the Associate Executive Secretary of the General Commission on Religion and Race of The United Methodist Church. He pointed to our relationship with "mother earth," and how, though we often abuse her, she still shows love for us by providing the things we need.

We are indebted to Bishop Roy C. Nichols of the Pittsburgh Area, Western Pennsylvania Annual Conference, who defined evangelism as "singing the Lord's song." He confronted us with the challenge not to be star-gazers, but earth-shakers.

We are indebted to Mr. Donald Barnhouse, news analyst, author, lecturer and teacher, who spoke at the Laity Banquet, declaring that Christians have a good product to sell for a reasonable price, and it should change our lives.

We are indebted to Reverend William O. Hackett, Administrator of the Methodist Country House, for sharing with us his insights on remembrance as we united in holy communion.

We are also grateful in advance to The Reverend Dr. J. Gordon Stapleton, Pastor of St. Mark's Church in Wilmington, who will be speaking at the service of ordination this evening.

This moment could not pass without also calling attention to our conference host, the Wilmington District and its Superintendent, The Reverend William Hemphill and his gracious service. Bill mentioned at the opening session that there were countless persons responsible for the effective fulfillment of this conference. In an attempt to give recognition to some of those persons, we gratefully acknowledge the following:

1. Daily worship services under the able direction of the Reverend Glenn Catley and the Division of Worship, and all those who provided the worship appointments.
2. The lively and inspirational music provided by Dr. Richard Allen, Director of Music, Newark United Methodist Church.
3. The graciousness of The Reverend Dr. R. Jervis Cooke, Chaplain Robert W. Starrett, Joseph Tubbs, and other staff from Wesley College, who have made our stay a pleasant one.
4. The effective work of the Head Usher, The Reverend Tom P. Donnachie, III, and his staff.

5. The Reverend Richard D. Bailey, who moved quickly around the floor taking pictures and gathering news for later distribution.

6. The Peninsula Conference Ministers' Mates Association for the flowers for the communion and memorial service presented in memory and honor of fellow servants of Our Lord.

7. The fine presentation by the Nanticoke Indian Association with worship, song and dance.

8. The Ethnic Minority Local Church report which, through their effective use of audio-visuals, enabled us to focus our attention toward the concerns of the ethnic churches within our conference; the Task Force on Evangelism which presented present and future programs for our churches calling attention to the importance of sharing the Good News of God's love to all persons; and the emphasis on World Hunger which seeks the alleviation of hunger while cultivating a responsiveness among Christians everywhere. We have been challenged by our Conference theme, "Caring for the Hungers of Humankind - spiritual, identity, physical."

9. The uplifting musical message presented by the "Crowning Touch," who sang at the Laity Banquet.

10. The staff from Cokesbury with their book sales available for our patronage.

11. The creative displays on exhibit in the College Center.

12. All the thought and effort that went into the reports presented, as well as the resource materials in our packets, and to all other unnamed persons and agencies who, by their dedicated service, have contributed to making this session a memorable experience. A special acknowledgement is to be made of the Conference Council Director, The Reverend David W. Baker, for his skillful oversight of the legislative review sessions, the preparation of all printed materials following those sessions, and for his guidance to all in the fulfillment of this Annual Conference session.

Most of all we express our gratitude to our God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has brought us to this point in time for a reason. Gratefully acknowledging His Spirit, who fills our hearts and lives, let us return to our churches aware that we are not alone. With a willingness to live for Christ faithfully and obediently, let us continue to be thankful for all things, and so bring praise, honor and glory to God the Father, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. We leave you with a prayer that most of you may have heard before:

For all that has been. . . thanks!
For all that will be. . . yes! Amen.

Respectfully submitted,
Dale R. Pruett,
Chairperson
Susan Keirn Kester
Ewart C. Hackshaw

The Conference accepted the report.

SPECIAL THANKS: The Bishop expressed a special thanks to his Secretary, Mrs. Faith Richardson. The Conference responded with applause.

A HYMN: The Bishop asked the Conference to sing "I'm Bound for the Promised Land."

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE: Mr. Bill Messenger, for the Conference Youth Council, asked for a suspension of the Rules. Granted. He moved that one meal of the 1979 Annual Conference be declared a bread and water meal. This meal should be made available as an option on the Conference's meal service, and the money saved thereby will be applied toward the Missional Priority of World Hunger.

The Conference approved.

ADJOURNMENT: The Reverend Mr. William Hemphill, Jr. moved that the 39th Annual Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference be adjourned following the reading of Pastoral Appointments at the conclusion of the Ordination service, Thursday, May 25, 1978.

The Conference approved.

BENEDICTION: The Benediction was given by The Reverend Mr. Widmon Butler.

B. Disciplinary Questions

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Peninsula Annual Conference. Held in Dover, Delaware, from May 6, and May 23, 1978, through May 25, 1978. Bishop James K. Mathews, Presiding. Date when organized: Oct. 31, 1939. Number of this session: 39th.

PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. **Who are elected for the quadrennium (¶ 701.6,717):**
   Secretary? Clifford A. Armour, Jr.
   Address: P.O. Box 88, Ocean City, Md. 21842
   Statistician? Kyle N. Smith
   Address: 206 S.E. Front Street, Milford, DE 19963
   Treasurer? Edward J. Steiner
   Address: 139 N. State Street, Dover, Delaware 19901
2. **Is the Annual Conference incorporated (¶ 701.1)**? yes
3. **Bonding and auditing:**
   a) **What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts (¶ 721,2408)**? all
   b) **Have the books of said officers or persons been audited (¶ 717,721,2408)**? yes
4. **What conference councils, boards, commissions, and committees have been appointed or elected?**
   a) **Councils:**
      Council on Finance and Administration? yes
      Council on Ministries? yes
   b) **Boards:**
      Board of Church and Society: yes
      Board of Discipleship? yes
      Board of Global Ministries? yes
      Board of Diaconal Ministry? yes
      Board of Pensions? yes
      Board of Higher Education and Ministry? yes
      Board of Ordained Ministry? yes
      Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? yes
      Other conference boards: Laity
   c) **Commissions:**
      Commission on Archives and History? yes
      Commission on Religion and Race? yes
      Commission on Equitable Salary? yes
      Commission on the Status and Role of Women? yes
      Other conference commissions:
   d) **Committees:**
      Committee on Investigation? yes
      Committee on Episcopacy? yes
      Other conference committees:
      Annual Conference Arrangements
      Episcopal Residence
      Nominations

e) **Conference United Methodist Women?** yes
f) **Conference United Methodist Men?** yes
g) **Conference Council on Youth Ministry?** yes
h) **District Boards of Church Location and Building?** yes
i) **Committees on District Superintendency?** yes
j) **District Committees on Ordained Ministry?** yes

5. **Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records according to the forms prescribed by The United Methodist Church (¶ 905.4c)?** yes
6. **What is the report of the statistician?** See Table of Contents
7. **What is the report of the treasurer?** See Table of Contents
8. **What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts?** See Table of Contents
9. **What is the schedule of equitable salaries for pastors (¶ 934)?** The guideline figures for equitable salaries for the year 1977 are: Full Pastors, probationary members serving full time and associate member - $10,300; Student pastors and full time supply pastors - $8,000.00
10. **What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year (¶ 716)?** Amount of salary determined by the average of the highest 10 salaries within the Conference. Adjusted during the year if necessary.
11. **What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of the pension and benefit programs of the conference (¶ 734.4, 1707)?** Unified budget of priority rating. See Item I. A.
12. **What are the apportionments to this conference?**
    a) **For the World Service Fund?** See Unified budget
    b) **For the Episcopal Fund?** See Unified budget
    c) **For the General Administration Fund?** See Unified budget
    d) **For the Interdenominational Cooperation Fund?** See Unified budget
    e) **For the Ministerial Education Fund?** See Unified budget
    f) **For the Black College Fund?** See Unified budget
    g) **For the Temporary General Aid Fund?** See Unified budget
    h) **For the Missional Priorities Fund?** See Unified budget
    i) **For the Mass Communications Fund?** See Unified budget
13. **What is the percentage division between World Service and conference benevolences for the current year (¶ 710):**
    World Service? 27.9%
    Conference benevolences? 72.1%
14. **What United Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for pension responsibility (¶ 1706.3a(3), 1706.4f)?**
    See special appointments following list of appointments in Journal
15. **Conference and district lay leaders (¶ 701.8, 752):**
    a) **Conference lay leader: Name:** James C. Hardcastle
    Address: 121 N. Kirkwood Street, Dover, DE 19901
    b) **Associate conference lay leaders:**
    Lay Life and Work - Francis Waegel
    Director of Lay Speaking - Joseph W. Soltow
    Director of Methodist Men - Ralph O'Day
    c) **Who are district and associate district lay leaders?**
    Dover - Richard Lort
    Easton - Francis Turpin
    Salisbury - Robert Taylor
    Wilmington - J. Robert Ashton
16. **What local churches have been:**
    a) **Organized (¶ 266)?**
    Long Neck, Millsboro, DE

b) **Merged (¶ 2438)?**
    1) **United Methodist with United Methodist?** none
    2) **Other mergers?** none
c) **Discontinued or abandoned (¶ 230, 455.2, 2441)?**
    Harrison Street United Methodist Church
d) **Relocated and to what address?** none
e) **Changed name of church?** none
f) **Transferred this year into this conference from other United Methodist conference(s) and with what membership (¶ 46, 267)?** none
g) **What other changes have taken place in the list of churches?** see appointments.

17. **What changes have been made in district and charge lines?**
Limited Service Churches - 1978
Dover District
Cokesbury - Cannon Charge - May 25, 1978
Easton District
Metropolitan - Queenstown-Carmichael - May 25, 1978
Salisbury District
Phoenix Church - Marion Station Charge
In Salisbury District, Charge 20 - Marion Station Charge - dropped
Phoenix U. M. Church - Limited Service
Quindocqua added to No. 7 Charge - Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant

PART II PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS: ORDAINED MINISTERS AND LOCAL PASTORS

18. **Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration (¶ 702.4, 703.5)?** yes
19. **Who constitute the Conference Committee on Investigation (¶ 2521.1)?**

Member	Reserve Member
Edward B. Blevins	G. Wayne Cuff
Ewart C. Hackshaw	Robert L. Harris
Perry O. Hill	Clarence H. Hayes
William H. Owens	Thomas Hurley
Ira D. Steckman	Daniel Rich

20. a) **Who have received the certificate of candidacy for ordained ministry? (¶ 404, 405.)**
    Lehman, Russell Lee
    Watson, Jesse Lee
    b) **Who have completed the studies for the license as a local pastor, but are not now appointed?**

Gehring, Steven	Mott, J. Arthur
Gibbs, Marie	Plumline, James
Ireland, Gary	Shenton, Phillip
Maloney, Lester	White, Stephen

21. **Who are approved and appointed as:**
    a) **Full-time local pastors (¶ 409.1) and what progress has each made in the course of study?**
    Zollinhofer, Henry - Seminary Graduate
    b) **Part-time local pastors (¶ 409.2) and what progress has each made in the course of study?**

Black, William Howard	Elder	Course Completed
Burke, Clarence Russell	Deacon	Course Completed
Ford, Warren Jefferson	Deacon	Course Completed
Hope, Clifton	Elder	Course Completed
Robinson, Frank G.	Elder	1st year Seminary
Russell, Wm. Etheridge	Deacon	1st year Seminary

Smith, Samuel Murphy	Deacon	Course Completed
Wheedleton, John Roger	Deacon	Course Completed

c) **Student local pastors (¶ 409.4), and in what schools are they enrolled?**

Berry, Lawrence M.	Wesley Theological Seminary
Beeson, Robert	Wesley Theological Seminary
Brackeen, Joseph	Wesley Theological Seminary
Brittingham, Austin	University of Delaware, Southern Campus
Brown, Cordella	Bangor Theological Seminary
Brown, Robert M.	Chesapeake College
Burbage, John D.	Wesley Theological Seminary
Crockett, R. Dewey	University of Md. Eastern Shore
Downing, William S.	Wesley Theological School
English, Kevin	Wesley Theological School
Hurd, Russell	Wesley Theological School
Lyburn, Glenn H.	Wesley Theological School
Price, Robert	Wesley Theological School
Ross, William	Chesapeake College
Wallace, William T.	Salisbury State College
Wheatley, Leonard H. Jr.	Wesley Theological Seminary
Zampier, John	Wesley Theological Seminary
Zimmerman, Paton M.	Wesley Theological Seminary

d) **Students of other denominations in a school of theology listed by the University Senate serving as local pastors (¶ 408.7)?**
Beckett, Noah

22. **What ministers in good standing in other Christian denominations have been approved under the provisions of ¶ 426.4 for service as pastors of charges?**
Hodge, S. Wilfred
Seymour, James T.
Williams, Joseph W.

23. **Who are elected Associate Members (¶ 428)?** none

24. **Who are elected as Probationary Members:**

a) **Under the provisions of ¶ 415?**
Cheadle, Ronald Eugene, Jr.
Downing, Charles Joel
Gauger, John Martin Russell
Govatos, James Albert
Martin, Louis Arthur
McCullough, Robert Albert, Jr.
Middlebrooks, Walter Edward
Riddleberger, Robert
Russell, Michaele Spitzer
Seymour. David Thorton
Simon, James Albert
Simpson, Robert Edward, Sr.

b) **Under the provisions of ¶ 416.1?**
Baker, Earle Noble
Lehman, Russell

c) **Under the provisions of ¶ 416.2?** none

25. **Who are continued as Probationary Members and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies: (¶ 417, 421)**

a) **As students in approved schools of theology? (¶ 417(1).**

Boney, Hanson Richardson	Completing 2nd year at Wesley
Isaacs, Paul Everett	Completing 2nd year at Evangelical School of Theology

Kendall, Eleanor Apsley	Completing 3rd year at Wesley
Mudede, Ebenezer Ben	Completing 2nd year at Wesley
Patterson, Harry Alton, III	Completing 3rd year at Wesley
Short, Thomas Chester	Completing 5th year at Wesley
Swift, Carolyn Ruth	Completing 2nd year at Wesley
Sye, Herbert Edward, Jr.	Completing 3rd year at Wesley
Wood, Fred Dickson, III	Completing 4th year at Wesley

b) **In the advanced ministerial course of study? (¶ 417(2).** none

c) **Graduates of approved schools of theology serving under full-time appointment (¶ 421(1))?**

Burris, Joseph Glenn	Mitchell, John Franklin
Green, Richard Edward	O'Sullivan, Colleen
Hopkins, Raymond Thomas, III	Radway, George Harrington
Jones, James B.	Walters, Marlene L.
Martin, Louis Arthur	McIntyre, Ralph Benjamin, Sr.

26. **Who have been admitted from other Christian denominations (¶ 426.2-.3)?**

a) **As Associate Members (¶ 426.2)?** none

b) **As Probationary Members (¶ 426.2-.3)?** none

27. **Who are elected as ministerial Members in Full Connection (¶ 421)?**

Crossan, Samuel Willard, III	Matthews, Gonzalee
Foard, Lloyd Rowland	Rash, Richard Cartwright
Greer, Hervey Ward	Twilley, Floyd Albert, Jr.
Hall, Robert Paul	Valentine, Kenneth Steven
Hartman, James Lee	Walseman, Howard Gayland
Ledbetter, Pamela Gail	

28. **What Probationary Members, previously discontinued, are readmitted (¶ 441)?** none

29. **Who are readmitted: (¶ 436, 442-443)**

a) **As Associate Members?** none

b) **As Members in Full Connection?** none

30. **What retired members have been made effective:**

a) **As Associate Members?** none

b) **As Members in Full Connection?** none

31. **Who have been received by transfer (¶ 515.5, 731.2h)?**

Name	Conference	Date
Bryan, John L.	New Hampshire	July 1, 1977
Jones, James B.	North Carolina	May 23, 1978
Mariotti, Dilio E.	Troy	August 1, 1977
Reynolds, Richard	New Hampshire	June 15, 1977

32. **Who are transferred in from other Methodist denominations (¶ 426.10)?** none

33. **Who have been elected and ordained deacons (¶ 449):**

a) **As Associate Members (¶ 449.1)?** none

b) **As Probationary Members (¶ 449.2)?**

Baker, Earle Noble	McCullough, Robert Albert, Jr.
Cheadle, Ronald Eugene, Jr.	Middlebrooks, Walter Edward
Downing, Charles Joel	Riddleberger, Robert
Gauger, John Martin Russell	Russell, Michaele Spitzer
Govatos, James Albert	Seymour, David Thornton
Lehman, Russell Lee	Simon, James Albert
Martin, Louis Arthur	Simpson, Robert Edward, Sr.

34. **Who have been elected and ordained elders (¶ 450):**

a) **As theological graduates (¶ 450.1)?**

Crossan, Samuel Willard, III	Matthews, Gonzalee
Foard, Lloyd Rowland	Rash, Richard Cartwright
Greer, Hervey Ward	Twilley, Floyd Albert, Jr.
Hall, Robert Paul	Valentine, Kenneth Steven

Hartman, James Lee — Walseman, Howard Gayland
Ledbetter, Pamela Gail

b) **As Probationary Members previously Associate Members (¶ 450.2)?** none

35. **What ministers, coming from other Christian denominations, have had their orders recognized (¶ 426.2):**
    a) **As deacons?** none
    b) **As elders?** none
36. **Who have been elected or ordained as a courtesy to other conferences?**
    a) **Elected:**
    As Associate Members? none
    As Probationary Members? none
    As Members in Full Connection? none
    b) **Ordained after election by this conference:**
    Deacons? none
    Elders? none
    c) **Ordained after election by other conferences:**
    Deacons? none
    Elders? none
37. **Who have been transferred out (¶ 515.5)?**

Name	Conference	Date
Green, Charles	Texas	January 1, 1978
Pittman, William	Louisiana	November 12, 1977
Reynolds, Richard	Troy	July 15, 1977

38. **Who are discontinued as Probationary Members (¶ 437)?**
Spicer, Linda Louise
39. **Who have been granted honorable location (¶ 435)?** none
40. **Who have had their conference membership terminated?**
    a) **By action of the Annual Conference (¶ 438)?** none
    b) **By surrender of the ministerial office (¶ 439.1)?**
    none
    c) **By withdrawal to unite with another denomination (¶ 439.2)?**
    Betters, Charles F.
    Pusey, Irvin R.
    Ringgold, John W
    Smith, Jack S.
    Walz, Charles W.
    d) **By withdrawal under complaints or charges (¶ 439.3, 2522)?** none
    e) **By judicial procedure (expelled) (¶ 2521)?** none
41. **Deceased**
    a) **What Associate Members have died during the year?**
    Effective:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death	Year received into Associate Membership
Calvin C. Byrd	5/10/26	8/ 8/77	1971

Retired: none
    b) **What Probationary Members have died during the year?** none
    c) **What Members in Full Connection have died during the year?**
    Effective: none
    Retired:

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death	Year received into Full Connection
Seldon G. Dix	1/24/94	1/10/78	1922
Guy E. Leister	11/24/86	11/17/77	1919
Paul E. Reynolds	3/7/89	3/ 3/78	1927
Joseph I. Williams		11/24/77	1945
Ray W. Kirwan	11/6/04	5/15/78	1933

    d) **What local pastors have died during the year?**

Name	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Charles H. Cottingham		
Milton R. Elliott	12/21/1895	11/18/77
Clarence E. Wilkins	9/ 9/92	10/ 5/77

42. **Who are the ministers on leave of absence and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation (¶ 433)?**
    Name and Number of Years
Arms, Ronald - Third
Medzarentz, Haig (Assoc. Member) - Second
Warner, Robert - Third
43. **Who are granted sabbatical leave (¶ 425)?** none
44. **What actions have been taken concerning disabled ordained ministers and local pastors (¶ 431)?**
    a) **What ordained ministers were granted disability leave since the last Annual Conference session (¶ 431.2)?** none
    b) **What ordained ministers have had their disability leave terminated since the last conference session (¶ 431.5)?**
    Wilkins, Samuel L.
    c) **What ordained ministers are granted disability leave at this session (¶ 431.1)?**
    Waters, Floyd E.
    d) **What local pastors have been recommended by the Joint Committee on Disability for disability benefits during the ensuing year?** none
45. **What members in Full Connection have been retired (¶ 434):**
    a) **This year?**
    William B. Bundick
    Omro M. Todd
    Joseph Tubbs
    b) **Previously?**

Howard Amoss	A. Chancy
F. B. Bailey	H. F. Chandler
H. A. Bailey	E. E. Coleman
H. N. Bailey	W. I. Collins
Walter L. Beckwith	H. H. Conner
E. L. Bennett	E. Crockett
F. G. Buckley	E. W. Cursey
H. T. Caldwell	L. R. Dennis
C. I. Carpenter	J. R. Diehl
W. L. Dixe	W. L. D. Lyght
W. S. Donoway	J. Robert Mackey
J. N. Link	John A. Massamilla
D. Littleton	J. E. McBride
E. Elliott	D. Milbury
Harvey B. Flater	R. L. Minker, Sr.
John E. French	H. N. Nicklas
C. D. Gerald	Herbert N. F. G. Nurse
George W. Goodley	J. O'Neill
J. O. Griffin	H. M. Parks
C. Harris	D. T. Pritchard
Charles B. Hart	C. L. Reiter
R. Hastings	D. Ridout
Edward J. Hemphill, Jr.	G. S. Ross

R. W. Hopkins
Richard C. Hubbard
C. Hustead
H. C. Jeffers
John Edward Jones
M. Kay
Milton H. Keene
C. E. Kincaid
George P. Kirk
K. H. Krams
William M. Tasco
R. L. Tawes
E. P. Thomas
P. Thomas
W. C. Thomas
C. Trader
Frederick H. Truitt
T. J. Turkington
Henry H. Schauer
E. Shield
John R. Shockley
A. M. B. Snapp
O. H. Spence
C. F. Spencer
Charles H. Squires
Ronald W. Starnes
A. W. Strickland
Charles E. Strickler, Jr.
Robert E. Van Cleaf
J. B. Vaughn
F. M. Volk
J. J. VonHagel
G. H. Wheatley
C. E. Wilcox
C. Willis
E. V. Wimberly

46. What Associate Members have been retired (¶ 434):

a) This year? none

b) Previously?

G. W. Bishop
Commander Bryant
J. Conway
J. C. Caulk
W. J. Garrett
H. N. Grattan
Thaddeus Hackett
J. J. Hilbert
W. J. Mills
Vinton D. Shufelt
G. Taylor

47. Who have been recognized as retired local pastors (¶ 410.3):

a) This year?

Mildred Elizabeth White

b) Previously?

W. Abbott
C. Fox
R. H. D. Hughes
O. O. James
G. Jones
M. C. Milliner
H. M. Ralph
M. Roberts
M. C. Smith
J. C. Steen
D. Thompson
A. A. Turkington
I. W. White
G. B. Wilson

48. a) What local pastors are granted pension credit on account of approved full-time service during the past year (¶ 1706.3b)?

Simon, James

b) What ministers of other Christian denominations, qualifying under the provisions of ¶ 426, are granted pension credit on account of approved full-time service during the past year (¶ 1706.3c)?

Cordella Brown
Joseph W. Williams, Jr.

c) What student local pastors are granted pension credit on account of approved service during the past year (¶ 1706)?

Austin Brittingham
Robert Brown
John Burbage
Dewey Crockett
Charles Downing
William Downing
Glenn Lyburn
Louis Martin
Robert Price
Robert Riddleberger
Robert Simpson
William Wallace

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

a) Elected as Associate Members? (23) — 0
b) Elected as Probationary Members? (24a,b,c) — 14
c) Admitted from other Christian denominations? (26a,b) — 0
d) Elected as Members in Full Connection? (27) — 11
e) Readmitted? (28, 29a,b) — 0
f) Retired made effective? (30a,b) — 0
g) Transferred in? (31, 32) — 4
h) Transferred out? (37) — 3
i) Discontinued as Probationary Members? (38) — 1
j) Honorably located? (39) — 0
k) Terminated by action of the Annual Conference? (40a) — 0
l) Withdrawn? (40b,c,d) — 5
m) Expelled? (40e) — 0
n) Deceased? (41,a,b,c) — 6

50. What is the number of:

a) Pastoral charges? — 227
b) Local churches? — 503

51. What is the number of ordained ministerial members of the Annual Conference? (NOTE: Where applicable, the question numbers on this report form corresponding to each category have been placed in parentheses following the category title. Where these question numbers appear, the number reported in that category should agree with the number of names listed in the corresponding questions.)

Categories	Members in Full Connection	Probationary Members	Associate Members
Pastors and District Superintendents	136	39	32
Appointments Beyond the Local Church: Within United Methodist Connectional Structures, Excluding District Superintendents (¶ 454.1a)	13	0	0
Appointments Beyond the Local Church: Extension Ministries (¶ 454.1b)	16	1	0
Appointments Beyond the Local Church: Other Valid Ministries (¶ 454.1c)	6	0	0
Appointments to Attend School (64d)	3	9	0
On Leave of Absence (42)	3	0	0
On Sabbatical Leave (43)	0	0	0
On Disability Leave (44c)	1	0	0

Retired (45, 46)	90	0	11
Total Number, Ministerial Members	268	49	43
Grand Total, All Conference Ministerial Members			360

52. **What is the number of:** (NOTE: The numbers reported below should be the same as the number of names listed in the question(s) indicated in parentheses following each category.)
    a) **Local pastors?** (21a, b, c, d, 44d, 47a, b) — 43
    b) **Ministers of other denominations approved for service as pastors of charges?** (22) — 3
    c) **Retired members of other conferences or other denominations serving as pastors of charges?** — 0

PART III DIACONAL MINISTERS

53. **Who are consecrated this year as diaconal ministers (¶ 305-306)?** none
54. **Who are reinstated as diaconal ministers (¶ 309.3)?** none
55. **Who are transferred in as diaconal ministers (¶ 309.1)?** none
56. **Who are transferred out as diaconal ministers (¶ 309.1)?** none
57. **Who have had their conference relationship as diaconal ministers terminated by Annual Conference action (¶ 309.2)?** none
58. **Who have taken the retired relationship to the Annual Conference as diaconal ministers (¶ 309.4):**
    a) **This year?** none
    b) **Previously?** none
59. **What diaconal ministers have died during the year?**
    a) **Effective:** none
    b) **Retired:** none

PART IV MINISTERIAL APPOINTMENTS AND CONCLUDING BUSINESS

60. **What other personal notations should be made?** none
61. **Where shall the next Conference Session be held?**
    Dover, Delaware
62. **What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference session?**
    See Appointment List
63. **Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year?** See Appointment List
64. **What ordained ministers are appointed beyond the local church for the ensuing year (¶ 454.):**
    See Appointment List
    a) **Within the connectional structures of United Methodism (¶ 454.1a)?**
    See Appointment List
    b) **To extension ministries (¶ 454.1b)?**
    See Appointment List
    c) **To other valid ministries under the provisions of ¶ 454.1c?**
    See Appointment List
    d) **To attend school (¶ 454.1c)?**
    Associate Members: See Appointment List
    Probationary Members: See Appointment List
    Members in Full Connection:
65. **Where are the diaconal ministers appointed for the ensuing year (¶ 308)?**
    See Appointment List

State Of The Church Address

Peninsula Conference

May 23, 1978
Dover, Delaware

"Grace to you and peace from God our Father and The Lord Jesus Christ."

These words are written as we are approaching the mid-point between the 1976 and the 1980 General Conferences. As a part of the whole People of God and as men and women of faith we may well affirm: "Hitherto the Lord has blessed us!" and then add in hope: "Why not, henceforth!" Our present obligation of faithful obedience, as always, finds its setting between the "already" and the "not yet," between gratitude and expectation. Just as all our beginnings and endings are In God, so our contemporary mission is as co-workers with God in the times and places in which we live.

The United Methodist Church is a part of a global fellowship. It encourages the welfare of all peoples; it acknowledges its kinship with all who bear the name of Christ; it finds itself a participant in a rich Wesleyan and reformed heritage. It understands itself as a connectional body, deriving great strength from its cohesiveness; but it sees the annual conference as its basic unit, with each local church, in turn, a community of believers related to every other local church. It is to our peril that we forget or neglect our peculiar heritage.

As heirs together with other Christians of the entire ministry of Christ, we have always encouraged a lively service of laywomen and laymen and see every member commissioned by baptism and confirmation to ministries of love and justice in Christ's name. Related to them are ordained pastors, called of God and set apart by the Holy Spirit for the specialized ministry of Word, Sacrament and Order and appointed to the congregations as itinerant ministers. We are an evangelical and evangelistic church, formed and informed by the Gospel, and under obligation to proclaim it, by deed and word for the transformation of persons and the renewal of society.

Insofar as the United States is concerned, it may be said that our church has "grown up with the republic." During the first two centuries of our national life, we have followed and served an ever-expanding population. Ours has been a frontier religion which has moved westward across the continent with each successive wave of settlers and immigrants. It has offered stability in the midst of transition and upheaval, a faith that God went before them and a hope for the future. The spirit of United Methodism has been characterized by a zeal for the salvation of sinners, the nurture and edification of believers, concern for society and compassion for the powerless, the oppressed, and the dispossessed.

This spirit has thrust United Methodism into the mainstream of American life. It became one of the largest Protestant denominations and the one most broadly dispersed throughout the country. Its ministry and outreach to each incoming wave of racial and ethnic groups, and its missionary thrust on six continents has established it as one of the most inclusive, diverse and global religious bodies on earth. In some countries it has been a part of a minority of free churches in a larger setting of a state church and as such a leavening influence. In other places it has been a part of an Evangelical witness amidst a predominantly Roman Catholic culture. In still others, especially in Asia and Africa, it has had a significant role in emerging new nations often amidst largely non-Christian environment.

Evangelistic outreach to the lost, support for believers, inclusiveness of all people, and compassion for the dispossessed continue as priorities in our denomination. In some countries our fellowship is still growing numerically. In the United States we have declined in numbers during recent years: a trend which must be reversed. At the same time it should be observed that there are some signs that we have grown in depth and awareness and commitment but we may not ignore objective realities. We dare not underestimate the

significance of the statistical decline in the United States which may be symptomatic of an underlying loss of identity and sense of relevant mission.

Reference should be made to the fact that at this annual conference three ministerial members are withdrawing from our ministry. Let me assure all concerned that they have not been driven from our midst. Indeed every Christian consideration and restraint has been exercised toward them and they have been urged "by repeated godly admonitions" not to go forward with their intentions. Since they have determined no longer to walk with us, we release them without rancor.

Moreover, some laypersons — in one instance a considerable number — have decided to withdraw from our fellowship. We do not believe such divisiveness is in accord with the Wesleyan, nor in fact the Christian, spirit. Our church is not perfect but it is a part of the Body of Christ. We believe it wiser both from the standpoint of democracy and the nature of Christian discipleship to strive for its correction from the inside. It must be pointed out that those who depart from us have no monopoly on truth and that some of the arguments stated for withdrawal are not in accord either with fact or Scripture. To hold, for instance, that women are not entitled to offices of leadership in the Church is to fly in the face of a great deal of biblical witness and centuries-old practice. (My own conviction)

We strongly affirm the laity in both of the congregations involved who have remained true to their Christian commitment as United Methodists. There is such a thing as an inviolate covenant and this is the very essence of Scriptural and spiritual religion. We believe that God will continue to bless the lives of these faithful ones and will prosper and restore these congregations.

In our further address of these matters we will turn to a view of our contemporary setting for mission; to the way we are organized to fulfill it and a brief survey of our present emphases. These should help us in an assessment of the demands that lie ahead of us as United Methodists and in an appraisal of our resources as, together with other Christians, we move into the future. Because our trust is in God we need not succumb to fear.

It is, of course, possible to discern an almost totally negative and discouraging trend in the contemporary world. Dismal prophets have always emphasized this. Witness the world-wide emergence of violence and terrorist groups; the domination of weaker nations by super-powers; the proliferation of nuclear weapons and the possibility of their use; the reliance upon armaments and militarism. (Today: World Disarmament Conf. — U.N.) $400 Bill. Note the scandalous waste of the resources of nature; the pollution of air and water; the disregard for future generations; the notorious over-consumption of oil and food by some and the hunger, poverty and deprivation of others; the global deterioration of human rights; the persistence of racism, ageism, classism and sexism; the erosion of confidence in institutions, public and private. Add to this the spiritual malaise, the cynicism, the skepticism which are the experiences of many; the loneliness, alienation, exploitation, manipulation and despair experienced by others. The list is long and the diagnosis dreary. All this causes Christians the deepest concern; it distorts our sense of values and blurs our vision of God. But it awakens also the well-springs of caring, and a universal cry for justice and peace and constructive change.

It is also possible to view the Church — the whole Church and our own denomination — with eyes of despair. In some lands it is sorely persecuted and its survival threatened. In other societies an effort is made to stifle and suffocate the church by ignoring it. In some instances acute secularism has taken over. In some places and in some ways it has simply refused to be the Body of Christ. It has failed to be truly inclusive; it has sought to save its own life in an illusory quest for safety and security; it has withdrawn within its own walls and settled for theological comfort or empty conservatism. It has turned to ancient heresies of gnosticism and docetism; or to a false pietism or an outmoded liberalism or regarded salvation as private and individual. It is troubled and torn by its unexamined and unacknowledged pluralism. Too often its witness has been blunted by a comfortable accommodation to its own cultural setting while its preoccupation with intramural concerns has thwarted its engagement with the needs of humanity at large. However penitent God's people ought to be and however grievous all this and much more are to its Lord, the Church

is nevertheless his Body; the world is still God's world. (**Browning**)

For this same world shows signs of awakening. On a global scale there is nowadays an explosion of awareness and a seeking after fulness of humanity. It may be observed everywhere: among the young, the students, among women, among the poor, the ethnic minorities. Throughout the Third World there is a reaching out for life. There is a universal search and longing for justice and equality, for meaning and community, for stability, for truth, for life itself. There is a newly emerging responsiveness and humaneness evident in many lands. For many these trends are not understood as religious at all, but it is the business of Christians to see in all these longings a basic longing for God. If people long for fuller life, this is precisely what Jesus came to bestow.

So it is that the Church is discovering that its contemporary setting is in reality one that is abundant in its promise as it is a great challenge and responsibility to the People of God. The time is now ripe for the recovery of vital and vibrant religion. Ours is indeed an age of faith and even credulity, but too often among our contemporaries this faith is directed to the outmoded and the absurd. It is indeed idolatrous. Now is the time for turning from idols to serve the living God.

There are now signs that the religious life is bubbling to the surface once more and the depth dimension of life is again revealing itself. A new authentic spirituality is beginning to stir in our midst. It would reach out to impact every part of life, would concern itself with every need, would care for all and would manifest itself in concrete social action and change. Moreover, the much-maligned Church has indeed been largely renewed in our time: with respect to its unity, its liturgy, its ministry and its mission. It is being judged by the severe Gospel of her Lord and revitalized once again by the power of the Holy Spirit. To fail to discern and acknowledge these realities is to be unfaithful to the one who calls us and who in our day is asserting his Lordship over the Church and over the whole world.

We, as United Methodists, find ourselves in this setting under the banner of "Committed to Christ — Called to Change." We are all aware of the presumptuousness of such a battle-cry. We often resemble a disordered mob of camp-followers more than the army of the Lord. Nevertheless we confess that this is what we are summoned to be and to do. This is indeed both our true identity and our true responsibility.

Moreover, we have endeavored to marshal our energies and direct them toward three Missional Priorities; namely, Evangelism, World Hunger and the Development of Ethnic Minority Local Churches. There is, we believe, a unity among these three diverse goals. In genuinely addressing any one of them we are in fact encouraging the other two. The very fact of their being clearly defined and designated is a sign of our undertaking a new creative direction in accord with our identity and responsibility as Christians of the Wesleyan strain. These priorities represent a renewal of missional churchmanship, a recovery of vitality for the congregations and a new avenue of authentic engagement with the contemporary world.

There are some among us who seem eager to conclude — prematurely — that these pretentious goals of mission are a complete failure. Not so! Though they are far from being completely accomplished, none the less on each and on all of them a good beginning has been made. We simply declare that the evangelistic obligation of our church has not for decades been so thoroughly acknowledged nor so creatively addressed by so many of our people in so many ways. But this is so far **only a beginning** — a new and promising beginning. We exhort all our people, all our congregations, all our conference organizations to devote all possible energy and resources effectively to show and tell the good news.

Many of you will be aware that on each district pilot congregations are engaged in local church programs of evangelism and development. Wherever I have been involved in consultations to initiate such programs I have observed great interest and enthusiasm. If evangelism is not finally done locally it is not done at all. Ours is not a program imposed from afar. It has been generated by God's people as prompted by God's Spirit right here in the Washington Area. Beginning this fall we are inviting ten churches on each district to launch such programs and the following year every congregation will be so encouraged. It can be done. Evangelism can be made effective once again and decline in numbers and commitment can be reversed!

As for World Hunger, we know that people do not live by bread **alone**, but they do not live without bread. Together with other concerned people — within churches and without — we acknowledge our obligation to share in feeding the hungry wherever they are to be found, in our own communities and throughout the world. We are grateful that our people have been willing to share — some even fasting, according to ancient religious discipline — that the necessities of others may be served. We are grateful, too, that those who are charged with this specific ministry are approaching their work creatively and attacking hunger systemically and legislatively, as well as in giving bread to those who suffer the immediate pangs of hunger.

The United Methodist Church acknowledges that to be a church at all it must be an inclusive church. We confess, even in this very year — the tenth since the assassination of Martin Luther King, Jr. — how often and how sorely we have fallen short in this respect. We are at the same time aware of our unique situation among Protestant churches in the United States of America, gifted as we are with a very sizeable presence among our constituents of Black, Hispanic, Native American peoples, as well as persons of Asian ancestry. God has thus in our history made us inclusive. He calls us now to fulness of inclusiveness in every sense and this in behalf of the whole Church! One way to do this is to welcome the richness of our diversity and to encourage the development of the integrity of each part of our varied heritage. We believe that there has been an encouraging shift of our total resources to affect this end. (Black Coll. Fund - Balt. - Adv. Spec.) Participation in the varied funding for ethnic minorities is increasing. We are also being more sensitive to the fact that our church structures and agencies must be more truly representative in nature. This is happening in some degree and not every aspect of this shift can be registered statistically. From many parts of our denomination come encouraging reports of creative stirring and genuine development in ethnic congregations. The end is not yet!

For a long time we have been pre-occupied with the structure of the church at every level. Now is the time to put our energies into effective mission. Our people expect this of our boards and agencies. They are exhorted to ever fuller responsiveness to their critics and at the same time to be responsive to the compelling needs of people and of society as authentic issues address us today.

There are indeed compelling issues before us; some are new, some are newly accented. As children of the light we are called upon to discern them and not be outpaced by the children of this age. Our summons is still: "Do not be conformed to this world but be transformed" and then to transform society. Therefore we need to give our attention to the maintenance of freedom and continued resistance to excessive governmental control; to stand for human rights and human dignity everywhere; to strive for human development which leads toward fullness of life; to labor for tax reforms which will affect a more just distribution of the tax burden; to be concerned about the prisoner and equitable criminal justice; to minister more effectively to the aged; to be alert to the special needs of the farmer and rural peoples; to pursue mutual disarmament relentlessly, for nuclear weapons are in the final analysis obscene; to emphasize the recovery of meaningful family life; to encourage a simpler economic life style; to foster full employment; to strive for adequate medical care for all citizens; to foster constructive use of TV and other mass media; above all, to re-establish a spirituality which matches the time in which we live.

We are acutely aware that we do not walk alone. We are a part of The Church Universal and in all things we are called upon to display "a Catholic spirit." We will continue to join hands with others in the World Council of Churches, the National Council of Churches in the United States and elsewhere; in other councils at every level. We are encouraged by the fruits of our dialogue with the Roman Catholic Church.

We are particularly pleased at the emerging new relationship with our three sister churches: The African Methodist Episcopal Church, The African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, and The Christian Methodist Episcopal Church. We look hopefully to some joint celebration of our common heritage with these and other Wesleyan bodies in the Bi-Centennial of American Methodism in 1984.

We do, indeed, look forward to this celebration of two centuries of service as an organized

church in the United States. During this very year of our Lord, 1978, we are participating in the reopening of Old Otterbein Church in Baltimore and Wesley's City Road Chapel in London (Full Share). Grateful as we are for the past, our eyes are on the future — directed to a third century of service and directed also to Jesus, the Author and Finisher of our faith. We pledge our renewed faithfulness to him. Guided by the Triune God and possessed of the mind of Christ, alert to do his will as revealed in God's Word and as God's Word, and presented to us in the demands of history and the real needs of people we go ahead in faith and assurance. "The best of all is: God is with us!"

One more word: This spring marks the three hundredth anniversary of the publication of John Bunyan's **The Pilgrim's Progress.** Such an event should not pass unnoticed — either from a literary or evangelical standpoint. Why should we not all covenant together to read or re-read this book during the current year. Meanwhile, how fitting are the words to Bunyan's pilgrim hymn to our present situation: (Pluralized)

They who would valiant be
'Gainst all disaster,
Let them in constancy
Follow the Master.
There's no discouragement
Shall make them once relent
This first avowed intent
To be a pilgrim.

Who so beset them round
With dismal stories,
Do but themselves confound,
Their strength the more is.
No foes shall stay their might,
Though they with giants fight;
They will make good their right
To be a pilgrim.

Since, Lord, thou dost defend
Us with thy spirit,
We know we at the end
Shall life inherit.
Then fancies flee away!
We'll fear not what men say;
We'll labor night and day
To be a pilgrim.

James K. Mathews

C. Reports

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

Composite Report - 1978
Presented by William H. Revelle, Jr.

Bishop Mathews, Fellow members of the Peninsula Annual Conference:

The Ten Year Merger Report Revisited

Before the General Church priority to strengthen the ethnic minority churches, this annual conference went on record through its Council on Ministries to accomplish the task by securing a staff person to undergird the process of strengthening ethnic congregations to be in mission and ministry. Much has been accomplished and there is a great deal more to do. We would call to your attention once again the document entitled, "Ten Years Later, The Merger of The Delaware and Peninsula Conferences: An Evaluation in 1975". It is of utmost importance that every Conference Board and Agency, every Congregation and United Methodist, read and re-read the document. This report gives basic information for the development of creative programs to fulfill our missional priorities. In the chapter entitled, "Urgent Needs For The Annual Conference In The Next Few Years", we find the following observations:

"More Blacks than Whites urged an emphasis on better racial understanding.
More Blacks than Whites emphasized the need to strengthen small black churches.
More Blacks than Whites wanted to use conference resources to eradicate poverty and meet needs.
Whites tended to emphasize: Challenge for deeper Christian commitment, Evangelism, Stewardship education and help.
For ministers; Improve and strengthen communication was more important.
For laypeople: Ministry to youth was more important."

It would almost appear that we are existing on two parallel tracks without hope of merger. And yet there is hope. Through the General Church program of responding to the Hungers of Humankind, we have the opportunity to meet the urgent needs of our conference which includes the enhancement of a racially inclusive life-style at every level.

We have begun to move ahead. A selected Charge or Charges on each District duplicated the process, and program development style of the April 1977 Consultation on Ethnic Minority Local Churches. Five Charges on each District will be selected to begin the process during the coming year. The results of this endeavor have exceeded our expectations. However the need for Conference support is made painfully obvious. We must find a way to assist in the renovation of and the building of new parsonages. The problem of parsonages and their condition is related to the recruitment of ministerial leadership, who will be available to serve the total conference.

We commend the Board of Church and Society for their efforts to increase bi-racial activity and relationships throughout the Conference. It is noted that there is increased communication between black and white pastors and congregations in the local communities. We affirm the Wilmington District and especially United Methodist of New Castle County, Delaware for their commitment to support peaceful desegregation of public schools in September 1978.

We must remind the Annual Conference that we are committed to the appointment of pastors without regard to race or sex and urge each Pastor-Parish relations committee to begin to work with local congregations as to the reality of this fact. The Agencies of this Annual Conference are called upon to review their Affirmative Action personnel policies as they relate to the hiring of minorities in administrative roles.

Clergy-Charge Relationships

The District Superintendents wish to acknowledge and express appreciation for the magnanimous way in which some Pastor-parish committees have cared for their pastors in time of crisis. A pastor is a member of the Annual Conference, not the local church. However, when a pastor becomes incapacitated for a period of time, the Annual Conference has always depended upon the local church to absorb any additional expenses of operating the church during a pastor's recovery period. The response of the charges of this Conference who have been faced with such crisis is nothing less than tender loving care.

A major function of the Pastor-parish Committee is that of communication and interpretation. The discipline instructs that the Pastor-parish relations committee is to "confer and counsel with the minister and staff in making an effective ministry by being available for counsel, keeping the minister and staff advised concerning conditions within the congregation as they affect relations between the minister/staff and the people, and continually interpreting to the people the nature and function of the ministry. (Par. 260.2.d.1)"

This statement puts the work of the committee in a positive framework. That framework requires an open, sharing, trusting, supportive relationship between clergy and committee. When this is done as a basic way of official life within a congregation, the seeds of many debilitating attitudes and behaviors do not have a chance to be planted, let alone grow and flourish. We commend to every Pastor-parish committee the booklet entitled, "Guidelines for the Committee on Pastor-parish Relations", published last year. Your superintendent stands ready to help your committee develop its functioning along these guidelines.

We would call your attention to the impact of increased social security requirements upon the clergy. A clergyperson is considered self-employed by the Federal government for Social Security purposes, and therefore must pay this tax at the higher rate of the self-employed, rather than at the rate of an employee.

Furthermore, the clergy must pay the full amount. No one can pay it for the clergy. The charge could, however, make a contribution to this cost, which the clergy would then report as taxable income. We hope that the conference will adopt the resolution of the ad hoc committee and that churches will, this year, respond with affirmative action.

Evangelism And New Church Development

New interest in and concern for evangelism is increasingly evident throughout the Annual Conference. Sparked by the Missional Priority on Evangelism, the Holy Spirit seems to be stirring congregations to express this concern in many different and unique ways. We rejoice that many congregations are discovering anew the implications of Jesus' command to "go and make disciples of all people". The booklets "Showing and Telling the Good News" and "Ethnic Minority Local Church Development" are being translated into action programs in two congregations on each District, one white and one black, and that number will greatly increase this Fall. Local church programs in evangelism come in a variety of shapes all the way from strong participation in a city-wide mass evangelism effort such as the Bill Glass Crusade in Wilmington to the program of Relational Visitation in the local community. But whatever the shape, we are learning the true Biblical evangelism must be wholistic if it really conveys "the Good News", for the Gospel must not only be spoken but also demonstrated in acts of caring for people who hurt and who have physical as well as emotional and spiritual need. We have a long way to go, but we report that many congregations of the Peninsula Conference are intentionally starting to move out toward that goal of every local church becoming a functioning center of evangelism by 1980.

"Church Growth" is a comparatively new phrase in the literature of evangelism, but materials published by the Church Growth Institute and by our own Board of Discipleship are reminding us of the Biblical truth that God wills His Church to grow in every place - spiritually, numerically, and in outreach through service. The hinderances to growth are mostly in our own negative attitudes and in our limited vision of need. Dr. Donald McGavran suggests that we need to pray for "Church Growth Eyes" to behold the harvest fields ripe with possibilities all around us. Then we can move out creatively to do what God

wants done in both "Telling and Showing the Good News" which brings hope and healing to persons and which always has the by-product of true church growth.

The development of new congregations is a basic part of church growth evangelism, too long neglected by our denomination. We are pleased to report that at this session of our Peninsula Conference, a pastor will be appointed to the development of a new church in the Long Neck area of Sussex County, the first new congregation to be constituted by Peninsula Methodists in 13 years. This step is an outgrowth of a summer ministry initiated by the Grace United Methodist Church of Millsboro and will serve the rapidly growing number of permanent residents moving into the area as well as the vacationers. An ecumenically conducted survey of the area confirms the need for a new congregation, and we commend the people of Grace Church and their pastor, William Hudson, for this fine evangelistic effort in helping to form a new church. This pattern of concern, expressed by this congregation reaching out to serve people in a growing area nearby, in cooperation with the District Superintendent, until a new church is constituted might well become a model for other locations in our Del-Mar Peninsula.

A second "new church" development is anticipated on the Wilmington District when Union Church relocates from the inner city to somewhere in the corridor between I-95 and U. S. Route 40 near Black Cat. After this congregation, with assistance from some neighboring churches surveyed 1,200 homes, it became evident that such a church in that area is needed. Other sites for new congregations are being considered elsewhere, but the development of new churches requires a serious commitment to funding and other kinds of assistance from the churches of the Conference. Financial support for church extension must once again become part of our program in the years just ahead.

The Church And Controversy

From the time a person, some historians have described as an ignorant savage, first prostrated himself before a pile of stones to the present when we gather in them, humankind has been on an indefatigable and everlasting quest to know God. On those occasions when the mystery has been revealed to us, being gregarious by nature, we have felt a compulsion to share our insights. In every conversation and relationship there is always the possibility of controversy.

Controversy is defined as "the discussion of a question in which opposing opinions differ or clash; a debate; or a dispute". Protest is closely allied with controversy, but it must be remembered that this verb is defined as "to affirm positively or to assert". With these two words in mind, it can be stated that there is room in the church for people with a wide array of positions on matters of policy, program, process, and practice, although our profession that God is, and is revealed by Jesus Christ is incontrovertible.

Within the United Methodist Church there is room for relationship and conversation at all structural levels, for confirmation and/or conversion. The purpose of the local congregation is to embrace people in faith and fellowship, while nurturing the intellect and encouraging Christian service to all. Here, there are disciplinary provisions to guarantee that each member can be heard and his concerns and/or convictions considered and evaluated. The actions of task forces, committees, boards, and agencies are all subject to review and adoption or rejection by a larger body.

Beyond the local congregation, the various levels of the denomination are composed of clergy and lay members from local congregations whose actions are open and subject to rejection or ratification by the body of the whole. As it should be, all actions are determined by majority vote.

Majority vote leaves a person and the group he represents suspended between rigidity and fluidity. There is, and should be, a tension between the two, but this tension is viable. That is to say this tension can produce growth and strength and benefit.

Man rigidly denying the rights of another creates a new serfdom as unbearable and horizon denying as that sought by Nazism a little over a generation ago, or that experienced by some in this country a little over a century ago.

Fluidity is not vacuity, nor does the church simply drool and drift. Fluidity is the ability to flow, to move, to change shape without separating when under pressure. In any tension or struggle there are casualties. This is the price of serious struggle, whether that struggle be secular or spiritual. In debate there always lurks the danger of debilitating division. The day we become unable to debate or dialogue in love with persons of differing persuasions is the day our discourse ceases to reflect the example of our Lord.

Today, let it be affirmed that we trust the Lord to be Lord, and to refine His church. Let it be affirmed that we seek to be one with the Lord in praise and practice.

Edwin C. Thomas, Jr.
William Hemphill

Felton E. May, Secretary
William H. Revelle, Jr. Dean

a. District Superintendents

SUPERINTENDENTS' REPORTS

DOVER DISTRICT

William H. Revelle, Jr., Superintendent

No one person makes a church, nor does any one church or person make a district. Because of the investment of so many of you on the Dover District, we can come to this annual accounting of our stewardship with a feeling of accomplishment. We know that our district is more than just a district - it is a family. Because all, clergy and congregant alike, have worked hard, struggled against great odds, and loved sincerely, I must express great appreciation for what has happened each to the other, all of you to Carolyn and me, and us to the world and its needs.

Whether Carolyn and I are entertaining the clergy families at a picnic, visiting in your homes, or presiding at official events, our first desire is that you know we are interested in each of you, that your joys are ours vicariously, and that we also share your griefs. We want it to continue to be known that we want to be a part of your experiences insofar as you will include us.

The circle of our associations has been broken by the inexorable march of time in several families. The Reverend Calvin C. Byrd, who was in the active ministry, met a tragic death early in the year. Those who died after having been previously retired were the Reverends Clarence E. Wilkins, Guy E. Leister, Milton R. Elliott, Seldon G. Dix, and Ray W. Kirwan. Mrs. Bessie B. Hanby, widow of the Reverend Jacob C. Hanby, also died this year. We are grateful for the examples of lives well lived in faithfulness and service, and pray God's continuing presence with the families as life continues for them.

The Reverend William B. Bundick, having served effectively and well in the parish and as a part of conference boards and agencies, will retire at this session. Our prayers and wishes for a happy time ahead go with Bill and Mary.

Homes have been established and families enlarged during this year. The Reverend Robert P. Hall and Diane Olin became husband and wife, as did the Reverend Richard C. Rash and Carol Reed, and the Reverend Theodore D. Higby and Alice Ketterman. Natalie Ann joined the home of Don and Betty Ann Clendaniel. May the unfolding years be good to you all, and may each of you be good for the same years.

The physical aspect of several charges has altered or is in the process of change. Camden Whatcoat is starting a new educational building, and likewise Frederica, Seaford Reliance, and churches on the Milton Nassau charges. The Seaford Charge has just completed a new parsonage which will be occupied for the first time this coming year. Also Laurel Delmar has a new parsonage ready for first occupancy.

Let it be noted that of his own free will and accord, the Reverend Charles W. Walz has decided to discontinue his ministerial relationship with the Peninsula Annual Conference. May God sustain him and his family in these difficult days. Let it be strongly affirmed that the church is alive and will continue to grow at the Seaford Reliance Charge, and a pastoral assignment will be made there. May the members of this church be supportive of each other, aware of God's presence, and susceptible to His direction.

Futures are always with us. The most imperative future to which we must immediately look is the establishment of a congregation in the Long Neck area near Millsboro. A pastor will be appointed here this year and a church will emerge. With population growing in this whole region, we will shortly need to consider the establishment of still another congregation in the Fenwick Island region, perhaps at St. Matthews By The Sea.

The Dover District has 54 charges served by 58 clergy in the effective relationship. There are 114 churches with 23,344 persons in their membership. Think for just a moment of the impact we who are a part of this district ought to be making. Then rise, go, be, become.

GOD BLESS!

EASTON DISTRICT

Felton E. May, District Superintendent

I. The General Ministry of All Believers:

Par. 106. "The people of God are the Church made visible in the world. It is they who must convince the world of the reality of the gospel or leave it unconvinced. There can be no evasion or delegation of this responsibility; the Church is either faithful as a witnessing and serving community, or it loses its vitality and its impact on an unbelieving world." (**The Book of Discipline**, of the United Methodist Church, 1976.) United Methodists, within the bounds of the Easton District, responded to the above statement at each Charge Conference with vigor. The ministry of the District is creative and forceful. Each pastoral charge has established goals for the task of developmental evangelism related to the whole person within the context of community. Pastors and laity have strengthened their working relationships as they seek to engage the programatic thrust of the Missional Priorities.

The following Pastors and their congregations are to be commended for their willingness to participate in workshops related to "Evangelism: Showing and Telling the Good News"; and "Ethnic Minority Local Church Development":

Reverend Gary Trail, Unity/Washington and Wesley United Methodist Church
Reverend George Commodore, Waugh United Methodist Church
Reverend Gonzalee Matthews, Asbury United Methodist Church

Special note is also taken of the fact that the following charges engaged in a special workshop on Stewardship utilizing General Church Staff as resource persons. The charges and pastors are:

Reverend Hervey Greer, Church Hill-Burrsville Charge
Reverend Cordella Brown, Still Pond-Coleman Charge
Reverend Joseph Williams, Chestertown-Pomona Charge

The above pastors have been designated as a "Probe staff" which is defined in Para. 206.3(7) of the **Book of Discipline** "as staff composed of ministers and other staff assigned to a geographical region to explore possibilities for cooperation and developing strategy for improved ministry to persons."

We salute the Reverend Harold Davis, Reverend Gary Tulak and the members of St. Mark's United Methodist, Easton, for going the second mile with their ministry to the aged by breaking ground to build an additional thirty plus housing units to care for senior citizens.

There are numerous projects developing across the districts, therefore deep appreciation is extended everyone for engaging the community in the name of Jesus the Christ.

II. Interim Appointments:

Reverend and Mrs. Commander Bryant, Church Creek-John Wesley
Reverend and Mrs. D'Arcy Littleton, Church Hill, Price
Reverend and Mrs. John Zampier, Neavitt-Bozman
Reverend and Mrs. J. Arthur Mott, Preston Charge

III. Deaths:

We record with sorrow the death of our brother in Christ:
Joseph I. Williams (retired) who served with distinction the John Wesley Church at Church Creek

IV. Births:

A daughter, Lynne Marie, born to Reverend and Mrs. John Van Tine
A son, Jonathan Wesley, born to Reverend and Mrs. Dale Vroman

V. Ministers and Mates:

The success of this organization is due in large measure to the leadership of Olivia Wimbrow, Roland Dennis, and their Executive Committees. Their program of intentional fellowship and study was highlighted by Friday evening cluster parties, a workshop conducted by Dr. Thibor Chikes of Wesley Seminary and a luncheon for retired pastors, their spouses and widows hosted by Pat Behm and her committee.

VI. The Laity

The leadership of the District related to the District Committee on the Laity is fortunate to

have J. Francis Turpin and Mrs. Lillian Liener at the helm. The Laity Banquet, Lenten Communion Breakfasts, the Lay Speakers Classes, United Methodist Women's meetings and workshops, has strengthened the fellowship among the laity and set goals for the mission of the district.

The Lay Speakers Course was outstanding because of the tremendous input by clergy and lay teaching personnel. This year we are pleased to recommend 185 lay speakers who have completed the Beginners and/or Advance Courses which have been newly designed. From this tremendous outpouring of enthusiasm a district committee on Lay Speaking has been initiated.

VII. Special Commendations

We must once again express deep appreciation for the work of our Bishop and his wife. The people of the Easton District are indebted to his leadership and wisdom and commitment to the national church priorities of evangelism and the Ethnic Minority Local Church. As I come to the end of three years on the District I want to personally express sincere gratitude to God for the tireless work of the clergy and laity. Your response to the World Service and Conference Benevolences is second to none. There are areas of concern that need our prayerful attention such as the building of parsonages, the development of larger parishes, increased fellowship across racial boundaries and the joyous expectation of receiving a pastor regardless of race or sex. We are called to proclaim that we are the people of God and that we have a ministry to fulfill.

SALISBURY DISTRICT

Edwin C. Thomas, Jr., District Superintendent

The members of the ordained ministry and the members of the general ministry of the Salisbury District have so cooperated together in the pursuit of faithful Christian worship and service, that the ministry of all Christians has been effective and one which we feel has been blessed by God this past year.

Here follows only a few of the significant happenings during the year.

I. Group Charge Conferences were held on three Sunday evenings at:

Bethesda Church, Salisbury
Stevenson Church, Berlin
Antioch Church, Princess Anne

The theme was "Specifying Mission Objectives". Dr. Bruce Cooke and Rev. Howard Gordy dealt with the new candidacy program for the ordained ministry, Rev. Otho Brewer presented the new method of apportionment, the Superintendent presented Missional Priorities, and all reviewed the film, "How Good Life Can Be".

II. Appointment changes during the year saw S. Wilfred Hodge appointed to Upper Hill and Jack Smith withdraw from the United Methodist ministry, ending his pastorate at Salisbury: St. Andrews.

III. Deaths:

A service of celebration and Thanksgiving to God for his beautiful gift to us of the life of Cora Frye was held at Salisbury: Asbury.

IV. Births:

Kenneth Darrell, Rev. & Mrs. Vaughn Johnson 8/8/77
Andrew John Kelly, Rev. & Mrs. Gary Moore 9/4/77
Genevieve Kathryn, Rev. & Mrs. John Brittain 4/16/78
Jennifer Joy, Rev. & Mrs. Alfred Taylor 4/19/78
Carla Ruth, Rev. & Mrs. Floyd Twilley 5/15/78

V. Marriages:

Rev. John Mitchell and Nancy Kay Cooper were united in Holy Matrimony 8/13/77. The next week, 8/21/77, Rev. James Hartman and Nancy Battles Albrecht were married.

VI. Charge Alignments:

The following are Limited Service Churches:
St. Peters Immanuel, Crisfield Charge Conference 1/1/73
Hopewell, Upper Hill Charge Conference, 1/1/74

White Haven, Quantico-Rockawalkin Charge Conference, 1/1/75
Mt. Zion, Powellville Charge Conference, 1/1/77
Phoenix, Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant-Quindocqua Charge Conference, 5/26/78

The Marion Station Charge is phased out by Phoenix becoming Limited Service, the membership is transferred to Quindocqua Church, which is aligned with Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant 5/26/78.

VII. Property

Two new parsonages have been built. The Salisbury Quantico Charge have had a dream of long standing fulfilled, a lovely new parsonage. Under the leadership of the Rev. Edward Lee and the deep commitment of the congregations it has been achieved.

Delmar Melson Church became a station in the fall of 1976. Shouldering the responsibilities of that status, this congregation were able to move their new pastor, The Rev. John Burbage into a newly constructed parsonage last June. Congratulations.

We also applaud the congregation of John Wesley Church, Tyaskin Charge and the pastor, The Rev. Clarence Handy, on the fulfillment experienced in the consecration of their new Fellowship Hall.

VIII. Clergy-Charge Support

Appreciation expressed in the District Superintendent's composite report to the churches supporting clergy during illness and crisis is here expressed specifically in terms of the Salisbury District to: Princess Anne - Antioch Charge in their support of Rev. William Archer during serious surgery; to Newark Charge for its support of the Rev. Lloyd Foard; to Tyaskin Charge for surrounding the Rev. Clarence Handy with love; to the Salisbury Christ Charge in its current undergirding of Rev. George Stellges. A blessing upon Salisbury; St. Andrews, for their support of the United Methodist system and of each other in managing and carrying on full responsibilities in the interim absence of an appointed pastor.

IX. Confession

We have yet to deepen our evangelizing skills and commitment; to face up to our continuing systemic racism; to make our witness more effective in the complex concerns of our society; to become better stewards of our personal and public resources.

X. Affirmation

We have and are meeting the challenge of apportionments, pension crusade, and increased giving beyond these basics. We are learning and trying to develop effective means to "preach Christ and him crucified" to our day. Allen Charge and Princess Anne: Metropolitan, under the leadership of Rev. Curtis Smith and Rev. Vaughn Johnson are the first churches to lead the way in our Evangelism development and Ethnic Church Development Programs. We believe that God is using us even in our imperfect commitment.

XI. Appreciation

To Mr. Oris Horsey for his work as District Lay Leader; to Mrs. Marion Ward for her expert leadership of the United Methodist Women; to Dr. Joseph Bostic for his guidance of the Ministers and to Mrs. Madelyn Green for her guidance of the Mates; to Bishop James K. Mathews and Mrs. Eunice Mathews for their concern and support, to the clergy and laity of the district for the warmth of their reception and the gracious acceptance of leadership; to God for all these things and for allowing me a sense of His presence and His guidance and above all for his gift of Betty which is the icing on the cake.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

William Hemphill, Jr., District Superintendent

The words of Bishop Mathews spoken about one year ago as he described the work of the District Superintendent, still ring in my ears: "In this job you will often be weary, sometimes totally exhausted, but you will never be bored". In this report of my first year's service on the District, I affirm that he was right in both parts of his statement. Never have I been faced with so many concerns and so many possibilities as I have in these twelve months past. Although frustration over hopes and goals not realized is sometimes high, I am

grateful to be a part of the many creative and interesting things that are happening throughout the District.

Clergy Changes since last Conference:

John L. Bryan, to Ezion-Mt. Carmel, July 1.
Dilio E. Mariotti to Colora-Hopewell, August 1.
Paton M. Zimmerman to Port Deposit, August 1.
Charles Greene transferred to Houston, Texas, January 1, 1978.
Harvey Manchester, Jr. to St. Paul's, Wilmington, Associate, January 1, 1978.
Greg W. Hill to the Chaplaincy, U. S. Army.
David Weber to Regional Director, National Conference of Christians and Jews, Buffalo, New York.
Harvey Chase was appointed to Brandywine-Trinity in addition to Harrison Street Church, January 1, 1978.

New Family Additions:

Harold and Cherie Owens and their family were blessed by the addition of a son, Luke Eston, born December 12, 1977.

Jonathan and Donna Baker also were blessed by a son, Matthew Todd, born September 21, 1977.

Highlights of the Year:

The new Mt. Pleasant Church sanctuary was completed and formally consecrated in the Fall of 1977. Mt. Joy finally completed the legal details of renovation work on their sanctuary and celebrated with a consecration service in April.

Fifty-three Charge Conferences were held throughout the District in the Fall, stressing the Missional Priorities, and affording the new Superintendent an opportunity to meet the lay officials of our churches.

The Harrison Street Church completed 89 years of service in the city of Wilmington with a final worship service on Sunday, May 21, celebrating all that God has been doing through that congregation. Recognizing its inability to continue as a viable church in that changed community, the members are requesting that the church be discontinued at this session of the Annual Conference.

After more than two years of study and discussion about the future of Union Church, the responsible agencies of the Conference and the District have approved the relocation of this congregation to the rapidly growing area Southwest of the city. This congregation organized and conducted a religious census of 1,200 homes in this area which indicates the need for a new congregation of a major Protestant denomination. Ecumenical conversations have been conducted regarding this move and informal agreement has been given for this new congregation to be United Methodist. The Rev. Charles Covington is to be commended for his leadership in this, and for the outstanding demographic study made of the upper part of New Castle County.

The most distressing event occurring this year has been the split which occurred in the Red Lion United Methodist Church, stemming largely from the issue of property ownership and control. After many months of discussion, both pastors announced their decision to voluntarily withdraw from the United Methodist Church to form an independent church. Approximately 80% of the congregation have decided to follow suit. The faithful remnant will begin again with new pastoral leadership next Sunday, to continue the ministry of witness and service to that growing community which began 159 years ago. There is much misunderstanding about the "Trust Clause" required in all property acquired by a United Methodist Congregation, but the fact that all of the property of the Red Lion Church must be left for the continuing congregation illustrates how the Trust Clause protects the interest of the loyal members. It never is used to interfer with the program of the local congregation, but is only exercised by the denomination when there are no local members willing to be responsible for the property. It ought to be remembered that our connectional system with its itinerant ministry has been held together, in part, by this concept that all property is held in trust for the whole church to be used and controlled locally by the members in each given

place. This principle has been in our policy for nearly 200 years, tested in many conflicts, and proven to be a stablizing force in the ongoing of God's work.

School desegregation under a county-wide school district has been a major concern of our Delaware congregations for three years. Although there are sharply differing reactions to the recent court order among our Methodist people, there is a strong feeling that we must all work to assure that the implementation of that order is peaceful, and that our children are allowed to get on with the task of education in the best circumstances possible. To that end, our Wilmington and suburban pastors have dedicated a great deal of time in workshops with educators, other clergy, and police to develop strategies of crisis intervention and positive influence so that the risk of violence growing out of an incident will be minimized. I am very proud of the commitment of our pastors to this major social concern, and I believe that the desegregation of our schools will be done peacefully.

The Methodist Action Program continues to sensitize our congregations about human needs, physical and spiritual, both to mobilize our efforts on behalf of the victims of economic and social injustice and to oppose such social ills as Jai Lai gambling. Under the leadership of James Young, MAP is an active force in shaping urban church strategy and developing new ecumenical ministries. Of immediate concern is the planning for and implementation of a cooperative Hispanic Ministries to form a Protestant congregation to serve the 10,000 Hispanic persons now living in and around Wilmington.

Evangelism is becoming a real priority in many congregations. Relational evangelism is being used in several places. The New World Mission held a few weeks ago at Peniel Church, Newport, and participation in the Bill Glass Crusade by several congregations last week are valid efforts in mass evangelism. New efforts in both "telling and showing the Good News" are being implemented because there is renewed interest in winning persons to Christ and His Kingdom. Asbury Church, New Castle, and Coleman Memorial Church are the two congregations leading the way in the use of the strategy booklets on Evangelism and Ethnic Minority Local Church Development.

Conclusion:

Throughout this past year, I have felt strengthened by the prayers and encouragement of both laity and clergy throughout the whole district. The warm greetings extended to Sarah and me at the reception held in the Newark Church last summer, and the inspiration of the formal Installation Service held at Grace Church in October enabled us to feel accepted, challenged, and undergirded.

The future is bright with possibilities of growth for every church on the District, and I rejoice in the earnest efforts being made to reach out to touch the lives of people beyond the church walls. To be able to share in this work before us is a privilege for which I am grateful. Thanks be to God for his call to mission, for the joy that comes as the people of God work together. And praise be to Him for the wise counsel and spiritual leadership of our Bishop, and for the strengthening support and guidance of my colleagues on the Cabinet through whom the Holy Spirit has ministered to my needs again and again.

b. Boards, Commissions and Committees

Section I

Conference Council On Ministries

Introductory Statement

The nature of the role of the Conference Council on Ministries can be seen from several angles:

I. The Council is the forum of the Conference at large. It is not to be seen as a body that determines objectives and sends them to the local church (appearing in a superstructure role), but rather the place "where the church comes into a real sense of mission." The Council is composed of the elected leadership of the Conference Boards, Divisions, Commissions and Committees as well as elected members. It has direct contact through these persons to hundreds of members of these groups. Through the Board of Laity, for example, the council ultimately has a direct line to each local church, as it does through the United Methodist Women, and through the Youth Council representatives. It should not be difficult for concerned persons to be heard with so many channels available to them; it is the responsibility of the Conference Council on Ministries to keep these channels open and to be actually listening to what is being said.

II. The Council has a direct relationship to the General Church; we are not in an isolated position, but are tied into the United Methodist Church as it exists all over the world. We are part of a connectional church; both our strength and objectives are related to that fact; as is the case in the Conference-local church relationships, so we have a direct input into the actions of the General Conference through our elected representatives.

III. The Conference Council on Ministries has another responsibility. Its action is not determined merely by consensus, what is fed into it from all of the local churches, boards, divisions, commissions and committees of the Conference or the General Church. The Conference Council on Ministries also has the responsibility to study the needs of the Church and to challenge the Annual Conference to be in mission. It has the responsibility of studying and recommending Conference priorities in addition to cooperating with the missional priorities of the General Church; it has the obligation to study and recommend possible action to the Annual Conference. It cannot abdicate its role as an initiator as well as being a "listener," "coordinator," and "implementer."

IV. The Council deals with the "bottom line." Our ultimate responsibility is to constantly evaluate the work of the Annual Conference and ask the question "Are people finding a meaningful and deepening relationship to Jesus Christ?" "Is He becoming Lord of their lives?" "Is that Lordship expressed in all of Life?" It is our primary priority and it is to that that we should address ourselves. This matter is constantly before the Conference Council on Ministries.

V. It is the responsibility of the Council to coordinate staff in order to provide for the implementing of the total program of the Annual Conference. It would seem appropriate at this time to express appreciation to those who do occupy the staff positions. They have a very difficult task. The opportunities and responsibilities can be very overwhelming. The potential is present for tremendous growth and impact. All of these persons are deeply dedicated to their tasks and are working long hours to try to fulfill them: Our Conference Council Director, The Rev. David W. Baker, Sr., and the Associate Directors, The Rev. Richard D. Bailey, The Rev. Nathanial L. Miller, The Rev. David Riffe, The Rev. John W. Simpers, Jr., and The Rev. Walter H. Stone.

We have enjoyed excellent attendance, participation and interaction at our council and executive committee meetings throughout the year.

One of our major responsibilities is the development of program and budget

recommendations. The Program/Budget committee was expanded this year to include representatives (without vote) from the Council on Finance and Administration in order to provide deeper understanding and continuity between these two groups in the process of eventually presenting the Annual Conference with its Program/Budget for 1979. A genuine vote of appreciation is extended to Alice Powrie and her committee who worked so long and sensitively on this very difficult task.

The Executive Committee and the Total Council have seen this year's Program/Budget as one of our deepest concerns. The matter of the size and deployment of staff to continue the present program commitments and also to comply with the Conference mandate concerning the emphasis on Evangelism and Youth Work have been seriously faced.

It should be noted that both the Executive Committee and the total Council have wrestled with the interrelatedness of the Program/Budget and income from the local Churches; the garment must be cut from the available fabric. It is a basic conviction of the Council that we reject the philosophy that we should continually absorb our Conference benevolences by adding additional staff persons. Already many of our Boards, Divisions, Commissions, and Committees are severely hampered by lack of funds to pursue program. The Program/Budget for 1979 recommended to the Council on Finance and Administration reflects this concern and was, after long debate and discussion, adopted unanimously by the Council.

I now turn to our Council Director to highlight the year and present Program Recommendations and Goals for 1979.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert P. Whitlock, President

Believing coordination and cooperation to be the key links in the chain with opportunity for total accomplishment, the Conf. Council on Ministries staff had monthly sessions; the Executive Committee and the Council at large met five times to initiate implementation of the various programs. The officers are: President, Robert P. Whitlock; Vice-President, W. Leon Taylor; Secretary, Virginia Clendaniel.

Positions filled early in the year were: Children's Coordinator - Jeanette Armour; Adult Coordinator - George C. Godfrey; Family Coordinator - Tom P. Donnachie, III. New persons added to Council during the year are: Charles E. Barton, Jr., as Vice-President of Board of Pension in place of Calvin Webster; George Stellges replacing John T. Randolph who resigned; Grover Johnson for Benjamin Waters; Marie Brown replacing Mary Frances Cooke as President of United Methodist Women and Jonathan E. Baker from Board of Church and Society replacing David F. Weber who moved away.

I. **MATTERS REFERRED BY ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

A. The establishment of a Peninsula Conference United Methodist Foundation, Inc. This was finalized early in the Conference Year with a slate of directors, selected by the Conference Committee on Nominations, to serve until the Conference session of 1978. Further information concerning its organization and activities is reported in this book.

B. The Committee to study Nominating Procedures consisting of William Hemphill, Jr., Clifford A. Armour, Jr., G. Wayne Cuff and W. Leon Taylor was approved by the Council at the June meeting. The report as approved by the Council is Recommendation A within this report. The Commission has some serious reservations about Items 10 and 11 under Section A of the Rules and Guidelines for the Conference Nominating Committee. However, at this time they do not recommend any changes. They urge that these be carefully observed as to their workability and fairness during the remainder of this quadrennium.

C. The two books "Showing and Telling" emphasizing Evangelism and "Ethnic Minority Local Church Development" containing the work of over two hundred laity and clergy of our conference are being implemented through the proper Divisions and Task Forces. We are pleased of the fact that they have been shared with other conferences assisting them as they plan ways to promote the Missional Priorities.

II. OTHER ACTIONS OF COUNCIL FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Executive Committee expressed grave concern about the problem of decreased attendance at Annual Conferences, as well as other matters regarding Annual Conference activities. In light of this concern, it was recommended by the Council that the Board of Laity, as part of its annual program for the coming year, consider providing some specific training opportunities for lay members to better understand and carry out their conference responsibilities.

The ad hoc committee (as specified in the resolution to follow) was created to prepare the plan for the promotion of the two Missional Priorities which the Peninsula Conference has endorsed and is promoting the raising of funds for same, during the remainder of this quadrennium. The program in its entirety comes under the caption "Hungers for Humankind" - Spiritual (Evangelism), Identity (Social), Physical (Hunger). The theme as presented by The General Church is "Committed to Christ - Called to Change." The plan of promotion is presented as Addendum A to this report and has been approved by the Council at large.

RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS the Missional Priorities Advance Specials need coordination in the education, programmatic and promotion area,

WHEREAS the Task Force on Ethnic Minorities Local Church and World Hunger are involved in the education and programmatic process by listing the needs, setting priorities,

WHEREAS the Education and Cultivation Committee of the Board of Global Ministries is given the responsibility of promoting Advance Specials,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Executive Committee of the Council on Ministries authorize the formation of a Steering Committee for the purpose of coordinating these two Missional Priorities, Ethnic Minority Local Church and World Hunger. This Committee will consist of the Chairpersons of each Task Force, a District Superintendent, Chairperson of Education and Cultivation Committee, a representative of Communications and the Council Director. The Executive Committee of the Council on Ministries is to receive a report of the Program and Methods of education and cultivation of the two priorities by our November meeting.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Committee of the Council on Ministries request the Conference Education and Cultivation Committee to assume their responsibilities in promoting the Missional Priorities.

Up to this point in time the two means used to implement our task have been the special offering on Thanksgiving Sunday and the Lenten "Fast a Meal a Week" program. What we are able to accomplish within our Conference in the years ahead will be determined by the way each local United Methodist assumes his or her responsibilities as an active believer and follower of our Lord.

Donzel Clayton Wildey, President of the Conference Board of Global Ministries, explained to the Council the program of the General Board of Global Ministries concerning a voluntary satisfaction of trust agreements and mortgages on local churches for the balance of the quadrennium as a 75¢ on every dollar with 50¢ returning to the local conference. The Council approved the implementation of this plan requesting that each local church be properly and carefully informed of the details. Monies derived from local church responses would be used in the area of Ethnic Minority Local Church Development.

The Council went on record re-affirming previous action to cooperate with the Baltimore Conference in hosting the 1984 General Conference in the City of Baltimore.

The Council heard the sincere plea from Wallace Watson, Director of Homes and Hospitals, for the need of a conference-wide support of the offering on Mother's Day. All monies received go directly to providing scholarship assistance for residents; all monies received in the name of this cause need to be remitted; and any local church (22% in 1977) not promoting this need in their congregations should certainly make special effort to respond.

The Council approved the motion from the Board of Laity which will include the names of

Lay Members to the Conference who have died during the past year. The names are to be included with the deceased Clergy and mates during the Eucharist Service at the opening session. The Conference Board of Laity will be responsible for gathering the needed information and forwarding it to the Conference Secretary promptly.

Some healthy discussion took place at the February meeting of the Council regarding the implementation of the mandate from the 1977 Conference Session (1977 Journal, Page 126, under Wednesday - May 25, 1977 - 2:00 P.M. session) to employ a staff person with specific responsibilities to Evangelism and Youth. The chairperson indicated that a sub-committee of the Executive Committee is already at work on the matter expecting to come up with a fitting job description, as well as the possibilities open to find the proper person to fit said description. The matter of recasting via redeployment is also under consideration, knowing the ultimate decision will be Conference Action.

Edwin Thomas, Superintendent of the Salisbury District, then submitted the resolution recorded as number B under Section III of this report.

Changes have occurred in the leadership of two Committees of the Council since Annual Conference. Ms. Jean Fleming was named Chairperson of Research and Planning; Gilbert S. Scarborough found it necessary to resign because of increased responsibilities in the educational field. George Commodore was appointed interim chairperson of the Task Force for Ethnic Minority Local Church, upon the untimely death of its chairperson Ms. Lowan Pitts. It should be noted here the Council's gratitude for the years of dedicated service and time devoted to "our church" by both these leaders.

The reports from certain committees and Task Forces directly amenable to the Council were prepared by the Chairpersons and/or Directors of said committees and are included elsewhere in the booklet rather than in this report; but should be viewed in the total program of the Council.

III. RECOMMENDATIONS

A. After examination of the "Rules and Guidelines for the Conference Nominating Committee" found on Pages 32-34 of the 1977 Journal, the Committee recommends the following changes:

1. Add a new paragraph which shall be number 6 under Section A and then renumber subsequent paragraphs. The new section A.6 shall quote the Discipline, Paragraph 705.4 which reads: "Insofar as possible, the membership on Councils, Boards, and agencies of the Annual Conference shall include one-third clergy, one-third laywomen and one-third laymen, in keeping with policies for general church agencies, except for the Board of the Ordained Ministry."

2. In the present #6 the words "active full-time" should be removed so that the first sentence in that item will read: "That ministerial membership on Annual Conference boards and agencies shall be limited to conference members and associate members of the Peninsula Annual Conference." To the last line of that same paragraph #6 should be added the words "without vote" so that the sentence will read: "The Conference Nominating Committee may select other persons as affiliate members without vote."

3. The present paragraph #7 should be replaced by the following: "In recognition of the Rights of the Aging" as stated in the Social Creed of the United Methodist Church (Page 92 of the Discipline), "age shall not be a barrier to service on any board, council, or agency of the Annual Conference. However, the Conference Nominating Committee shall give careful attention to assuring that younger members of the Conference are given full opportunity for service."

4. In addition to the present paragraph #8, the following sentence should be added: "Consideration shall be given to the inclusion of lay and clergy persons from small membership churches."

5. In paragraph #13 the words "and consent to serve" should be inserted after the word "notified" so that the entire sentence will read: "That in every case a nominee to any board, commission, or committee shall be notified and consent to serve before the name is placed before the Conference. When vacancies occur in report, nominations may be made from the floor, provided that the nominee is present and agrees to serve."

6. In paragraph #15, the word "two" be changed to "four," and "four" to "eight" so that it will read: "That, recognizing again the belief in the principle of rotation in order to involve greater leadership, all district committees and officers shall be elected to four-year terms with a maximum of eight years and persons shall be ineligible for re-election until after a four-year term has elapsed, with the exception of the District Committee of Ordained Ministry and the District Committee on Church Building and Location which shall serve a minimum of four years and a maximum of eight years."

7. Section B, Paragraph #2 should be changed to conform with Rule 21 of the Conference Rules of Order found on Page 408 of the 1977 Journal. This reads: "The Nominating Committee shall distribute mimeographed copies of its report to the Annual Conference on the day **before** the report is to be voted on by the Conference."

8. In the Miscellaneous section of Paragraph #1, remove the words "home administrators."

9. In the Miscellaneous section Paragraph #2, remove the word "ex officio," so that it will read "That two (2) high school youth (preferably 10th and 11th grades) shall be members of each of the following boards:. . ."

10. Item #3 under Miscellaneous should be removed since it pertains to appointments by the Council on Ministries and not to elections for which the Nominating Committee must supply nominees.

B. **RESOLVED:** The Conference Council on Ministries views the adding of a staff member to the Council on Ministries to be unwise and poor stewardship of the resources at our disposal. Therefore, we plan a re-casting (not just redeployment) of staff and staff job description to meet the mandate of the 1977 Annual Conference in reference to a staff person for Evangelism and Youth Work by Annual Conference 1979.

IV. **ADDENDUM**

A. A PLAN FOR THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE MISSIONAL PRIORITIES OF ETHNIC MINORITY LOCAL CHURCH AND WORLD HUNGER IN THE PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE DURING 1978-1980

Basic assumptions:

1. A priority is a program goal which takes a place of first importance;
2. A priority denotes a need that is basic or fundamental which the organization or institution considers worthy of its best efforts;
3. When a priority is declared it is assumed that the basic resources of the institution shall be used toward the accomplishment of those goals which have first, or prior, claim upon them.

The program suggested herein looks first to currently established program events and ongoing organizations as the basic media for communicating these concerns of world hunger and ethnic minority local churches. The design suggests basically that we clear the road to make room for what we have chosen to designate "priorities," and see what will happen when we devote to their achievement the whole and best efforts of regular programs and agencies.

In light of the "secondary" nature of Advance giving, these program suggestions shy away from a campaign involving quotas and pledges made by a certain date, etc. However, in light of the nature of a "priority" these are suggestions that lead us to permeating every aspect of the life of the church with the challenge and need for alleviating hunger and helping minority people. It suggests that we keep the General Conference goals before the people, do not speak of failure or "falling short," express gratitude for the opportunity of service and goals that are accepted; and that we do what we can.

The goal is seen as a constant one, and one that can be achieved at any time. For the Annual Conference the goal is advance special gifts to the Missional Priorities of the Ethnic Minority Local Church and World Hunger of $62,000 per year for the current quadrennium. For the local church this program suggests the goal of at least one advance special gift to each missional priority each year of the quadrennium.

This program tries to recognize needs to develop and influence attitudes, as well as to develop skills and disseminate information. It suggests that we try to reach people where they are and encourage them to set their own pace of growth. Basic to the design is the idea that information and planning are undergirded most meaningfully by commitments. Local creativity and initiative are encouraged that can lead to meaningful and dependable commitments to self-imposed goals.

There is the stress on opportunity rather than duty, and the development of a sense of gratitude for what can happen rather than a sense of failure for falling short of what is needed. Needs are always before us. It is suggested that a basic question might be: What does the present human situation allow us to do to show our love for God, and to witness to the power of Christ?

THE PROGRAM

February 12, 1978

WHAT:	—First Sunday of Lent
TO:	—Services of Worship in the local churches
	—Hold up one or both of the priorities as matters for prayer
	—Call attention to the program of the General Church and invite local members and groups to consider ways in which the local church and its groups might respond
LEADERSHIP:	—Local Pastors and officials
	—Annual Conference task groups provide resource materials

February-March 1978

WHAT:	—Lenten services of worship and fellowship theme—self-denial
	—Fasting one meal a week during Lent. All members of family participating. Contributing an amount of money (saved by fasting) to the Missional Priorities
	—District Lenten Communion Breakfasts
TO:	—Stimulate and increase a sensitivity to the needs for alleviating hunger and helping ethnic minority churches
LEADERSHIP:	—District Superintendents
	—Ministers and Laity responsible for breakfasts
	—Chairpersons of Missions, Church and Society along with pastor responsible to promote "Fast a Meal a Week Program." "Wraparounds" for contributions provided each pastor for Local Church (Conference staff produced)
	—An article regarding fasting by Dr. Laurence Stookey, Wesley Seminary

(Note: The above program was voted by the Council and has been, or is implemented.)

Winter-Spring-Summer-Fall

WHAT:	—Articles in COMMUNICATOR and Coordinated Mailing
	In each issue of the COMMUNICATOR a human interest story as to what is being done with the support of missional priority money. In each coordinated mailing some notes of creative programming on the part of local churches throughout the Annual Conference
	—Input from local churches as programs are developed and are successful
LEADERSHIP:	—Conference staff in coordination with Committee on Communications
WHAT:	—Annual Conference
	Around the theme "Caring for the Hungers of mankind" develop a program plan designed intentionally to emphasize

the priorities: opening worship, morning devotions, guest speakers; the lay banquet; special evening programs, and audio-visual presentations scheduled throughout

TO:
—Help Annual Conference members have the experience of the program as a total conference effort.
—Make public what accomplishments have been made
—Praise significant accomplishments and hold them up as example

LEADERSHIP:
—Annual Conference Planning Committee
—Annual Conference Task groups

July

WHAT:
—School of Christian mission
—Study courses
—Special sessions such as banquet with speaker
—Provide opportunity for study in depth of the issues and needs
—Train leadership for further Annual Conference education and promotion
—Exploration of program ideas for local church missions groups and women's groups
—A service of commitment

LEADERSHIP:
—School of Missions committee
—Annual Conference task groups

September

WHAT:
—Laity Retreat: "What Can a Great Church Do?"

TO:
—Help laymen explore the kinds of local programs that can be developed throughout the fall and winter
—Encourage local initiative and creativity
—Encourage commitments to specific goals self-chosen

LEADERSHIP:
—Board of Laity and retreat planning committee
—Task groups of the Annual Conference

WHAT:
—Charge Conferences
Discussions between the superintendents and local leaders

TO:
—Allow the superintendent to evaluate the understandings of the local leadership in his district
—Help each local church, and groups within it, to set goals (something for each priority for each church each year)

LEADERSHIP:
—District Superintendent and Local Minister

May, 1978-1980

TO:
—Help Annual Conference members have the experience of the program as a total conference effort
—Make public what accomplishments have been made
—Praise significant accomplishments and hold them up as examples

LEADERSHIP:
—Annual Conference Planning Committee
—Annual Conference task groups

WHAT:
—Annual Conference display area

TO:
—Provide a resource center for the distribution of materials and the education of conference members

LEADERSHIP:
—Committee on Education and Cultivation of the Board of Global Ministries
—The Annual Conference Task Groups

WHAT:
—Cokesbury book display include a special section on materials related to the priorities

TO:
—Make them available for purchase

LEADERSHIP:
—Cokesbury

PROGRAM SUGGESTIONS FOR LAST TWO YEARS IN THE QUADRENNIUM

Winter-Spring

January

WHAT:
—District Leadership Training Workshops

TO:
—Provide information to the following local leaders: Pastors, Lay Leaders, Chairpersons of Administrative Board, Councils on Ministries, Committees on Finance, and Missions, Social Concerns, Education, Stewardship and Religion and Race
—Explore possible local programs that will lead to the acceptance of Advance Special gifts

LEADERSHIP:
—From the Annual Conference Task Groups
—Allow one hour for the elementary needs for which these training enterprises were originated; and
—Call these particular leaders to one hour on the missional priorities

WHAT:
—Local church Lenten services

TO:
—Afford opportunities for the minister to discuss the issues with his people
—Arrive at some decisions as to how the local church can respond to the needs

LEADERSHIP:
—The pastor with his commissions and/or leadership in missions and social concerns

December 31
(or other appropriate date in Church Calendar 1978-80 — such as Thanksgiving Service)

WHAT:
—Worship Services

TO:
—Give thanks and make rededications

LEADERSHIP:
—Local pastors, and leaders in missions, social concerns and worship

V. PROPOSED PROGRAMS OF THE CONFERENCE COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES

According to the Discipline of the United Methodist Church the Conference Council has received a projected program for 1979 from each Board and Agency. The Council in turn presented the cooperative budget to the Council on Finance and Administration. This collective budget is submitted now to the Annual Conference for final disposition and approval.

The projected program of each Board and Agency is printed here in its initial presentation. Having had listening sessions with each group prior to the finalizing of the proposed budget, it is, I believe, understood that it will be necessary to re-prioritize said programs according to the Annual Conference action.

A. To be considered by Legislative Review Section I

I. **Council on Ministries**

a. **Committee on Camps and Retreat Centers**

1. Develop and cultivate new methods of funding for programs and capital improvements at Camp Pecometh and Drayton Manor.
2. Develop new strategies for public relations for both Camp Pecometh and Drayton Manor.
3. Plan for necessary physical changes so that Camp Pecometh will be available for the handicapped camper.
4. Attempt to develop mid-week retreat and renewal programs at Drayton Manor for clergy and laity within the Washington Area.
5. Develop a relationship with the Continuing Education Committees of the Board of Ordained Ministry of the Peninsula and Baltimore Annual

Conferences and Wesley Theological Seminary to organize some Continuing Education experiences for clergy.

6. Improve and upgrade the physical plant at both Camp Pecometh and Drayton Manor.

b. **Communications**

The Committee on Communications, a sub-committee of Conference Council on Ministries, functions as follows:

1. To facilitate communications throughout our Annual Conference;
2. To assist at the local church level in this field;
3. Has primary oversight editorially and financially for the Conference newspaper, **THE COMMUNICATOR.**

Committee members are making every effort to train themselves in communication theory. Specifically, a workshop is planned with Eileen Spraker of the **Wilmington News Journal** and Eugene Donnellery. Interested members of local churches are encouraged to attend this and other such ventures, to become better informed on current principles of good communications.

Glenn P. Catley, Jr., Chairperson

c. **Committee on Research and Planning (Conference Journal '76, page 165)**

In June of 1977 a plan was implemented to gather information and to report results in either the 1978 or 1979 Pre-Conference Journal.

Circumstances noted here will not make it possible to finalize the report until 1979. Briefly they are—

1. In November of 1977 the chairperson of the committee resigned for personal reasons; a new chairperson was not elected until February 15, 1978.
2. A questionnaire, seeking assistance in the formation of major priorities for our Annual Conference over the next five years, was passed out to all Conference members in session May 24-26, 1977. A mailing to all Lay and reserve members plus clergy (839), repeating the above request, was made in June, 1977. Both sheets requested a reply by October 1, 1977. To date we have received 87 replies; 39 from Laypersons, 48 from Clergy. We need closer cooperation here!
3. Of the 26 Boards, Committees, and Agencies contacted, there were only responses from half of them by the registered deadline of December 1, 1977. Again we could have had closer cooperation.

It is, therefore, impossible to bring a final report before 1979, although it should be noted some progress has been made, and the group is working.

d. **Conference Council on Children's Ministries**

1979 Goals

1. An overnight retreat at Drayton Manor for Children's Council to aid Children's Council in knowing their function and responsibilities with an emphasis on the responsibilities and function of the District Co-ordinators in Children's ministries.
2. Each District Children's Co-ordinator and the two representatives to the Children's Council will appoint other representatives throughout each district to form a Children's Committee to aid the Co-ordinator in carrying out his or her function.
3. There will be a listening session on each district provided so that all Children's Co-ordinators from each church will be able to come and discuss their children's programs, their functions as co-ordinators and whatever other concerns or needs they may have concerning children in their local church with the District Children's Co-ordinator and/or his or her committee. Hopefully he or she will be able to provide resources or resource persons for their assistance.
4. The Children's Council will assist the Educational Division of the Board of Discipleship with whatever training events they have planned for 1979 that concern children's ministries.

5. Each District children's committee, chaired by the District Children's Co-ordinator will plan how they will carry out on their districts the "Child of the Year Program" planned by UNICEF. Information and aid will be provided by the Children's Council. The district programs will be reported to the Children's Council.
6. The Children's Council will consult the Associate Council Director of Camp Pecometh concerning ways in which we as a Council can help to encourage a greater interest in Pecometh among the children of the Conference.

Jeanette Armour, Coordinator

e. **Conference Council on Youth Ministries**

1. Facilitate District and Conference programs for youth.
2. Recruit youth participation in the various Conference agencies.
3. Recruit youth representation at the Session of the Peninsula Annual Conference.
4. Coordinate and make available resource persons and training materials for youth ministry in our local churches.
5. Promote the Youth Service Fund.
6. Be engaged in a continuous re-evaluation of the needs for youth ministry in the Conference, particularly noticing the young culture's changing demands on the church and its ministry.

K. Richard Varell, Youth Coordinator

f. **Conference Council on Adult Ministries**

1. Determine the adult needs and concerns of the local charges and the districts. Work through the District Coordinators to provide a meaningful ministry in training leaders, teachers and coordinators in the local church.
2. Promote guidance in the Adult Curriculum areas and develop coordinators that will assist in giving guidance in the area of literature and resources for the United Methodist curriculum.
3. Share in the total ministries of adult work by enlisting and training more adults and equipping them for service in the total program of the local church.
4. Stress the importance of commitment to Christ and Christian nurture in the Christian faith and life and underscore the value of preparing adults for a meaningful experience and membership in the church.
5. Highlight the crucial role of church school teachers and give special attention to the recruitment, support and training of adult teachers.

George C. Godfrey, Adult Coordinator

g. **Conference Council on Family Ministries**

1. Support other organizations within the Conference desiring to sponsor activities to our goals and purpose for effective family life ministries.
2. Focus on the various issues, providing resource and leadership skills on conference and/or district levels:
   - —Parenting enrichment
   - —The single parent family
   - —Marriage enrichment
   - —Family communication skills
   - —Television awareness
   - —The pastor and his/her family
3. Promotion of National Family Week.
4. Encourage local churches to utilize the talents and skills of the Family Life Committee for particular family life needs and concerns.

Tom P. Donnachie, III, Coordinator

h. **Task Force on Ethnic Minority Local Church**
1. Assist ten Ethnic Minority churches on each district with the study, planning and implementation of the book "Ethnic Minority Local Church Development."
2. To experiment on a model for making an evangelistic impact.
3. To explore the options for developing viable models for educational programs reaching all age levels.

i. **Task Force on Hunger**
1. To develop a one-sheet explanation of what the United Methodist Church is doing about hunger and how it all fits together. Mail explanation to three persons in each local church: Chairpersons of Local Church Council on Ministries, Missions, Church and Society and also to the pastor.
2. Develop district task forces to assist local church plan projects.
3. To propose a project of development assistance directly from our conference.
4. To encourage local efforts toward dealing with local hunger.
5. To encourage "Fasting" as a means of helping others less fortunate, while at the same time improving our own physical health.

Note: Division on World Hunger under Goals of Church and Society, Page 51.

II. **Board of Discipleship**

a. **Division of Education**
1. New member orientation, planning and budget preparation retreat at Drayton.
2. In the summer of 1979 we will secure at least five leaders to participate in the laboratory school at Watson Homestead who will agree in return to give service in leadership schools in the Peninsula Conference.
3. Add books relating to Christian Education and the Church School in order to further develop our present Circulating library.
4. Provide better resources for use in the local churches. (Filmstrips, records, cassettes, 16 mm films)
5. Through staff contact with local churches, we will encourage education workshops and church school teacher leadership in local churches. Specific items will be designed by staff according to the immediate needs in 1979.
6. Hold a conference-wide workshop on the use of Audio-Visuals in 1979 for all local churches.
7. Hold one workshop in the spring for two districts and one in the fall for the other two districts for purpose of assisting local church school teachers develop specific skills related to their teaching.

b. **Division on Evangelism**
1. Since the General Church has designated the first week of Lent "Evangelism Week" as part of the unfolding Comprehensive Plan of Evangelism, there will be promotion and utilization of this week to undergird evangelism at the grass roots by providing opportunities for the laity to gain insight into the theology and the practice of evangelism.
2. To provide a variety of opportunities for people to gain and increase skills in Visitation Evangelism and in leadership training for leading small groups.
3. Hold a Convocation on Discipleship. The end results will be informing, motivating, and inspiring people by highlighting key areas of ministry. It is proposed that the emphasis be on "Church Growth." The Convocation will provide small group experiences and a plenary worship service.
4. Assist ten churches on each district with the study, planning and implementation of the book "Showing and Telling."
5. To update our printed resources with the best books, manuals, pamphlets, tapes, films made available for local churches.

c. **Division of Stewardship**
Start building an audio-visual library containing a variety of educational materials in the complete range of stewardship.

d. **Division of Worship**
1. Will continue to work toward providing effective leadership in the area of worship for local churches and for the Conference.
2. In spring of 1979 provide a workshop for children's choirs. The plan is to offer this experience twice throughout the Conference.
3. Continue to provide a seminar on preaching and/or the history of worship.
4. Work with the Conference Board of Laity in offering support and printed resources for the laity who are often asked to lead worship experiences in churches throughout our Conference.

III. **Board of Laity**

The desire of the Board of Laity is to continue its study of areas of special concerns to persons of the Peninsula Conference including women, men and youth, which in turn will strengthen the entire ministry within the conference.
1. Lay training (United Methodist Men, Lay Leader, etc.)
2. Lay speaker training.
3. District and Conference Laity Banquets and Communion Breakfasts.
4. Men's Retreat.
5. Participation in Jurisdictional Lay Assembly.

B. To be considered by Legislative Review Section II

I. **Board of Church and Society**
a. Continue to provide members with "Engage" and other printed materials pertinent to the times.
b. Continue to financially support Pacem in Terris and use the valuable resources at our disposal.
c. We will support a Conference on Social Concerns that is to be held for the entire State of Maryland.
d. Promote a spring convocation in 1979.
e. Expand our training program for local church chairperson.
f. Provide more adequate training for each local pastor.
g. Expand educational experiences in forum discussions and trips.

A. **Division on General Welfare**
1. Participate in spring convocation - national health care, energy and life-style issues.
2. Promote special days, mail articles on legislative issues such as public assistance, gambling, capital punishment.
3. Provide local churches inf. on biogenesis and child abuse issues.
4. Sharing of information on social action and evangelism.
5. Encourage local church community action model development in drugs and alcohol, and crime and justice.
6. Promote District workshops on crime and justice.

B. **Division on Human Relations**
1. Promote Human Relations Sunday on February 11, 1979.
2. Participate in spring convocations - issue "Rights of Victims."
3. Provide assistance to clergy and laity for a study by local churches on death and dying.
4. Re-define responsibilities of Human Relations and other Conference committees and individuals.
5. Resourcing local churches on Christian relationships.

C. **Division on World Order**
1. Promotion of World Order Sunday, October 28, 1979.
2. Participation in convocations; Issue - World Hunger.

3. Resourcing local churches on World Peace issues.
4. Have some division members attend Washington Seminar.

II. **Commission on Archives and History**
   a. Encourage the use of bulletin inserts and envelopes to promote the Peninsula Conference Heritage Sunday.
   b. To foster interest in and appreciation of the Methodist heritage by securing and filing histories of local churches and receiving and protecting memorabilia and artifacts related to Methodist history.
   c. The Commission will send a representative to the two Jurisdictional meetings in 1979.
   d. Continue the care and supervision of Barratt's Chapel and Museum, including reduction of the mortgage related to renovation.

III. **Commission on the Status and Role of Women**
   a. We will develop a statistical analysis of participation by professional women within the Peninsula Conference.
   b. We will develop a statistical analysis of the participation by non-professional women within the Peninsula Conference.
   c. The Commission will take the field work model (display) into as many local churches as possible. The goal is at least ten churches in each district. This group is open for invitations!
   d. Our goal is for each local church to designate a person to represent the concerns of women; their status and roles.
   e. We will encourage all Boards and agencies to be sensitive to the specific obstacles that preclude full participation by women: i.e., the need for babysitting, the need for meetings during school hours, the fear of coming out for night meetings alone, etc.

IV. **Commission on Religion and Race**
   a. Hold a seminar for ministers serving interracial charges with special reference to how needs of the small black or other minority church can in fact be met.
   b. Hold a seminar to help laypersons learn how to involve meaningfully in the total structure of the church at all levels in order to be able to provide a total ministry.
   c. Cooperate and assist in the program of putting into action the book "Ethnic Minority Local Church Development."

C. To be considered by Legislative Review Section III

I. **Board of Global Ministries**
   a. **Committee on Education and Cultivation**
      1. At least one Advance Special (Gift) from each Local Church.
      2. A program of Advance Special Information.
      3. Continuous missionary education in the local church.
      4. Training of local leadership.
   b. **Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns**
      1. To make known the variety of ecumenical possibilities.
      2. Provide each church ecumenical chairperson with the summary of the organization and goals of ecumenical agencies so that this may be communicated to congregations.
      3. To relate to specific programs of Delmarva Ecumenical Agency.
      4. In the area of social awareness and political issues, to develop action-influencing legislation and public policy.
   c. **Division of Health and Welfare Ministries**
      1. Training of Division Members through contacts, workshops, and other leadership experiences at the 1979 Convention in Cleveland, Ohio.
      2. We propose to hold District Workshops and distribute educational materials for the local Health and Welfare representatives.

3. A major convocation is planned during the last week of April in 1979. We would like to have April 22-28 designated Health and Welfare Ministries Week. The theme for the convocation will be "The Church and Health Care."

   d. **Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.**
   We propose to demonstrate increased commitment to the support of our Conference Homes for the Aged, in view of the facts which show that:
      1. the monthly service fees received from all present residents covers only 76% of the total cost of their care,
      2. the remaining 24% represents the amount of free care which needs to be provided; (The projected cost of this care for 1979 is $686,000.)
      3. the record shows the average local church member has contributed only 13¢ per year in past giving;

   The Conference Council on Ministries therefore strongly urges every local church member to contribute to the Special Mother's Day offering for the Homes for the Aged. These monies are used specifically to provide the "free" care as indicated above. We must set higher goals as individuals and demonstrate our continual commitment by action!

   e. **Division on Missions**
      1. The Town and Country Committee has taken on new life and we expect to see evidences of helping the churches find their mission and then act to make the church come alive in every town, hamlet and crossroad within the limits of the Conference.
      2. We will work with the District Superintendents in solving the plight of the small church by realignment where possible and/or the creating of "larger parishes."
      3. Encourage support of Advance Specials at all levels, Annual Conference, National and World. Special emphasis upon the Advance Specials Missional Priorities.
      4. Continue involvement in mission projects such as Methodist Action Program and Neighborhood House.
      5. Support those Districts that have an organized "Church and Extension Society."
      6. Where need exists, assist worthy church extension projects. At the 1978 session of the Conference at least two projects are part of the Congregational Development Committee reports: A new church in the Long Neck Area on the Dover District and relocation of Union Church, Wilmington District. It has been twelve years plus since a new church was conceived or a new territory explored. We trust time is not too late to recover any setbacks in the mission of new church development and/or relocation.

II. **Board of Higher Education and Ministry**
   A. **Division of Higher Education and Campus Ministry**
      1. Provide a Christian witness on College and University campuses within the bounds of the Peninsula Conference through continued support of Wesley Foundations and related programs.
      2. Encourage support of Wesley College and interpret the College to the Conference.
      3. Continue support to Morgan Christian Center of Morgan State University.
   B. **Division of Career Planning and Counseling**
   The Division of Career Planning and Counseling has made a decision to shift emphasis from recruitment for church-related occupations to life and career planning regardless what Christian vocation you have.
   Thus we plan to:
      1. Sponsor a Conference workshop for persons who are beginning their careers — youth, in late teens, primarily to help them identify skills, interests, but also to

consider lifestyle, values, use of leisure time, commitment to family.

2. To sponsor a conference-wide workshop for persons in mid-career who are disillusioned with their work. This workshop would enable such persons to stand back and look at the direction their lives are taking and then make necessary corrections if needed.

Both workshops will use Trained Counselors in the Life/Career Planning process.

III. **Board of Diaconal Ministries**

a. Continuation of in-service training programs for board members to enable each member to be better informed and able to relay the opportunities of Diaconal Ministry to others.
b. Programs in cooperation with other agencies and boards to inform individuals of the many opportunities and requirements in broad area of Diaconal Ministry.
c. Place in hands of each minister and others within the local churches materials related to the Board and the certification requirements for various lay positions within the church.

Respectfully submitted,
David W. Baker, Sr., Council Director

World Hunger Task Force

The Task Force has adopted the following objectives, goals, and strategies:

Objectives: To initiate and promote education and action throughout the Conference on the issue of World Hunger.

Goals:

1. To develop a simple, one sheet explanation of what the UMC is doing about hunger, and how it all fits together (UMCOR, CROP, Global Ministries, etc.) to be sent to ministers, COM Chairpersons, Missions Chairpersons, Social Concerns Chairpersons.
2. To promote the development of district task forces to help local churches plan projects.
3. To develop a project of development assistance directly from our Conference.
   a. Select an area of need that can use the knowledge and expertise of Delmarva agriculture-Poultry-Fishing.
   b. Send a team from our Conference to investigate possible approaches to the development of a project.
   c. Use this team for promotion and planning within the Conference
      (1)Promote interest and raise funds to support project.
      (2)Meet with knowledgeable persons to develop a program.
   d. Develop and implement a program of development assistance based on resources available on the Peninsula.
   e. Set up a procedure to continue to relate to the project as it develops in the needy area.
   f. The project should be small enough to be manageable and successful. (We have contacted UMCOR for assistance).
4. To encourage local efforts toward dealing with local hunger: cluster projects, ecumenical projects, etc. (DEA-RMC has a proposal for the four lower shore counties of Maryland)

Strategies:

1. Purchase or prepare a bulletin insert calling for local church action on the Hunger Priority.
2. Provide materials on World Hunger at the Annual Conference session.
3. Catalog hunger resources available through the Conference Office, and the DEA Audio-Visual Library, and promote their use.
4. Request time on the agenda of every program board of the Conference to explain the Hunger Priority, so that each may determine its role.

5. Request time at each District Ministers' Association to explain the priority and encourage local church initiatives for education and action.
6. Request an Order of the Day during the Annual Conference session to promote the priority.
7. Provide information and resources to the Committee on Cultivation and Promotion of the Advance (Board of Global Ministries), which is charged with responsibility for promoting the Advance for Missional Priorities.

Actions:

1. Endorse a proposal from the New Castle Presbytery calling for ecumenical support for a full-time Hunger Action Enabler to work with the various denominational hunger efforts on the Peninsula, and agreed to initiate action to obtain $4,000 from General Church sources.
2. Supported the concept of a Conference on Transnational Corporations, Nutrition, and the Third World; which is being planned by Pacem in Terris and the University of Delaware; but withheld endorsement of the Conference until plans are completed.
3. Paid for a mailing from Pacem In Terris to all conference clergy providing information about Bread for the World—a national hunger action organization.
4. Requested that the 1979 budget of the Task Force be included as a part of the budget of the Conference Council and not that of the Board of Church and Society.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. Bruce E. Cooke, Chairperson

Ethnic Minority Local Church Task Force

The Ethnic Minority Local Church Task Force has set as a major priority the supplying of parsonages for which there is an immediate need in several areas of the Conference.

This will facilitate programs for strengthening of ethnic local churches as it will make possible the appointment of pastors who will be community based and able to give total leadership to the churches as they engage in ministries to the areas in which they are located. Secondly, the living conditions offered is one of the determining factors influencing the decisions of possible recruits to ethnic work.

This is not seen as a misplaced priority but rather is seen as necessary for providing a continual flow of leadership which is identified as the major component in the strenthening of the ethnic work of the Peninsula Conference.

The second priority which has been endorsed by the committee is the Ridgely-Marydel Pilot Project which is a lab experiment concerned with developing viable models of leadership for the small ethnic church. Learnings are gained from the experiences of the churches and are being formulated into a model which will involve 24 charges in a reciprocal learning process. Viable models are a necessity but some charges cannot wait. This model envisions each charge involved in learning and reciprocally sharing some skill which makes it possible to strengthen a group of churches in several areas through the process.

The present goals for the project are:

1. To lead the project target area in the data gathering process and to compile learnings for helping the local churches on the charges to engage in the needs assessing process.
2. To experiment on a model for making an evangelistic impact.
3. To explore the options for developing viable models for educational programs reaching all age levels represented in the target area.
4. To disseminate, receive feedback on, and modify for future application to various situations what is gained from experimentation.

Drayton Manor Retreat-Renewal Center
Worton, Maryland 21678

Annual Report—1977

Through a wide variety of services and programs Drayton continued to provide opportunities for many persons from numerous backgrounds and experiences. Groups using the facilities during 1977 numbered 151, with 84 on week-ends and 67 during the mid-week. A total of 7,886 people days were registered which reflected an **increase** over the previous year of 1,165. The year 1977 brought more persons to Drayton than any year in its 13 years of history.

Since 1970 Drayton has operated in a favorable financial position. However, due to a number of factors, including seven cancellations during the severe cold weather of January, February and March of 1977, together with the continued inflationary conditions, a deficit of $11,075 was created that was not overcome during what was otherwise a very successful year. At this report steps are being taken to meet this situation during the present year. While making an effort to increase income, a continuous concern to keep fees at a low figure is important so that all our people may participate.

The Friends of Drayton, organized in 1975, held its annual meeting in October, sponsored a lawn party and picnic in August and held its third annual Christmas Dinner Party with a splendid program in December. The Friends of Drayton Fund with more than 200 contributors again responded with personal gifts of $10,842. In addition to the above activities and support, a newsletter called "Drayton Doin's" has been undertaken to be published on a quarterly basis.

New plans call for the establishment of regional meetings in various parts of the Conference with the purpose of increasing the number of participating persons in the activities of the Friends of Drayton. One specific goal of the Friends Organization is to increase the number of contributors from more than 200 to 500 in the next three years.

Major improvements during 1977 made possible by the Conference Council on Finance and Administration and recommended by the Conference Council on Ministries included: installation of new power lines, the swimming pool filtering system repaired, a new pump for the main water supply, extensive brick work and the refurbishing of furniture including a sofa, two wing chairs and four straight chairs. Through the helpful and substantial gift of the Conference Board of Trustees, the roadways were blacktopped at a very low cost of $6,675.

In 1973 the Swimming Pool at Drayton was opened to the public through announcements in the Churches in Kent County, Maryland. Family Memberships were offered for the summer season. From 60 families in 1973 the number grew to 90 families in 1977. Important results have been the provision of wholesome recreation, the opening of The Center to the community, new opportunities for personal ministries and additional income with which to operate the pool at no expense to Drayton.

In addition to many opportunities to lead in retreats, conduct worship services and speak at The Center, the Director has spoken in 22 Churches in various parts of the Conference. Baptisms, weddings and funerals are also conducted. As the Director-in-Residence, there are numerous occasions for Pastoral Counseling and the celebration of The Eucharist.

In the report of any such work, much of the real life experiences are all but impossible to relate. It seems almost a necessity to be present in order to glimpse the influence of the Spirit upon a group on retreat. Yet, we know that from time to time God's Spirit is at work among us, that lives are touched and changed, and many go away better prepared for the tasks awaiting.

Respectfully submitted,
Walter H. Stone, Director

Camp Pecometh
Director's Report To Annual Conference

During the summer of 1977, a total of 41 counseling and service personnel produced a successful camping experience for 954 children of the Peninsula Conference. I am happy to report that 85% of our staff was recruited from the local churches of our Conference. The Director/Manager is indebted to the pastors and laity of our Conference for their support and promotion. Despite the fact that the week for mentally retarded children did not occur, camper registrations increased by 53 over the previous year.

The program itself evidenced change and innovation. Some of the highlights of our Christian ministry to boys and girls included (1) daily vesper services using dramatic art and crafts made at the craft shop, (2) daily Bible study with application to group life at camp, (four Bible Study Workbooks were printed) (3) canoe trips with the long voyage and trips of a short nature, (4) qualification sailing and canoeing with awarding of "skipper" and "first mate" ratings to campers, (5) Red Cross certification for campers' participation in instructional swimming classes, (6) increased emphasis and education of staff on camp safety standards.

Three staff persons received professional in-service training at Chesapeake College. The camp Director/Manager took a semester course on "Camp Administration and Counseling;" the Pool Manager received certification as a trained person in his field as did the Food Service Manager in her department.

Junior counselors once again took an active role in the care and supervision of children. Eleven senior high school girls met regularly with the Manager/Director and studied various styles of leadership. With regard to property, I am more than pleased to report that the new pier has withstood two severe winters and the pavilion has once again become a place of good fellowship, personal and group worship, and classroom. Footlights were installed as well as a de-icer device to prevent ice damage during the hard winter months.

Pecometh's greatest needs are (1) construction of a maintenance building, (2) surfacing of roads, (3) renovation of Girls' Hill wash house, (4) renovation of Barn dormitories and restrooms, (5) 100 new mattresses.

The summer of '77 saw increased attendance at the Barn and Pioneer programs as well as maximum attendance at the Riverside Area. The canoe trips were filled long before the camping season began.

It has been a privilege to have served as Director/Manager of Camp Pecometh since 1975 and to have participated in this creative Christian ministry to children, youth and adults.

Respectfully submitted,
John W. Simpers, Jr., Director/Manager

Board of Discipleship

The Board of Discipleship, through its four Divisions, is constantly striving to relate to the local church in the areas of education, evangelism, stewardship and worship. The Board sees as its prime responsibility the need to aid the local church in enriching its program so that United Methodists may grow in purposeful Christian discipleship. We exist to serve the local church—to plan and implement conference-wide educational opportunities; to serve as liaison between the local church and general church so that proper advantage may be taken of general church resources and staff; to work directly in the local church helping to undergird program and solve individual church problems.

Our Board continues to respond to the General Church Missional Priority on Evangelism, attempting to discover methods of emphasizing evangelism through all four of our Divisions.

Another important concern of the Board and its Division on Evangelism has been the 1977 Annual Conference directive to hire a staff person to work in the areas of evangelism and youth work. Since no instruction was given as to how best to plan for the most productive use of such a person's capabilities, what his duties should include, or how best to finance the cost of such services, the leadership of this Board and Division has been actively involved in this

study. We will continue our work with this area of concern and will furnish input as needed into the future planning for the proper implementation of this directive.

Following are the four Division reports, submitted by their chairpersons, which explain plans and progress in detail. Sincere appreciation is expressed to everyone who has helped in the efforts toward strengthening Peninsula Conference United Methodists in Christian discipleship.

Respectfully submitted,
Virginia Clendaniel, President

Division Of Education

This year the Division of Education has been able to meet many of our Goals set in 1975.

(a) All requests for educational workshops and teacher training by local churches have been responded to.
(b) The Division on Education helped five people to attend lab school during the summer of 1977. We are using many of our Lab School teachers in local church workshops.
(c) The division had trainers at each of the January workshops.
(d) A library has been set up on the second floor of the Conference Office. All the books have been catalogued and this information has been mailed to the local churches.
(e) At least one workshop on the Adult Education Material was held in each district this past year.
(f) A Bible to Life workshop was held for the youth this past summer.
(g) Plans were worked on for Operation Curriculum and the CURRIC-U-SHOP. That was a part of this spring's program.

The Division of Education also purchased an automatic slide projector that can be used with cassette tapes. This equipment may be used by the Conference and the local churches.

One person was sent to Duke University for a seminar on Evangelism and Education.

Two programs were held at Drayton Manor designed and directed by our Lay people for the local church leaders of the conference. The Division of Education was able to provide some direction and helped in securing the program leaders.

Division of Evangelism

The Division of Evangelism is endeavoring to help implement the ministries of evangelization in and through the congregations of the Peninsula Conference. This is being pursued by keeping the issue before our people and by providing opportunities for gaining insight and training.

1977

The year began with the District Secretaries of Evangelism providing leadership in the January District Workshops. Some materials were also provided.

The Conference of 1976 voted to have a Conference-wide preaching mission during Lent of 1977. This was held during March 28-April 2, 1977. It was poorly supported.

"Showing and Telling the Good News," a booklet on evangelism that grew out of the Bishop's Study Days, was widely distributed throughout the Conference in 1977 and plans were developed for the implementation of it on each district during this quadrennium.

The Northeastern Jurisdictional School of Evangelism was held at Lycoming College, Williamsport, PA on July 4-8, 1977. It was followed by the Washington Area School of Education and Evangelism at Western Maryland College, Westminster, MD on July 8-10, 1977. Approximately 30 people from the Peninsula Conference attended one or both of these schools. These schools re-occur at approximately the same time every year.

On October 1, 1977 a Missional Session of the Annual Conference was held in Dover. The purpose was to implement the Comprehensive Plan of Evangelism and its relationship to Decision Point: Church School. Over 500 people attended this Saturday event. Resource persons were Dr. Paul Rees, Dr. James Logan, Dr. Melvin Talbert and Rev. Ron Crandall.

During October, Pastor's Schools of Evangelism were held at Drayton Manor. There were six repeats of a two-day school at which approximately 70% of our pastors were in attendance.

1978

This year also began with the District Secretaries of Evangelism providing leadership at the January District Workshops, and the Div. of Ev. provided materials.

The first week of Lent is now designated Evangelism Week and the first Sunday of Lent is designated Evangelism Sunday. In keeping with this, an Evangelistic Preaching Event with Dr. Dennis Kinlaw of Asbury College was held at Union UMC, Bridgeville, Delaware. The typical response of contemporary United Methodists to preaching was in evidence.

On March 16-18, two separate training events in Visitation Evangelism: A Relational Ministry, led by Vance Archer, are scheduled at Drayton Manor.

On April 23-24, an American Institute of Church Growth is scheduled at Gethsemane U.M.C., Reliance, Delaware.

A New Castle County Crusade For Christ with Bill Glass will be held at the Brandywine High School Stadium on May 7-14.

A "Conference on the Holy Spirit" led by Kenneth Kinghorn of Asbury Theological Seminary will take place on May 26-28 with the five United Methodist Churches in Cambridge, MD.

July 7-9: The Washington Area School of Education and Evangelism will again meet at Western Maryland College, Westminster, MD, Friday evening through Sunday noon.

July 10-14: The Northeastern Jurisdictional School of Evangelism will again meet at Lycoming College, Williamsport, PA, Monday evening through Friday lunch.

Participation is encouraged at the Good News Convocation on "Biblical Evangelism" at Wesley College, Dover, DE on July 24-27.

On September 8-10, the Northeastern Jurisdictional Ethnic Minority Church Evangelistic Event will be held in Baltimore, MD. This will feature training and celebration involving the five ethnic groups from across the N.E. Jurisdiction.

A Dorchester County Reachout Crusade For Christ will be held at the Cambridge-South Dorchester High School, Rt. 16, Cambridge, MD on September 10-17, with Clyde Dupin.

On October 16-18 a major evangelistic training event for pastors will be held at the Lord Baltimore Hotel, Baltimore, MD with such national leadership as Lloyd Ogilvie, Ira Galloway, Ed Buford, Jackson Carroll, Maurice King, O. Dean Martin, Glenn Draper, etc.

The Division of Evangelism is involved in the above events either as directly sponsoring or participating in planning or as being supportive in promotion and encouraging participation. Plans also call for providing some scholarship aid.

1979

The Division of Evangelism looks forward to having someone on the Conference Staff who will give leadership to implementing our evangelistic ministries.

The Div. of Ev. is involved in efforts to bring Alan Walker to our area, hopefully to the 1979 sessions of Annual Conference. The World Methodist Council is engaging in a new phase of World Evangelism with Dr. Walker giving leadership. A United Methodist pastor who is a native of the Delaware Peninsula, the Rev. John Robert Martin, is serving as the North American Secretary on the World Evangelism Committee.

Evangelism Week will be a time of opportunities for the laity to gain insight into the theology and practice of evangelism.

Plans call for providing a variety of opportunities for people to gain and increase skills in Visitation Evangelism and in leadership training for small groups.

"Showing and Telling the Good News" is to be implemented in ten churches on each district.

A Conference-wide Convocation on Discipleship on the theme of "Church Growth" is also being planned.

The Division of Evangelism will continue to encourage support of and participation in related training experiences in and near our Conference such as the area Schools of Evangelism.

Respectfully submitted,
Everett C. Isaacs, Chairperson

Division of Stewardship

"Stewardship begins with the recognition of God's generosity." Stewardship continues with a recognition of our responsibility for using those gifts—all of them—to the best interest of their true Owner. Fortunately, the primary interest of their Owner is also the best interest of their receiver—because that's what God has revealed Himself to be—the Heavenly Father, who provides continually for the growth and well-being of His children. "I have come in order that you might have life—life in all its fullness." (John 10:10)

The Board of Discipleship, Division of Stewardship, stands ready with both human and material resources to aid each local congregation in its proclamation of the truths of Christian stewardship. Its primary human resource is in the person of Associate Council Director, the Rev. Richard Bailey. Mr. Bailey has made himself an expert in the training of stewardship leadership and in helping local churches develop effective, on-going stewardship education programs. The Baltimore Conference — two-third's larger than our own—has hired Mr. Bailey as a part-time consultant for their own stewardship ministries.

During this program Mr. Bailey has taught a course, in conjunction with the University of Delaware Extension Department, in family money management. The six-week course was promoted throughout the Conference and 50% scholarship aid offered to United Methodist couples who took it. Mr. Bailey also led four stewardship "table-talks" for pastors and laity in the Wilmington District. He welcomes invitations to come into any district or church to discuss with them their stewardship potential.

Many new materials are available to Peninsula Conference Churches in the area of stewardship training. The piece in most demand this year has been the film "How Good Life Can Be." This 16 mm, 24 min. film is the best AV going for helping congregations see the joy that can be had in faithful stewardship. A number of other AV resources are also available from the COM office in Dover and the DEA library in Wilmington.

Let me list four primary print resources for United Methodists: GUIDELINES FOR STEWARDSHIP 1977-1980, gives the DISCIPLINE directives for setting up a work area of stewardship in the local church. COMMITMENT FOR SUCCESS, is the most comprehensive catalog of stewardship resources ever issued by our denomination. It is available in quantity free from the Cokesbury Regional Service Center. COMMITMENT PLAN HANDBOOK, also available from Cokesbury, is published by the National Council of Churches but was written largely by UMC personnel. Gleaning the best in proven ideas from all the NCC churches, it gives a step-by-step program for carrying out an Every-Member Commitment in churches of all sizes. THE CHURCH SCHOOL, February 1978, is a special issue available from The United Methodist Publishing House, 201 Eighth Ave., South, Nashville, TENN 37202. It is jam packed with articles on stewardship education that can be used for sermons and program development.

Slowly, but surely, we are educating our people out of the idea that stewardship is synonymous with money. The energy shortage, hunger crisis and ecology problems have helped us to see that our stewardship responsibility goes far beyond putting a tithe on the offering plate. The cutting edge of stewardship education today is on the simple life style. Christians don't have to have everything that's advertised in the newspaper. Our peace and dignity come in seeing that others share with us in the simple basics of life by using our resources in a way that contributes to the human rights of all.

"What good is it for someone to say that he has faith if his actions do not prove it? . . .Suppose there are brothers or sisters who need clothes and don't have enough to eat. What good is there in your saying to them, "God bless you!" So it is with faith: if it is alone and includes no actions, then it is dead." (James 2:14-17 TEV).

Respectfully submitted,
Robert W. Helms, Chairperson

Division of Worship

The Division of Worship exists to provide support to local churches in the work area of worship and to coordinate programs at the Annual Conference level. The Division has

organized into three committees to provide leadership in areas of music, education and training.

The Division's Music Committee has been responsible for various workshops over the past few years. In 1977, the Committee sponsored a workshop on Music in the Small Church which was led by Thom Jones, a consultant from the National Division of Worship in Nashville, Tennessee. Mr. Jones met with 200 individuals in four consecutive evening workshops. In 1978, the Music Committee will emphasize adult choirs and a program is being planned for the Great Day of United Methodist Singing this coming fall.

The Seminar Committee works to provide an educational opportunity each summer which is directed toward a specific aspect of worship. Last year's seminar was entitled "History of Worship" and was taught by Dr. Laurence Stookey, Professor of Worship at Wesley Theological Seminary. This year, the Committee has planned the Third Annual Worship Seminar to be held at Drayton Manor with Dr. Carlyle Marney of the Interpreter's House. The dates for this seminar are Monday, July 24 through Wednesday, July 26.

Finally, the Division works to coordinate the worship experiences held during Annual Conference each year. During this present quadrennium, a serious attempt will be made to highlight the missional priorities. The Division has made a conscious decision not to attempt worship extravaganzas which cannot be repeated in local churches, but rather to allow worship at Annual Conference to be a model to be followed. The Eucharist, morning devotions and the Service of Ordination were planned by members of this Division.

This Division works in cooperation with the entire Board of Discipleship to strengthen local churches. Any comments from churches or individuals in our Conference are welcome and will be taken seriously.

Faithfully submitted,
Glenn P. Catley, Chairperson

Board Of Laity

The Peninsula Conference Board of Laity has had a busy and inspiring year. We have been confronted with a number of challenges and opportunities.

I would like to express my gratitude for the loyal support accorded me by all those who have given so freely of their time, talent and means to the cause for which we have and desire to continue to dedicate our lives. I refer specifically to our Bishop, his cabinet and those who are associated with me on the Peninsula Conference Board of Lay Activities.

I was one of the privileged from our Peninsula Conference to attend the Seventh National Conference of Methodist Men at Purdue University July 15-17, 1977. This memorable occasion was one of the best planned affairs of this type I have had the opportunity to witness. It was highlighted by many notable presentations of men from many walks of life. Only those present could fully appreciate the electrified atmosphere which prevailed when 3,700 men voluntarily re-dedicated their lives to their God and His service. I am very glad and appreciative that so many of our Peninsula Conference men were able to attend.

Another highlight in our Conference program was our Layman's Retreat held at Camp PeCometh, Centreville, MD during the weekend of September 10-11, 1977. The retreat was blessed with the largest attendance ever, with the overflow of housing ably assisted by a number of men who brought their own campers.

The program was under the direction of our Conference Director of Methodist Men Work, Mr. Ralph O'Day, and the Reverend Felton May, representing the Cabinet. Each of the four Cabinet members had an opportunity to spend at least one full session with the men. An analysis of this type of experience clearly indicates the importance of providing this particular type of program at least once during each quadrennium.

The four districts of our conference continued the usual Lenten Communion Breakfasts involving men, women, and youth of the Conference.

Three of the Districts continued the Lay Speaking course for new certified Lay Speakers and the re-certification of others. I am pleased to announce that the recommendation of the thirty-eighth conference found on page 139 part 2 under the Board of Laity, relating to the

text and materials used in the Lay Speaker Training Course has been fulfilled. New materials have been ordered and will be distributed by the Associate Lay Leader of Lay Life and Work.

As usual, our conference had the largest delegation this year at the Northeast Jurisdictional Conference held in Atlantic City at the Sheraton-Seaside Hotel, October 14-16, 1977.

The Board of Laity at its annual spring meeting endorsed the following:

1. Annual Conference Lay Banquet, Wednesday, May 24th at 6:30 p.m., Dr. Donald Barnhouse will deliver the main address.
2. Promote the Annual Northeast Jurisdiction Lay Assembly, October 27-29, Pittsburgh, PA
3. Promote the Men's Retreat at Camp Pecometh, September 9-10, 1978
4. Promote and support the Peninsula Conference School of Christian Mission, July 13-16, 1978, at Wesley College.

On behalf of the Board of Laity, I request the continued support of the laity (men, women, youth, and clergy).

Respectfully submitted,
James H. Hardcastle
Conference Lay Leader

Board of Pensions

The year of 1977 was the first year of The Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions participation in the General Board of Pensions Ministers Reserve Pension Fund (MRPF) I-A provides for the enrollment of all active conference members appointed with pension credit on the Annual Conference and a schedule of payments to meet past service obligations. Much of our pension cost being paid today is for a period when little or no funding was being done. Thus, we not only pay for current service, but we must pay for past service.

The Board of Pensions is very satisfied with our first year of operation with the MRPF I-A program and even though it has taken a great deal of time and effort we feel that this is by far the best program for a reasonable pension at a reasonable cost in the future.

In September of 1976 the Board of Pensions passed a resolution assuming full responsibility for and guarantee payment of the 2% clergy personal contribution to be paid to the MRPF beginning January 1, 1977 and thus record same as a delinquency with the Conference Board of Pensions for any delinquency paid for a Conference member. However, it became necessary to withdraw this guarantee and now any unpaid portion of the 2% clergy personal contribution at the end of a calendar year will be recorded as a delinquency with the General Board of Pensions. All delinquent accounts of the Conference Board of Pensions have been turned over to the General Board and incorporated in their record keeping system. The General Board will charge all delinquent accounts interest at the current rate, now 6½%. All delinquent accounts at the time of retirement will be collected by the General Board following the same policy that has been in force with the Conference Board of Pensions, which is total collection within the first four years after retirement from pension payments.

Because living costs do not remain static and striving to meet The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church recommended annuity rate of not less than one percent of the average salary of the conference as computed by the General Board of Pensions, we recommend the Peninsula Conference approve the following resolution:

Be it resolved that for the calendar year 1979 the annuity rate be increased from $110.00 per year to $115.00 per year, times the years of service.

Since the Internal Revenue Service requires this approval annually, we recommend the Peninsula Conference approve the following resolution:

Be it resolved that for the calendar year 1979, the sum of $3,000.00 or 60% of the annual pension, whichever is less, shall be allowed as a housing allowance for pensioners for Tax purposes.

Inasmuch as Mr. Ira S. Pruitt will be retiring as treasurer of the Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions at this Conference session we offer the following:

Whereas: Ira S. Pruitt became Treasurer of the Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions at the time The Board of Pensions assumed pension responsibility from The Board of Conference Claimants in 1956

and

Whereas: Ira S. Pruitt has served as the only treasurer of the Board of Pensions

and

Whereas: Ira S. Pruitt has served ably as Treasurer during the very difficult period of merger with the Delaware Conference and also during the difficult period of entry into Ministers Reserve Pension Fund

and

Whereas: Ira S. Pruitt has given wise council and careful direction so that the endowment fund has grown from $663,678.11 in 1956 to $2,769,295.81 in 1976 and the annuity rate has increased from $50. to $110. and the pension rates were equalized at the time of merger

and

Whereas: Ira S. Pruitt has exhibited Christian dedication to the task and has maintained a concerned Christian relationship with pensioners for these twenty-two years.

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Peninsula Conference Board of Pensions and the Peninsula Annual Conference offer its most sincere gratitude to Ira S. Pruitt for his long distinguished service to the Board of Pensions, to the Peninsula Annual Conference and to those who are now pensioners and to those who will be pensioners.

In most cases the duties of the Treasurer of the Board of Pensions will be handled in the future by the Conference Business Office. Mr. Theodore W. Briggs, Conference Business Manager will be able to assist on most Pension matters or will know who to recommend to do so.

The Conference Board of Pensions relates itself to ministers as soon as they are admitted into annual conference membership and enrolls all ministers who are assumed to be serving full-time with pension credit. Report of such enrollment together with other information is then made to the General Board of Pensions and from these reports the General Board of Pensions builds the preliminary contribution schedule informing the Conference Board of Pensions of the total contribution required for the funding of current service. The Board of Pensions is continuously studying with objectivity and thoroughness the pension position of the Conference, and seeks to provide pensions under the plans and programs which are deemed to be most advantageous to the Conference and to the participants in the plan.

The Board of Pensions stands ready to assist Conference members in all matters concerning the pension program of The Peninsula Conference. We appreciate the aid and assistance that the General Board of Pensions has given to us this first year; and a special thanks to Miss Connie J. Takamine, Assistant General Secretary.

The Board would like to express its deep and continuing appreciation of our Board members without whose dedicated involvement, we would accomplish very little.

Respectfully submitted,
Calvin H. Webster, President

Commission On Equitable Salaries

The Commission on Equitable Salaries has supported the salaries of pastors of 15 charges through minimum salary funds and 8 through Equitable Salaries Discretionary Funds during 1977. Supplements to salaries ranged from $166.00 to $3,010.00. A total of $27,315.83 was expended.

Many charges whose pastors received supplements in 1977 did increase their 1978 salaries so that the amount paid from Equitable Salary funds will decrease substantially in 1978.

The Commission makes the following recommendations to the Annual Conference:

1. That effective January 1, 1979, the minimum compensation for conference members, probationary members serving full time, and associate members be $10,200.00;
2. That effective January 1, 1979, the minimum compensation for student pastors and full-time supply pastors be $8,000.00;
3. That the Annual Conference suggest to the Cabinet the goal of encouraging each of the Charges receiving minimum salary funds to increase its pastoral compensation by a minimum of $300.00 by 1979;
4. That this Commission hold before the Annual Conference the goals in regard to charge realignment and ministerial workload adopted at the 1970 Annual Conference: new realignment of church to provide the following; A minimum workload for full-time conference members, associate members and lay pastors of 350 members. A minimum workload for students and part-time pastors of 200 members.
5. That churches receiving salary support be reminded of the following resolution adopted at the 1967 Annual Conference:
   Only those charges which conducted an Every-Member Visitation during the previous conference year which included the raising of funds for ministerial support shall be eligible for minimum salary support. It is expected that all ministers receiving Minimum Salary support have been and will continue to comply with this requirement.
6. That the Commission grant the request of the Dover District Superintendent $10,000.00 for salary of a pastor for the Long Neck area for the Conference year 1978-79;
7. That an amount equal to one-half of the funds received from Temporary General Aid be set aside for an Equitable Salary Discretionary Fund to be used at the written request of the Cabinet during the year 1979.

Joseph C. Bostick, Chairperson
Respectfully submitted,

Peninsula United Methodist Foundation, Inc.

More than a year of planning culminated when the 1977 Annual Conference authorized the establishment of the Peninsula United Methodist Foundation. Our work then turned from planning to action.

Nominated to serve on the Board of Directors:

Bishop James K. Mathews
E. Stanton Adkins
K. Thomas Everngam
Spotswood Foster
Clayton E. Hammond
Maurice Hancock
John F. Kelso
Ruth M. Laws
Paul E. McCoy
Roy B. Phillips
John F. Quigley
William H. Revelle, Jr.
Thomas Welch

Elected officers were:

K. Thomas Everngam	President
John F. Kelso	Vice President
Paul E. McCoy	Secretary/Treasurer
Richard D. Bailey	Executive Director

The Foundation was incorporated October 11, 1977, in the State of Delaware by Thomas Lodge and subsequently filed in Maryland.

The purpose of the Foundation is to receive, hold and manage funds, securities, and other properties for itself and local United Methodist Churches, agencies and organizations within the bounds of the annual conference.

To this end it provides stewardship opportunities for United Methodists through deferred gifts programs that will strengthen the ministries of the Conference, including the local church, hospitals, homes for children, retirement homes, higher education, social welfare and special ministries that may emerge.

The Foundation provides services and programs that will assist the donors in making outright cash gifts, bequests, annuities, and trust agreements with the church, its agencies and institutions as beneficiaries.

The Foundation keeps abreast of all developments in charitable giving and estate planning. It is informed about the cultural, health, educational and religious institutions and can be helpful in the process of integrating charitable giving with a good masterplan. It is available to counsel with any lawyer who may desire creative ideas of clarification for his/her client or to help donors in their financial planning as part of an estate planning team.

The Foundation is classified a Public rather than a Private Foundation. It therefore, qualifies under section 170 as an organization to which contributions (except appreciated property) may be deducted up to 50 per cent of gross income.

The Foundation can accept property of all kinds for the funding of the various forms of Charitable Remainder Trusts (Unitrusts, Annuity Trusts, Deferred Trusts, etc.) It is prepared to write Charitable Remainder Gift Annuity Contracts, using the rate table adopted by the National Committee of Gift Annuities, which are related to the age or ages of the Annuitant(s).

It takes time to establish a Foundation. It will probably be five years before the Foundation will distribute monies in any sizable amounts. No Conference Foundation has been successful without a part-time or full-time Director. It should be noted here that all work done for the Foundation by its officers, General Counsel and Directors, is done on a volunteer basis at no cost to the Foundation or the Conference.

Our Executive Director has visited all Conference-related institutions which have Development Offices. The purpose of the visits was to assure that the Foundation would support, not conflict with, their Development program. In each visit there was strong support for the Foundation.

We developed our first promotional brochure and secured a mailing list of all CPA's, CLU's, attorneys and bank trust officers in Delaware and Maryland's Eastern Shore.

We plan to establish a Fellowship of United Methodist Estate Planners with an annual dinner meeting each fall, probably in October.

In December we established the Lowan Pitts Memorial Fund for Ethnic Local Church Development and honor the memory of one of our most distinguished Conference leaders, who was stricken in the Fall and died in December.

A Memorial Fund was also established by the Foundation. The purpose is to encourage persons to give memorial gifts in lieu of flowers, etc., at times of death.

The Foundation is now a member of the National Association of United Methodist Foundation.

A story of end of the year giving was prepared and printed in the November 23rd issue of the COMMUNICATOR. This did initiate inquiries and donors.

We need your support—we need your encouragement—lots of it.

We have received $5,000 from the Conference Council on Finance and Administration as seed monies through 1978.

We are requesting $5,000 in the 1979 budget for administration. We may need this amount each year through 1982.

If we are faithful in our stewardship now, I believe other generations will look back and be grateful that the Foundation was established. There are people out there who have resources and are ready to let the Foundation manage them. We must find these people and help them become donors. With your help, the Foundation can become visible and successful.

Respectfully submitted,
K. Thomas Everngam, President
Richard B. Daily, Ex-director

Peninsula United Methodist Foundation, Inc.
Balance Sheet
As Of December 31, 1977

Assets

Wilmington Trust Co. - Checking	10.00
- Savings	$1,446.09
Investments	
United Methodist Development Fund	1,000.00
Total Assets	$2,456.09

Fund Balance

Operating Fund	$1,411.09
Pooled Fund - Regular	1,000.00
- Memorials	45.00
Total Fund Balance	$2,456.09

Peninsula United Methodist Foundation, Inc.
Statement Of Revenue And Expenses
October 21, 1977 To December 31, 1977

Revenue:	
Conference Support	$2,500.00
Contributions	5.00
Total Revenue	$2,505.00
Expenses:	
Postage	$ 17.36
Office Supplies	13.67
Printing, Duplicating, Copying	610.83
Brochures, Pamphlets, Booklets	261.55
Conferences, Seminars, Meetings	140.50
Miscellaneous	50.00
Total Expenses	$1,093.91
Excess Revenue over Expenses	$1,411.09

Council On Finance And Administration

During the past year, the following actions were taken by this Council:

1. Dover District Parsonage - appropriated $14,842.00 for improvements.
2. Council Director's Parsonage - appropriated $2,664.00 for improvements.
3. Wilmington District Parsonage - appropriated $1,900.00 for insulation.
4. National Youth Ministries Convocation - appropriated $570.00 to send to youth.
5. Methodist Corporation Proceeds - authorized $1,645.20 for Ethnic Local Church Development.
6. Established District Apportionment Review Committees - The Committees reviewed 173 church apportionments for 1978.
7. Drayton - appropriated $11,320.00 for improvements in the year 1977.
8. Travel reimbursement by all Conference Boards and Agencies to be set at 15¢ per mile.
9. Parsonage 1119 Westview Terrace, Dover - Sold June 30, 1977 for $58,000.00.
10. Conference Foundation - appropriated $5,000.00 for promotion and expenses.

11. Pecometh Parsonage - appropriated $1,403.00 toward a new roof.
12. Drayton - appropriated $11,500.00 for improvements in the year 1978.
13. Board of Global Ministries, Division of Missions - appropriated $4,000.00 for new parsonage on the Chester-Stevensville Charge.

The following received Equitable Salary Support for calendar year 1977:

Charge	Equitable Salary Support
DOVER	
None	
EASTON	
Easton - Bellevue	$ 700.00
Golts-Sassafras	1,425.04
Chester-Stevensville	1,500.00
Millington-Pondtown	912.00
Still Pond-Coleman	699.96
Church Hill-Burrsville	552.75
Wingate-St. Thomas	1,500.00
Harmony	991.69
Neavitt-Bozman	333.32
SALISBURY	
Crisfield-Shiloh	$ 1,115.04
Salisbury-Quantico	699.96
Deal Island Charge	867.00
District-At-Large	641.50
Wesley Temple	1,605.00
WILMINGTON	
St. John's-Moore's	$ 1,100.04
East Cecil Charge	950.04
Kirkwood	2,450.04
North East-Bayview	1,500.00
	$19,543.38

Temporary General Aid-Discretion Fund

DOVER	
Dover-Whatcoat	$1,215.00
Smyrna-Asbury	1,000.00
EASTON	
St. Michaels-Royal Oak	981.29
Easton-Bellevue	583.31
Ridgely-Marydel	466.69
SALISBURY	
Salisbury-Wesley Temple	165.96
Pocomoke City Charge	83.35
Mt. Vernon-Grace	208.35
Upper Hill	208.35
Wesley Temple	1,605.00
WILMINGTON	
Harrison Street	$1,254.15
	$7,771.45

Recommendations:

1. That the 1979 balanced budget in the amount of $2,386,610 be adopted.
2. That the following shall be the World Service Conference Benevolence ratio for 1979:

World Service	$237,625	27.9%
Conference Benevolence	612,893	72.1%
	$850,518	100.0%

Respectfully submitted,
Otho G. Brewer, President
Lida W. Wells, Vice-President
Walter H. Beckwith, Secretary

Section II

Board Of Church and Society

The closing words from our Social Creed perhaps suggest a basis for the work of the Board of Church and Society, ". . . to manifest the life of the gospel in the world." Authority for this mandate comes from the Book of Discipline, Para. 1203, quoted as follows: The Board is ". . . to provide forthright witness and action on those social issues that call Christians to respond as forgiven people. In particular, the Board shall conduct a program of research, education, and action on the wide range of issues confronting the church as set forth in the Social Principles." Interpreting our purpose further, Dr. George Outen, General Secretary of the Board of Church and Society, stated, "This is a Board of Applied Christianity."

Church and Society addresses its concerns in three broad Divisional areas: General Welfare, Human Relations and World Peace. A fourth area of concerns, Emerging Issues, is shared by the three Divisions. Most emerging issues relate to one of these areas. It is felt we addressed all of our issue goals for the year, even though some remain to be accomplished.

1977 has been both a rewarding and frustrating year. It's been rewarding as we reflect on accomplishments in program planning, and training. Cooperation, interest and enthusiasm in experiences have been motivating. However, frustration was sometimes present as we had to change plans, reschedule events and choose priority issues when all seemed important. Initially, we tried to focus on and define our relationships to the Missional Priorities - how our goals and program can be focused in order to implement these overall objectives. Addressing this concern, the Chairperson presented an interpretive statement of Dr. George Outen's views on Church and Society and Missional Priorities to the Conference Council on Ministries.

As we moved into the year, we began to perceive that in order to become a more effective Board more time needed to be given to planning, follow-up, issue education and to skill training. Members generously participated in 30 planning and training experiences. Some persons attended the Maryland Legislative Seminar; a Written Communications Seminar with Richard Bailey; and our annual goal-setting, budget planning session at Drayton Center. Board leadership attended a four-day national training event in Washington focused on issues, possible church response to these issues, and an understanding of how to impact the legislative process.

District Directors met twice and discussed their role in relating to the Board, to the Divisions and to the local churches. It was agreed that District Committees would be an effective means of enabling more involvement of local churches in community social action. Some of the Districts have been able to form these committees. District Directors also provided leadership for the training of Social Concerns Chairpersons during the January Local Church Training Workshops.

Issue education was provided through resolution development and through organized discussions and hearings. Several members cooperated with the DEA Social Awareness and Action Task Force in this effort. While monitoring the legislature, information was shared through special mailings and the COMMUNICATOR on social concerns legislation. Advocating the Board or Conference position on several issues, letters were sent to legislators.

Printed resources were distributed through the coordinated mailing, at Annual Conference, and during the January Workshops. Board members were sent Engage Magazine. A resource person was provided for Annual Conference. Dr. John Fletcher spoke on the church's relationship to the emerging issue of bio-ethics.

Church and Society continued financial support of special projects. Contributions were made to Pacem In Terris, the Delaware Equal Education Fund, the Salisbury area churches' shelter care Room-In-The-Inn, and to the ecumenical Greenbank Education Fund for aiding persons on parole and probation. The World Hunger Task Force was funded and supported through the World Peace Division.

Our Board feels we have gained a greater awareness of our tasks during the past year and are conscious of a deeper commitment as a result of our experiences. We anticipate another year of service as the Board of "Applied Christianity."

Respectfully submitted,
Doris Phillips, Chairperson

Division of General Welfare

The Division met in conjunction with the Board of Church and Society ten times during the year. Steps were taken to implement the goals as approved at the Annual Conference.

Specific actions taken:

The Chairperson testified in forums on capital punishment and Jai Alai gambling in Delaware.

The Chairperson testified on behalf of the Conference in the public hearing on the Delaware capital punishment bill.

Articles were published in the COMMUNICATOR on means of observing Drug and Alcohol Concerns Sunday and on problems of alcoholism in the U.S.—especially as it relates to minorities.

Representatives attended the Century Three Workshop of the General Board of Church and Society in Washington, D.C.

A representative worked actively to challenge the legality of the Jai Alai gambling bill in Delaware.

Representatives visited the Manor Houses in Wilmington and Seaford and discussed means of churches aiding them through volunteer programs.

A representative attended the Maryland Legislative Seminar. A mailing on issues discussed was sent to Maryland churches.

Letters were sent to Legislators advocating our position on public assistance grants.

A mailing was sent to Maryland churches alerting them to the increased use of the lottery.

A Maryland member presented a statement in support of Community Correction Centers at a hearing in Cambridge. Dorchester County's Human Relations Commission recommended that the County approve the establishment of an area (possibly in the county) of community corrections facility.

In summation it has been a very active year and there have been some successes as well as setbacks. It is my opinion that we are struggling with a more conservative trend in the State Legislatures which runs counter to many of the principles of the Social Creed of the United Methodist Church.

We need to keep in perspective that a Christian is involved in horizontal relationships with his neighbor as well as a vertical relationship with the Holy Spirit. To this end, the Division of General Welfare hopes in 1978 and 1979 to encourage more local church involvement in meeting these needs. We feel this may also carry more weight in speaking with legislation.

We will continue to do all we can to uphold the Social Creed and fulfill the programs of Peninsula Conference as directed.

Respectfully submitted,
Grover Johnson, Chairperson

Division of Human Relations

The activities during 1977 have provided an opportunity for study of major issues as well as concrete action regarding several of these issues. Observance of Human Relations Day was promoted in local churches by mailings to Pastors and local church chairpersons of Church and Society and through articles in the COMMUNICATOR. Conservation of energy in our local churches was addressed and an article with suggestions and possible

alternatives was written for the COMMUNICATOR.

A great deal of time was spent in discussion of the relationship between the Black churches and White churches in our Conference. The Division feels that there is a significant problem of racial prejudice within our churches, and we must work toward a better understanding of one another celebrating our oneness in Christ. Although this was primarily an internal struggle for our Division, we hope to see some concrete programs developed in 1978 to help address this concern.

To demonstrate our concern for the problem of runaways or "pre-delinquents" in our Conference, we have supported a local program in the Salisbury area which is called "Room-in-the-Inn." The pilot project will hopefully provide a model for use in other communities within our Conference to help alleviate this problem.

Our Division addressed an emerging issue of great concern last year. Information researched by Dr. Roberta Tarbelle relating to the Unification Church and its growing influence in our area was placed in the Coordinated Mailing.

Additions to Annual Report

The Board of Church and Society affirms its position on the Death Penalty, on Gambling, Energy and Health Care.

We also affirm our Social Principles statement on Crime and Rehabilitation quoted as follows from page 18 of the **Social Principles of the United Methodist Church.**

F. **Crime and Rehabilitation.** To protect all citizens from those who would encroach upon personal and property rights, it is the duty of governments to establish police forces, courts, and facilities for rehabilitation of offenders. We support governmental measures designed to reduce and eliminate crime, consistent with respect for the basic freedom of persons. We reject all misuse of these necessary mechanisms, including their use for the purpose of persecuting or intimidating those whose race, appearance, lifestyle, economic condition, or beliefs differ from those in authority, and we reject all careless, callous, or discriminatory enforcement of law. We further support measures designed to remove the social conditions that lead to crime, and we encourage continued positive interaction between law enforcement officials, and members of the community at large. In the love of Christ who came to save those who are lost and vulnerable, we urge the creation of genuinely new systems of rehabilitation that will restore, preserve, and nurture the humanity of the imprisoned. For the same reason, we oppose capital punishment and urge its elimination from all criminal codes.

Statement in Support of the Use of Medical Assistance Funds for Abortions for Poor Women

Medical assistance legislation provides funds for operations for poor persons that others can afford. Included in this funding is the sterilization operation which is more final. In order to provide poor with the opportunities that others have, to choose abortion, funds need to be provided.

Many of us are uncomfortable in advocating the use of taxpaker's money for this purpose. It is of special concern when some persons oppose abortion because of their religious beliefs. However, when we consider the alternatives available to a poor person faced with an unwanted pregnancy she cannot manage, we feel urged to help by providing medical assistance funds. Quite often the only alternatives are to use funds badly needed for basic needs, such as for food or shelter, or return to cheaper, illegally obtained abortions.

Statement on Desegregation

The Division of Human Relations of the Board of Church and Society urges the members of the Peninsula Annual Conference to endorse the following statement adopted by the Board of Directors of the Methodist Action Program and do everything within their power to help facilitate the peaceful implementation of the Desegregation Plan.

Responding to the order of the United States District Court to implement in September of 1978 a plan to desegregate the public schools of New Castle County and the City of Wilmington.

The Board of Directors
of The Methodist Action Program:

—Welcomes this unique opportunity for the necessary time to design creative plans for desegregated public education, and the time to prepare students, parents, teachers and the entire community for the new dimensions open to us in public education;

—Affirms its commitment to quality education for all students, and to the peaceful implementation of desegregated public education;

—Supports the establishment of an Interfaith Task Force to provide guidance and coordination for the religious community's involvement in the process of desegregation;

—Encourages local churches to initiate study programs on the desegregated society and public education;

—Calls for leadership from the educational, political and religious communities to orderly and peacefully implement the desegregation plan;

—Prays for the guidance of the Lord in the coming year as a source of support and inspiration for all who seek aid in achieving the goal of peaceful desegregation in our public schools.

Respectfully submitted,
Jonathan Baker, Chairperson

Division of World Peace
1977 Accomplishments

In pursuance of the goals adopted by the 1976 Annual Conference for 1977, and the resolutions passed by the 1977 Annual Conference, the following actions have been taken:

1. The goal of establishing and supporting a task force on World Hunger has been accomplished as the task force is now functioning as a Task Force of the Conference Council on Ministries. This task force has been funded through the Board of Church and Society, and our representative is active on the task force. The Chairperson of this division serves as Chairperson of the Task Force at present, and we have kept in close contact with these developments.
2. The 1977 Annual Conference adopted a resolution calling for efforts to voice concerns about World Hunger issues to the Congress. With this in mind, the Division discussed the provisions of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1977 (H.R. 7171) and wrote to Delaware Rep. Tom Evans encouraging him (1) to oppose lower price support levels for farm commodities, (2) to support provisions for grain reserves, and (3) to oppose amendments to restore the purchase requirement or change deductions approved by the Agriculture Committee for food stamp programs.
3. The Goal of continuing alliance with and support of Pacem in Terris was accomplished as we continued to provide $1,000 to Pacem in Terris, and have involved Charles Zoeller, the Executive Director, in the meetings of our Divisions with regular reports of their activities. Mr. Zoeller has also served as a consultant to the Task Force on World Hunger.
4. The Division was instrumental in contacting the World Division of the Board of Global Ministries, which provided $2,000 in support of Ulster Project '77, which was a project of Pacem in Terris which brought youth from Northern Ireland to the Wilmington area for a reconciliation program. The conference was informed about this project through a resolution at the 1977 Annual Conference, and through both the Conference and national sections of the COMMUNICATOR. The project has received high praise, and was the subject of a Philadelphia TV special report.
5. The goal of promoting World Order Sunday was accomplished through a sheet of information inserted in the October co-ordinated mailing, and an article in the COMMUNICATOR.

6. In pursuance of the goal of educating local churches in terms of a Christian ethical response to developing world issues, resolutions were presented and passed at the 1977 session of the Annual Conference, dealing with Nuclear Disarmament, National Priorities, Southern Africa World Hunger, Human Rights and the B 1 Bomber.
7. The concern for Nuclear Disarmament received further action in response to an appeal from the Interfaith Coalition on Energy in Wash., D.C. for assistance in affirming and upholding President Carter's decision not to proceed with plans for the Clinch River Breeder Reactor. A call was made to Pacem in Terris, whose communications consultant Betty Cole agreed to contact various denominational leaders with regard to this issue.
8. The Human Rights concern was lifted in defense of the appeal of Kahsay Teferi Saduk, a young man living in Seaford, not to be deported back to Ethiopia, from which he has fled. A resolution of support was passed by the Annual Conference, and a follow-up report was included in the World Order Sunday mailing.
9. With regard to the B 1 Bomber, a resolution was passed by the Annual Conference and communicated to President Carter, who did in fact withhold approval of continuing major funding. This Division wrote a letter of appreciation to the President for that decision.
10. We have continued to educate ourselves about national and international concerns through the participation of our chairperson in the Maryland Legislative Seminar in Annapolis, and Century III—a training session for Conference leaders sponsored by the Board of Church and Society in Washington.

Respectfully submitted,
Dr. Bruce E. Cooke

Resolutions

Church & Society Resolution #1
STRENGTHENING FAMILIES THROUGH
INCREASED FAMILY SERVICES

WHEREAS the Social Principles of our United Methodist Church states a belief in the family as the basic human community through which persons are nurtured and sustained in mutual love, responsibility, respect and fidelity.

WHEREAS the Christian faith embodies expressed love, care and concern for all persons.

WHEREAS studies are revealing the existence of increased stress and conflict in families resulting in their disintegration.

WHEREAS families need increased support and guidance in many areas in order to cope with this stress caused in part by our social and economic climate.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED:

That the Peninsula Annual Conference support increased state and federal funding for programs such as Title XX, that would provide increased family services in the following areas: parent education, counseling in conflict management, household management, health, child rearing and development, marital relationships, adolescent problems, and day care. These services enable us to work towards the prevention of social ills — a position strongly supported by the church.

That this resolution be communicated to Maryland, Delaware Congressmen, to Maryland Eastern Shore Legislators, and to Delaware Legislators by the Conference Secretary.

Church & Society Resolution #2
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE - MARYLAND-DELAWARE
AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

WHEREAS, the church has been historically concerned for the welfare of all persons,

WHEREAS, this concern is rooted in both the prophetic tradition and the New Testament message,

WHEREAS, the Social Principles and Policy Statements on Social Welfare urge public and private programs of welfare that would "provide the physical necessities of life, enable the respect and integrity of all persons, and encourage economic independence."

WHEREAS the present maximum grants are not adequate to create conditions whereby the above can happen,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED:

That Maryland and Delaware, at least gradually, increase their Aid to Families with Dependent Children to the level suggested by OEO poverty guidelines—to $5,500 annually for a family of four.

That this be communicated to the Maryland Eastern Shore Legislators and to Delaware Legislators by the Conference Secretary.

Church & Society Resolution #3

MARIJUANA

WHEREAS research is uncertain as to the long-range effects of usage of marijuana as to possible mental and physical damages, and

WHEREAS there is a movement throughout the country to legalize or decriminalize the use of marijuana, and

WHEREAS Christ teaches us to live a more abundant life, presumably meaning one including spiritual, mental and physical well-being, and

WHEREAS, the Social Creed of the United Methodist Church urges us all to work for those things that will enable us to have this more abundant life, and

WHEREAS, the United Methodist Church has traditionally opposed the pollution of life by the use of drugs,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church that we oppose the legalization or the decriminalization of marijuana. We do support the lessening of criminal penalties for first-time offenders.

BE IT THEREFORE FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Conference inform the Governors of Delaware and Maryland of the passage of this Resolution by letter.

Church & Society Resolution #4

FURLOUGH SYSTEM IN DELAWARE

WHEREAS Delaware, under court order, had to limit its population in the Smyrna Correctional Center, and

WHEREAS one method of so doing was to furlough persons with good behavior records, and

WHEREAS this was done with the provision that, whenever space became available, these people on furlough would have to return to prison, and

WHEREAS this creates almost insurmountable employment handicaps and serious emotional conflict, and

WHEREAS this is directly contrary to the Social Principles of the United Methodist Church and the teachings of Christ on mercy and justice,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church urge the Governor and legislature of Delaware to adopt a more humane and merciful means of furloughing persons from the Correctional Center, perhaps a broader support system.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Conference inform the Governor of Delaware, Senate Majority Leader, and House Speaker of the passage of this resolution by letter.

Church & Society Resolution #5

THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE—ABORTION

The right to choose - abortion - is an issue many of us have been reluctant to address. However, this concern and its related problems touch so many areas of today's society, it is felt we can no longer neglect this responsibility.

Our General Board of Church and Society states in the Social Principles as follows: "Our belief in the sanctity of unborn human life makes us reluctant to approve abortion. But we are equally bound to respect the sacredness of life and well-being of the mother, for whom devastating damage may result from an unacceptable pregnancy. —Therefore, a decision concerning abortion should be made after thorough and thoughtful consideration by the parties involved, with medical and pastoral counsel." The inherent conflicts are especially difficult because they are concerned with a possible choice between a potential, undeveloped fetus and a born, developed person with relationships and responsibilities. There is a recognized difference, however, between an undeveloped life and a developed one.

God has given us freedom, created us in his own image to act responsibly, with love and concern in our own lives and for the lives of others. Christian persons recognize their finiteness and seek God's guidance in the exercise of this freedom. Consistent with this is the thinking that a man and a woman must have the right to decide whether or not they wish their union to lead to the birth of a child. Children have the right to be loved and cared for with their basic needs provided. They have a right to more than to be born, but the right to a life that has meaning and worth. If a couple recognizes their physical and emotional inability to meet this challenge, the freedom to choose abortion should be their right.

The question needs to be raised as to the scriptural interpretation of God's plan that all conception, accidental or otherwise, implies that God wills a childbirth. The Christian life historically proclaims to be more than one of existence but one of wholeness, spiritually as well as physically.

Two areas of concern therefore emerge:

1. The unborn fetus—with its potential for life, and its right to be a meaningful life,
2. The mother—with her present and future relationships and responsibilities.

Those persons today who are faced with unwanted pregnancies, in increasing numbers, are single adolescents. The problem has reached epidemic proportions world wide with 13 million of 60 million women becoming mothers in 1975 before they become adults. The U.S. ranks fifth among industrialized nations in teen-age births. One-fifth of all U.S. births are to teenagers with 13,000 to girls younger than 15. Single parent births are up 75% with nine out of ten electing to keep their babies.

The added risk of childbearing to both mother and child increase the younger the teen. Babies of young teens are two to three times more likely to die the first year. Their low birth weight is twice as high among teens. This is not only responsible for increased infant mortality but it causes other childhood illnesses such as neurological defects and mental retardation.

Teen mothers also experience risks in childbirth at so young an age. Maternal death risks are 60 percent higher. Young girls deplete their own nutritional reserves needed for their own continued growth and make them vulnerable to other illnesses. Furthermore, a young girl with a baby has her life mapped out. She has to drop out of school (the reason most often cited by females for dropping out) with nine out of ten never completing school. These mothers face greater risks of unemployment and welfare dependency with twice as many young as older families classified as poor. If the young mother marries, three out of five are divorced within six years increasing the pattern of family instability.

An even more alarming trend with the increase in teenage, single parent families is the reported increase in child abuse - neglect. Both mother and child find it almost impossible to break out of the cycle that embraces them. Both have a right to a meaningful future.

Whether old or young, if persons choose abortion, they are saying to themselves and others, they are not physically, mentally or emotionally able to give birth to and care for a child. Becoming a parent is one of life's most meaningful, traumatic and challenging experiences. To recognize one cannot fulfill this role at a given time in one's life is acting with Christian care and concern. The Protestant Church recognizes a woman's right to exercise her God-given freedom in prayerfully making this choice.

Abortion should not be used as a means of birth control. In other statements, our Board strongly suggests increased services for families, including family planning, counseling, and education in the Christian affirmation of our human sexuality. However, the right to responsibly exercise one's freedom in choosing abortion must be supported.

*All statistics are from **11 Million Teenagers**, a publication by The Alan Guttmacher Institute, 515 Madison Ave., New York, N.Y., 10022. It draws on information from government and private research statistics.

THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE - ABORTION

WHEREAS numerous national religious organizations including the American Jewish Congress, the Catholics for a Free Choice, the United Methodist Church, and the United Methodist Women, affirm the right of the woman to choose abortion,

WHEREAS the United Methodist Church has professed belief in the sanctity of all life and in the concept of a caring ministry for the present and future life of the mothers, as well as for the fetus,

WHEREAS the United Methodist Church believes in God-given individual freedom to act responsibly in our own lives and for the lives of others,

WHEREAS we recognize our existence in a pluralistic society where all persons of all faiths should have the freedom to resolve this concern in light of their own beliefs and conscience.

WHEREAS the present national policy of the Right To Choose Abortion is threatened by organized and local opposition, and those who support the Right to Choose are not expressing their views,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED:

That the Peninsula Annual Conference support the right of persons to have the freedom to choose abortion.

That this resolution be communicated to our Congressional Representatives and Senators of Delaware and Maryland and to Delaware and Maryland State Legislators.

Church & Society Resolution #6
CHILD ABUSE

WHEREAS, the problem of child abuse and neglect should be of concern to all Christians,

WHEREAS, an estimated 2,000 cases of child abuse or neglect were never reported to the Delaware Division of Social Services in 1976-77,

WHEREAS, there is a backlog of 1,492 cases out of a total caseload of 2,386 cases reported in 1976 in the State of Delaware,

WHEREAS, there were 2,115 reported cases of child abuse in Maryland in 1976 (a rise of 40% over 1975) and 1,429 reported cases in just the first six months of 1977,

WHEREAS, many cases of suspected child abuse are not reported by private physicians and hospitals although they are required to do so by law and are immune from liability,

WHEREAS, it is an established fact that abused children themselves are more likely to become abusive parents,

WHEREAS, there is a lack of general public knowledge concerning child abuse and each citizen's responsibility to prevent it,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Peninsula Annual Conference support the Division of Human Relations of the Board of Church and Society in:

(a) Urging the Delaware and Maryland General Assembly to allocate money for additional positions in the Division of Social Services in order that all suspected cases of child abuse or neglect may be investigated promptly.

(b) Urging that private physicians and hospitals be more responsible in their reporting of child abuse or neglect, and

(c) Encouraging and actively participating in the education of the General Public regarding their moral and legal responsibility to report cases of suspected abuse or neglect, even if it is only suspected.

Church & Society Resolution #7
HUMAN RIGHTS

BE IT RESOLVED that we commend the stand that President Carter has taken in support of human rights throughout the world.

And that we endorse the work of Amnesty International on behalf of political prisoners, and commend this Nobel Peace Prize winning organization to all Christian people for their support.

Amnesty International
Room 309
2112 Broadway
New York, N.Y., 10021

Church & Society Resolution #8
END THE ARMS RACE

WHEREAS, the Gospel of Jesus Christ calls us to affirm life and peace, and reconciliation within the human family,

AND WHEREAS, the United States and the Soviet Union are developing new generations of already deadly weapons which threaten to unbalance the "balance of terror." And both are developing completely new weapons systems - such as the neutron bomb - which may soon make the old weapons obsolete,

AND WHEREAS, the momentum of the arms race is increasing in other parts of the world, too—particularly in politically volatile areas where the build-up of conventional arms has become a dangerous scramble for the most sophisticated, and expensive weapons available,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED by the Peninsula Annual Conference at its 1978 session:

(1) That we endorse the stated goal of President Carter to work for the elimination of all nuclear weapons; and toward that end, we support the development, implementation, and honoring of international agreements to eliminate nuclear weapons.

(2) That we oppose further development of such projects as the neutron bomb and space weaponry by all parties.

(3) That we call upon all major military powers to agree on a national policy to limit the international arms trade.

Church & Society Resolution #9
RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR FAMILY FARMERS

WHEREAS, the American Agriculture Movement has called the attention of the nation to the very real problem of survival for the family farmer;

AND WHEREAS, the family farmer in America is caught in an untenable situation of steadily rising costs linked to risky and sometimes poor returns due to fluctuating yields and prices;

AND WHEREAS, family farmers are being forced out of business at the very time their efforts are badly needed in the fight against World Hunger;

AND WHEREAS, the Social Principles of the United Methodist Church affirm that "we support the right of persons and families to live and prosper as farmers, farm workers, **etc.** We believe our culture is impoverished and our people deprived of a meaningful way of life when rural and small-town living become difficult or impossible."

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Peninsula Annual Conference at its 1978 session,

(1) That we affirm our support for the family farmers of America, and for their right to a fair and decent return on their investment of time, money, and labor.

(2) That we support and encourage the rights of farmers to work together for their common good, with all due consideration for the rights and needs of the consuming public,

(3) That we call upon the U.S. Congress to enact farm policy measures that will improve the economic plight of the family farmer without undue restriction of freedom.

(4) That we commit ourselves as food consumers to support the improvement of conditions for the family farmer by accepting reasonable increases in the cost of food commodities.

Church & Society Resolution # 10

RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR THE 1977 PANAMA CANAL TREATIES

On September 7, 1977, after years of deliberation and discussion between the governments of the Republic of Panama and the United States of America, President Jimmy Carter and Panamanian head of state, General Omar Torrijos signed two carefully negotiated treaties which move toward returning genuine sovereignty to the Panamanian people over their entire national territory, including the Panama Canal. These agreements provide adequate assurance for the continued security of the area.

The 1976 General Conference Resolution on the Panama Canal Treaty Negotiations stated: ". . . the continuance of the terms and arrangements of the present Canal Zone Treaty is a grave source of irritation and hostility not only between Panama and the United States but also between other Latin American republics and the United States. . ." The General Conference declared that "the ethical imperatives of the Christian gospel for equity, restitution, reconciliation, and self-determination of people impel us to seek rectification of this unjust relationship."

The Council of Bishops and the Board of Global Ministries of the United Methodist Church have passed resolutions calling upon United Methodists in the United States to support these treaties.

Therefore, we the members of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church voice our support of the new Panama Canal Treaties and call for their ratification by the United States Senate. We call upon United Methodist Churches and individuals throughout the Peninsula Conference to give prayerful consideration to this matter and to actively support the ratification and implementation of these treaties. We resolve to communicate our support to the Senators from Maryland and Delaware, and to the President of the United States.

(Resolution was withdrawn but is included for information only).

Church & Society Resolution # 11

PORNOGRAPHY

WHEREAS, sexuality is a good gift of God and pornography is a distortion of that gift;

WHEREAS, we reject all sexual expressions which damage or destroy the humanity God has given us;

WHEREAS, pornography views persons as objects and dehumanizes them;

WHEREAS, some pornography exploits minors;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

(a) The churches of the Peninsula Conference support the community, state, and federal legislative processes in opposition to all pornography.

(b) Local Administrative Boards and Councils on Ministries request their members to support the opposition of pornography by non-attendance and non-purchase of pornographic materials.

(c) Members be urged to verbalize their opposition to the sale and/or distribution of such materials to store and movie owners.

Commission on Archives and History

The 197th Anniversary of Barratt's Chapel was observed on November 13, 1977, Peninsula Conference Heritage Sunday. This was the 193rd year since the historic meeting of Francis Asbury and Bishop Thomas Coke which occurred on November 14, 1784.

Rev. Gerald A. Foster, President of the Commission, presided and Betty Foster served as pianist. The Rev. John L. Bryan, Pastor of Ezion-Mt. Carmel United Methodist Church, delivered the sermon, and musical selections were furnished by the combined Chancel and Gospel Choices of Ezion-Mt. Carmel Church. Other participants included Rev. James Riley and Rev. Gerald Henderson, members of the Commission on Archives and History, Rev. Charles I. Carpenter, and Mr. George Caley, Conference Historian.

Our thanks to all who have contributed to the Restoration Fund. From an initial expenditure of $52,000, the present mortgage indebtedness is $19,250. We are grateful to the Rev. Dr. Charles I. Carpenter who is serving as Curator of Barratt's Chapel on a part-time basis. He is always ready to be of assistance in arranging services, weddings and meeting groups. He may be reached at (302) 422-4269. A gratuity in the amount of $35 is suggested for the use of the Chapel for wedding ceremonies.

The Commission has a subordinate Historical Society which has open membership to individuals, families, churches, and church organizations. The funds received will be used to promote interest in the study and preservation of the history of the United Methodist Church and its antecedents; to cooperate with the agents of the Church to promote historical interests of the church, to promote the understanding of and appreciation for Methodist History and heritage including the history of the former Delaware Conference; to preserve Barratt's Chapel, and to maintain Barratt's Chapel Museum as a repository for church records, artifacts, appointments and other paraphernalia for posterity.

There are many requests for special offerings, but we trust you will continue to support liberally the ministry of Barratt's Chapel, "Cradle of American Methodism." Should any church, or any church organization wish to have a program about the general history of the Methodist church on the Peninsula, or to have a brief talk concerning the events which centered around Barratt's Chapel, the Commission will be glad to arrange for the Conference Historian or the Curator to accommodate you.

We thank you most sincerely for your continued cooperation and support, and look forward to seeing you at Barratt's Chapel for our Anniversary Service on Sunday, November 12, 1978.

Respectfully submitted,
Gerald A. Foster, President

Commission On Religion and Race

The work of the Commission on Religion and Race was temporarily interrupted by the lengthy illness and death of our Chairperson, S. Lowan Pitts, but her prior leadership made possible continuation without more than the usual problems involved in transitions.

The Commission has continued to reflect upon its task and renews its commitment to the goals for which it exists.

There has been commitment to empowerment through equipping local churches in the areas of evangelism, education, parish development and outreach. This has been achieved through the funding of scholarships for lay involvement in several ethnic training enterprises.

At present, the Commission continues its task of evaluating the implications of the "Ten Year Merger Study" and is currently involved in monitoring the responses of the efforts of boards and agencies to whom the Council on Ministries delegated responsibility for dealing with various recommendations.

The Commission is involved in giving input to the development of standards for training and orientation of persons who are to serve as ethnic pastors which is being done jurisdictionally.

Goals for 1979

1. To continue follow-up steps in the evaluation of the "Ten Year Merger Study."
2. To define criteria for establishing reasonable progress in the direction of achieving goals set in the recommendations of the merger study.
3. To work on a model of an enabling style of ministry which will serve to empower the ethnic church for a total ministry.

Respectfully submitted,
John Holden, Acting Chairperson

Commission on Status and Role of Women

Our first year has been an active year. Since we were unfunded in 1977 (except for $100 graciously extended to us by the Council on Ministries) many things were done at the exoense of members of the commission. This kind of dedication enabled our commission to grow in many ways. We are more knowledgeable about our work and about the ways to achieve our goals. We have grown closer as individuals and unified as a commission. These achievements are perhaps the hardest to come by and we look forward to 1978 with determination and great hopes.

The following is a short list of projects completed this past year by our members.

1. Two members attended a regional C.O.S.R.O.W. workshop at Watson Homestead.
2. A slide presentation was created and shown at Annual Conference.
3. Five articles were contributed to the COMMUNICATOR, one of which was a mini-survey.
4. A display was placed in the college lobby at Annual Conference with limited handouts.
5. Cokesbury had a table of books on women's concerns at our request during Annual Conference.
6. Our membership increased to 20.
7. A program proposal for 1978 Annual Conference was made.
8. At least 8 business meetings were held and many more informal and formal sub-group meetings.
9. A "Day Apart" for members was held in July.
10. A planning retreat for 1979 was held at Drayton Manor in November.
11. Many resources have been collected and shared during our meetings.
12. Our Field Work Model (Display) was begun.
13. We began to learn how to work within the Conference structure.

This list of thirteen items may not seem impressive, but it shows that the members are dedicated to supporting women's participation in our church structure. Christ's words to Mary when she was rebuked by Martha weigh heavily on our hearts, and we commend them, and women in full and equal partnership in Christ's ministry, to you.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Keirn Kester, Chairperson

Trustees of Peninsula Annual Conference

In their ongoing policy of financially aiding conference-wide projects whenever possible, the Trustees made a grant of some $6,800.00 to Drayton Manor last year to improve its roads. We make every effort to help such projects consistent with maintaining adequate reserves and a sound financial basis.

We are still in the process of trying to sell the old Glasgow Church property, located in Glasgow in the Wilmington District. Our plans have been thus far thwarted because of the inability to locate a deed to the property. The impasse we have reached once again demonstrates how important it is for each church to locate the deed or deeds to its property and to keep them in a safe place for future reference.

The low point for the Trustees during the year was the untimely death of the Reverend Calvin C. Byrd. He was one of our most active members and his presence on the board has been and will continue to be sorely missed.

We continue to be indebted to the Reverend William H. Revelle, Jr. and Mr. Theodore Briggs, and greatly appreciate their valuable assistance to the board.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas S. Lodge, President

Peninsula Methodist Federal Credit Union

The Peninsula Methodist Federal Credit Union completed ten years of service in 1977. During its now ten plus years of service the credit union has made 315 loans amounting to $298,551.90. Of those, 59 loans amounting to $74,431.77 were made in 1977. The credit union again was able to declare a dividend at the rate of 6.5% for all of 1977.

The following financial statement is as of February 28, 1978.

Loans	$65,092.23	Shares	$62,031.88
Cash	288.20	Reg. Reserve	2,509.08
Shares Del. Central	32.06	Allowance for Loss	242.00
Furniture & Fixtures	119.10	Net income	748.63
Total Assets	$65,531.59	Total Liabilities & Security	$65,531.59

This shows an 18% increase in assets, and 18% increase in shares and a 29% increase in outstanding loans. Since April of 1977 the requests for loans have been running far in advance of money available for loans.

Respectfully submitted,
C. E. Barton, Jr., Treasurer

Section III

Board of Global Ministries

The structure of the Board of Global Ministries has its membership divided into three Divisions with their related agencies, committees and task forces. These plan and implement programs to meet the wide variety of responsibilities coming under the jurisdiction of the Board. The Divisions and their related agencies are: Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns, with the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency; Division of Health and Welfare, with the Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc., and Board of Child Care; Division of Missions, with the Methodist Action Program, and Neighborhood House, Inc. Within these Divisions and Agencies are additional Committees and Task Forces hard at work on specific areas of concern.

In addition, the United Methodist Women are related to this Board through the participation of the President, Mrs. Marie Brown, serving on the Division of Missions and the Executive Board.

The Board's Committee on Education and Cultivation, with Rev. Harold E. Walton as Chairperson, has worked diligently to further the understanding of the local congregations and their leaders concerning the many facets of the Board. It directed the District Workshops for the Division's presentations, developed and distributed materials, cooperated with the Summer School of Christian Mission, publicized the Advance Specials, and worked with Missional Priorities to bring better understanding and increase involvement through our local churches.

The Board supported the program of the National Division for voluntary Satisfaction of Trust Agreements and Mortgages during this quadrennial. It is expected that this voluntary program may aid significantly in securing much needed funds for the Missional Priority, Ethnic Minority Local Churches in this Conference and the National Division.

In the field of Church Extension and New Church Development a new emphasis has developed with studies and projections which were begun last year. Rev. Charles Moyer, Chairperson of the Division of Missions, Congregational Development Committee, and all his committee members are working diligently to develop a strategy for this new thrust.

To better report on the total program of the Board of Global Ministries there are presented below, reports from the various Divisions and agencies which are a part of the Board.

It is with deep appreciation to all those persons and groups who have worked with and cooperated so completely in all of the activities of the Board that this report to the Annual Conference is presented.

Respectfully submitted,
Donzel Clayton Wildey, President

Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns

There is a broad spectrum of responsibility given in the Discipline and summarized as follows:

(a) Developing understanding of the nature of the ecumenical movement.
(b) To nominate delegates and regional ecumenical task groups.
(c) To relate the conference, in cooperation with the bishops and Cabinet, to the judicatories of other denominations.
(d) To stimulate inter-faith studies.
(e) To stimulate participation in missional programs ecumenically planned and implemented.
(f) To cooperate in and provide leadership for specific ecumenical experiences in worship and celebration, such as Week of Prayer for Christian Unity.
(g) To foster interim eucharistic fellowship.
(h) To encourage continuing dialogue with Jews and to encourage an openness of mind toward other major world religions.

These areas of responsibility are expressed in many ways. I will mention some of them.

We are developing plans for discussion of the theological consensus prepared by the consultation on Church Union. We are nominating people for the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency and its Task Forces. We are recommending our fair share in support of DEA ($15,450.00 for 1979). We are the only denomination not paying their full share in 1978. Some of our representatives participate regularly in the decision making of DEA.

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We have sent materials to the pastors of all the churches, giving them information concerning a variety of ecumenical agencies, so that this information could be used in our churches. This relates to the World Methodist Council, the National Council of Churches, the World Council of Churches, Consultation on Church Union, and the Delmarva Ecumenical Agency. The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is finding a wider and varied participation. Perhaps the best known experience this year was the covenant consummated by Asbury United Methodist Church, Wilmington Manor, and Our Lady of Fatima Roman Catholic Church.

The District secretaries are available to assist pastors or church chairpersons in developing their ecumenical contacts. They are also planning seminars within each District to assist church leaders in their efforts. The secretaries are: Dover, George Godfrey; Easton, Charles Donophan; Salisbury, Al Taylor; Wilmington, Ron Bergman.

That there is increasing ecumenical endeavor, there is no doubt. That there is opportunity for United Methodist leadership, there is no doubt. That we need to take initiative in expressing our ecumenical commitment, there is no doubt.

Respectfully submitted,
Howell O. Wilkins Chairperson

Delmarva Ecumenical Agency

The Delmarva Ecumenical Agency (DEA) established in 1971 by fourteen Protestant judicatories (including the Peninsula Conference, United Methodist), Catholic Diocese of Wilmington and Church Women United coordinates their work in Delaware and Eastern Shore of Maryland through seven basic service arms called DEA Ministries.

The DEA Pastoral Care Ministry in Institutions closely works with the Wilmington Medical Center pastoral care program and the Delaware Cancer Network to assist pastors and laity to provide a meaningful ministry with persons in institutions. In cooperation with the American Bible Society an estimated 35,000 **Good News Bibles** were sold and distributed in 1977. The Bible program launched the Nursing Home project that will provide opportunities of meaningful worship in the homes, develop a trained lay visitors program and offer training opportunities for staff in human sensitivity.

The DEA Social Awareness and Action Ministries, in close coordination with the Methodist Action Program, relates to community organizations in developing programs for churches to become aware of social programs, develop a religious response and become involved in social change. The **Problem Gambling Center** was established in 1977 to provide congregations with programs to understand gambling, problem gamblers with counseling and referral, and a focus for advocacy to stop state-sponsored gambling. The **Public Assistance Task Force** continues to advocate improvements in the welfare system.

The **Interfaith Task Force** was organized in cooperation with the National Conference of Christians and Jews to help congregations to respond in a responsible manner to the desegregation of public schools in New Castle County, Delaware. Working with the **Delaware Council on Crime and Justice** a program of advocacy on behalf of inmates' welfare and rights are made possible. The **Smyrna Bus Special**, initiated by the Episcopal

Diocese of Delaware, provides transportation each Sunday for family and friends to visit residents at the Delaware Correctional Center.

The DEA Resource Center in 1977 established a closer working relationship with the Catholic Resource Center as both centers are now located at 1626 N. Union St., Wilmington, DE. Along with the United Methodist Center in Dover, the recently established center in Easton, MD by the Episcopal Diocese of Easton, and the New Castle Presbytery materials that have been incorporated into the DEA Resource Center, the churches on Delmarva have a unique opportunity to obtain a broad range of AV's, records, cassettes, books, simulation games, consultation services and workshops.

The DEA Leisure Ministries supported in 1977 the work of Dry-Dock 12-12 in Rehoboth Beach, Delaware, local churches efforts to provide worship experiences in state and national parks, and youth counseling services in Ocean City, MD. Consultations on the development of a congregation on Long Neck near Millsboro, DE resulted in an ecumenical decision for the Peninsula Conference, United Methodist, to continue expanding their work in the area toward the establishment of a congregation.

The DEA Rural Ministries, working closely with the Catholic Rural Ministry, in 1977 assisted in establishing a medical center in Middletown, DE; conducted a community medical assessment in Millsboro, DE area as the first phase of a rural medical center; submitted to national denominations hunger action programs a proposal for a Church Food Action Campaign in the four Lower Eastern Shore Maryland counties; and provided migrants with primary health care, emergency food, job preparation and training, and referral to other private and public agencies.

The DEA Global Ministries relies upon supportive relationships with Delaware Pacem in Terris, Church World Service and CROP to become involved in world-wide issues. **Pacem In Terris** is a local resource organization for local congregations to become involved in seminars, workshops and lectures on world hunger, transnational corporations, and militarism. They sponsor the Ulster Project for youth from Ireland to live and relate to one another for several weeks in New Castle County, DE. **Church World Service** conducts two clothing pick-ups each year: May 8, 1978 and November 20, 1978.

The DEA Special Ministries sponsors the **Noonday Lenten Services** at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in downtown Wilmington, DE. **Pine Bluff Village**, Salisbury, MD drew closer to reality as ground was broken in December, 1977 for the 151 unit senior citizen housing project.

A Word On Finances. The seven DEA Ministries, briefly outlined, each have their own budget and are dependent upon local congregations for support in addition to the funds from judicatories and special grants. Local congregations' contributions can be used as "leverage" to receive special grants. To illustrate this principle, the DEA Ministries had $50,715, all from churches, to spend on services in 1973. Five years later, 1977, $437,692, received from churches and special grants, was spent on services to people. In addition, the money from congregations makes it possible to fill the "gaps" of emergency needs that are not covered in the grants received for specific services.

A further word on finances. The member judicatories of DEA contribute on a "fair share" basis to the DEA Administrative function of relationship building, program development, communications and fund raising.

We rejoice together in what we have accomplished, we weep together for those in need whom we have not assisted, and we pray together for guidance and strength to fulfill God's purposes in our united ministries.

Respectfully submitted,
Donald E. Leiter, Executive Director

Division of Health and Welfare

"The church is truly the Church when its members minister directly to people who hurt. By expressing concern for persons who suffer the pain of an unwanted child, the confusion of teenage years, the shattering effects of family breakdown, the loneliness of old age, the isolation and stigma of imprisonment, the fear of needed surgery, or many other hurts,

members of United Methodist churches carry on the work of Christ in the tradition of our Christian heritage."

The church can be the center of such helping and healing ministries. Our program has included support of existing services through the caring agencies of our conference and the training of local church officers. Last year, our Division gave attention to the following:

1. **Annual District Training Workshops**
   This annual leadership event will continue to have top priority. Through the workshops held in each district, we are able to train new officers. Last year, 40 local church Health and Welfare representatives were given training.
2. **The National Association Health & Welfare Convention**
   The Chairperson of the Division attended the convention which was held in Philadelphia, PA. This event provides special knowledge and some training for participants. The chairperson has benefited by attending these programs and utilizes the knowledge gained through the Division's work. It also allows him to make contacts with persons in other Conferences and at the denominational level.
3. **Convocation and District Seminars**
   A convocation on aging was to be held in March of 1977. The Task Force responsible for this enterprise met several times, but through conflicts in schedules, etc., the program had to be cancelled. An attempt was made to hold it in the Fall of 1977, but plans did not materialize. Since the convocation was not held, it was decided that the seminars would not be held either. Seminars were to be, in part, a dissemination of the ideas and available services discussed at the convocation.
4. **Agencies**
   a. Board of Child Care
      This fine agency has been caring for children and youth for a number of years and has met the needs of the Peninsula Annual Conference in extending its ministry. Through the Red Stocking Offering last year, our Conference provided $22,285, which is an increase of $1,253 over the previous year. We are pleased to promote this agency within our Conference and we will continue to support it with our gifts and our prayers. (A more complete report is contained in this section by Claude Libis, Executive Director.)
   b. Board of Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
      We will continue to support the work of our Homes and Hospitals in caring for the aging members of our communities. Today, the work is even more apparent and critical as the aging population grows larger. Last year, a special offering (Mother's Day) provided additional funds to support our homes direct services to the aging. We received from the churches $13,734, which is an increase of $1,343 over the previous year. This is over and above the $50,000 which the Homes received from the Conference through the Benevolence Program. We express our appreciation to all the churches who contribute to the important work of our agencies.

We look forward to a more productive year in 1978.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert W. Starrett

Board Of Child Care

"HOW DID THEY KNOW?"

Joe. Height 60". Weight 104. Complexion: fair. Eyes: blue. Joe sat in the small office of an intake consultant at the Board of Child Care and he exclaimed, "How DID they know?"

Young people age 11 to 18 without homes of their own, without families and/or without families who could fulfill the familial role have been given a home at the Child Care Center during the past year. Living in 5 "cottage" groups of twelve boys or girls each, they have attended public school, been given counsel by a competent staff and supervised by a group of four full-time child care workers assigned to each cottage.

Inaugurated during the year is a new emphasis on people helping people. Adolescents are influenced by their peers who develop a culture which may be negative or positive. A

negative culture results in youth leading youth down hurtful pathways. A positive culture influences youth to support each other in strong helpful pursuits which result in development of high ideals. In a positive group culture, caring is fashionable. Board of Child Care is about the business of enabling young people to develop a positive culture.

At the Center, four boys are living in the home previously occupied by the cottage life director. The move increases the capacity of the Center to 64 youth. More important, the four older boys are learning how to keep a house, budget expenses, cook their meals, buy their clothing and supervise their activities. The learning for life program was started on an experimental basis but is proving an effective way to prepare a limited group of our advanced youth for life on their own.

Summertime was rich with activity. Youth at the Center tutored inner-city children in readin-, writin-, and -rithmetic; and the youth were paid for their work. Camping trips, sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary took the boys and girls to a State Park or to Ocean City in August. The swimming pool, opened for its first season provided even more recreation than we had anticipated. We hope someday to have for winter months an inside play area. The boys and girls currently travel off grounds during the winter for volleyball, basketball or other active play.

"How did THEY know?"

Joe gripped the sailcloth bag, bright with pattern: perhaps it was a sailboat or perhaps a cowboy. Methodically the intake counselor reviewed what he would need to know those first few days as yet another major move was made in his young life. Joe is used to moves. Not acclimated; but experienced. Age 14, he left home eleven years ago and Joe has shifted from foster home to foster home, always moving on when "problems" surfaced. Joe is one of 11,000 Maryland children, who bear the title "dependent and neglected" and who live in foster or group care away from family.

Any minister of the Baltimore or Peninsula Conference is invited to refer to Board of Child Care a young unmarried couple who expect a child and who wish to plan for that child possibly through adoption. Abortion may not be the answer. As infants are available to us for adoption, we will place them with active Methodist families who cannot have children of their own. We work with other agencies on both national and international scope; public and private, to be as effective as possible in the adoption field.

Seven Swartzell Assembled Family Homes are in operation. Under contract with the District of Columbia, in cooperation with Swartzell Home for Children, the Assembled Family program provides close family life for from thirty to thirty-five children. Five of the seven homes are owned by Board of Child Care; for two we pay rent. Assembled Family parents have attended workshops in child care at Howard University and Sheppard Pratt Hospital.

Woman's Auxiliary on March 12 was presented the Volunteer Group of the Year award by National Association Health & Welfare Ministries United Methodist Church. In presenting the award to Margaret Wooden, President, Bishop McFerrin Stowe of the Dallas-Fort Worth area stated: "You have served oyster suppers, held an auction, and sponsored concerts. You strive for a Key Woman in each local Church. You provided a van, made draperies, baked cookies, and celebrated Christmas with children. Your very presence is an inspiration."

To better serve the needs of those who wish to support our homeless children, we have expanded our deferred gifts program and developed an Estate Planning Assistance Capability as well as an ability to administer Gift Annuities and Charitable Remainder Annuity Trusts.

"How did they know?"

Joe's eyes were swollen. His cough was persistent and his nose ran as the symptoms of a stubborn cold added to the discomfort he felt. The intake counselor completed the necessary paper work and all the explanations that go with moving in. She then explained that the Auxiliary wished him to have a "ditty bag." Maybe it would help get started.

Carefully Joe opened the bag and placed its contents on the desk beside him: Mouthwash, Comb, Pen, Stationery, Gleem, Pencil, Baby Powder, Cold cream, Soap, Nail file, Right Guard. Spying the Kleenex, he exclaimed, "How did they know?"

Through the Board of Child Care, the Church serves children. The Church serves in little ways and in big ways. The Church serves with love.

Respectfully submitted,
Claude F. Libis, Executive Director
E. William Hall, President

Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.

We continue to recognize that each Resident within our care is a child of God. All services and facilities are planned, maintained and operated so that the individuality and dignity of each person is sustained. Furthermore, we remain committed to provide services and facilities for aged persons regardless of their race, color, creed or ethnic origin, and to the limit of our benevolence resources to offer financial assistance to those unable to pay for the services and facilities provided.

During the year, the Methodist Country House in Wilmington, and the Methodist Manor House in Seaford, served a daily average of 506 persons in our residential facilities, and provided 36,920 patient days of Nursing Care to both Residents and non-residents.

Providing services and the ability to maintain the high standards of care becomes increasingly difficult, due to continuing rising costs for utilities, supplies and contract services. While we have not experienced as high increases for medical services as the hospitals and commercial nursing homes, we are faced with an average 10% per year. New public laws regulating annual salary levels, and increased Social Security payments, also place additional burdens on the financial structure and operations.

We are providing financial assistance to 316 persons in our Homes and project a benevolence cost for 1978 of $596,000.00. Resident income covers 76% of costs, and the balance must be covered by Conference benevolence funds, Mother's Day Offerings and private contributions.

Persons living in our Homes have accumulated 43,344 years of life and experiences. They come from all walks of life, bringing with them many lifestyles, professional backgrounds and attitudes. As of this report, four persons are over 100 years old, the oldest being 104 and still active of mind and body. We praise God that our Homes provide a haven from life's problems and that even living until 104 can be a rewarding experience.

We sincerely believe our Homes are an extension of Christ's helping and healing mission ministry of the church and Peninsula Conference. As Homes providing human services for God's people, we believe each Resident becomes the neighbor Methodists should recognize according to the teachings of Jesus Christ. Annual Conference financial support and Mother's Day Offerings are very important to our Benevolence Program.

Statistics for Mother's Day 1976 show the following results:

- Twenty-four per cent (24%) of our Methodist Churches did not participate in the Mother's Day Offering.
- The average gift per member of the total 76% of the churches who did participate was 13¢ per member.
- The top five contributors and their average gift per member were (1) St. Paul's, Wilm., - 47¢ per member; (2) Peninsula-McCabe - 25¢ per member; (3) Wesley, Dover - 22¢ per member; (4) Asbury, Salisbury - 18¢ per member; and (5) Newark - 15¢ per member.
- Three of the churches contributed over $500. Thirty-six of the churches gave between $100-$500, while 132 churches gave less than $100.

We believe the total of $13,652.00 could be more than doubled if our church membership accepted the Homes as extensions of Christ's ministry of human services. While the Residents we serve are well cared for, they do not live in luxury. We provide for them only that which anyone would wish for, for their parent or any other elderly person who has for a lifetime participated in the greatness of our church and our country.

The outreach community programs of the Homes become more vital as years pass. We cannot honor all the requests for companions, nursing and food service in communities surrounding our Homes, but we are making a significant and meaningful contribution towards alleviating hunger, pain and loneliness. There is also an opportunity for spiritual fulfillment as we minister to approximately 3,000 persons monthly.

We earnestly request opportunities to bring the story of loving care to our churches throughout the Conference area. We will accept requests to fill pulpits, to speak to groups, regardless of size, or supply complete programs for any meeting.

Keep the ministries of Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc. constantly in your prayers, and search your hearts for ways in which you can join hands with us in serving your neighbor, your church, and perhaps even you, in years to come. Shakespeare said, "No one can serve another, without serving himself."

Respectfully submitted,
J. Wallace Watson, President

Division of Missions

The Division of Missions is responsible for encouraging and supporting the development of new and established congregations; conducting research studies and community surveys that plan for and assist with developing innovative strategies for mission; and reviewing, evaluating, and making recommendations for loans, donations, and grants from the National Division.

The Division has three committees which carry out these responsibilities:

1) Committee on Congregational Development (Church Extension)
2) Committee on Urban Ministries
3) Committee on Town & Country Ministries

During the Conference year, the Division (through its committees) has provided grants and loans for Church development, parsonage aid, the Methodist Action Program, Neighborhood House, DEA Migrant and Leisure Ministries, Glasgow Ecumenical Project and others.

The Committee on Town and Country Ministries has developed strategies for developing larger parish models within the Conference.

The Committee on Congregational Development (Church Extension) has researched and surveyed areas for developing new churches within the Conference. This committee, through the Division of Missions, makes the following recommendations to the Annual Conference:

1) Long Neck
   (Based on Board approval, March 11, 1978)
2) Union UMC

Respectfully submitted,
Harold E. Owens, Chairperson

Methodist Action Program

The year 1977 provided the Methodist Action Program with opportunities to address each of our three goals with exciting and effective programs.

GOAL ONE SOCIAL CHANGE — To work for social change toward the goal of a more just and humane society in which each person will be free and able to find the resources to realize their full potential as a child of God.

Our efforts to help prepare the churches and the community for peaceful desegregation of the public schools has been especially significant. The National Division of the Board of Global Ministries helped to fund through MAP two major programs: (1) The Police, School, Clergy Workshop at St. Mark's Church on June 30th, and (2) the youth group program "You and Your World" done in cooperation with the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Cooperating with the new Interfaith Task Force and the Citizens' Alliance for Public Education, MAP maintains its concern for the peaceful desegregation of the public schools.

In the areas of General Assistance, Food Stamps, Aid to Families with Dependent Children and Emergency Aid, MAP works through the Public Assistance Task Force and supports Emergency Food and Clothing Closets. We have also been active in the fields of housing and criminal justice, where a number of laypersons have stepped forward to assume new responsibilities. MAP's role in stopping a liquor license on the Delaware Turnpike has been highlighted in national publications. Our work to defeat the construction of a Jai Alai fronton in center city Wilmington is not over. Early in 1978, the State Supreme Court will settle the constitutionality of Jai Alai as a lottery.

GOAL TWO LOCAL CHURCHES — To strengthen the local churches, urban and suburban, for a joint mission of outreach, evangelism and service in order that individuals might come through them to a fuller life in Christ and the churches may become stronger forces for justice and Christian fellowship in the

The future roles of the Union and Harrison Street churches have been one major portion of our concern this year. Union Church is prepared to sell and maybe even relocate. Through the creative leadership of their Pastor Charles Covington, they have conducted a survey and made many preliminary plans. Harrison Street Church became the site of a ministry of the Latin American Community Center while it is exploring other options for the future. MAP's support of another LACC program (Court Liaison) helped keep that important program alive until new funding was available. We are seeking now a community worker to help us design appropriate ministries in the Hispanic community.

GOAL THREE HUMAN NEEDS — To meet human needs as they are manifested in the communities where the churches are located. The Central Office should address itself to human needs that are not being met by local churches or

The outstanding community work at Old Asbury was expanded even further in 1977 to include a Headstart Center. After school programs of tutoring and recreation, as well as the adult programs in the evening, the Farmsteading Program, and the summer Day Camp demonstrate the variety of program activities available at Old Asbury. MAP sponsored in excess of 1,000 camper weeks during the summer of 1977 at Haven Church, Brandywine-Trinity, Old Asbury, and the Neighborhood House program at Eden Park, in addition to the young people who went to Camp Pecometh from many area churches with the aid of MAP. The Emergency Food and Clothing Closets at Grace and Brandywine-Trinity, and the emerging cooperation between other church emergency programs, and the amazing work of the Cecilton Charge in its special farm project to help feed hungry people are specific reasons why these efforts will require even more support to meet the growing need in 1978.

The Methodist Action Program is proud of its work in 1977 and we look forward to achieving higher goals in the coming year. We can do it with your vital support of prayers, presence and financial aide.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. James M. Young, Ex. Director

Neighborhood House, Inc.

WHO ARE WE?

Neighborhood House is a Community Center that stands in the heart of South Wilmington as a Christian witness to the love and compassion of the Church for all people.

It's a place where people with different backgrounds (over 100 volunteers working with South Wilmington residents) contribute to each other through their differences.

With over 50 years of Christian service, Neighborhood House has far outgrown the building walls, spreading into the Community with a program that changes constantly with the changing needs of the people it serves. (an area that has the highest concentration of low income families in the city.)

WHAT DO WE DO?

Neighborhood House provided in 1977 a variety of community-centered ministries:

	Persons Served	Total # Sessions	Staff Emp.	Vol.
1. Individual & Social Services				
College/Career Readiness Program	52	279	1	0
College Scholarship Fund	17	N/A	1	0
Day Care Scholarship Fund	20	N/A	N/A	N/A
Resident Camp Scholarship Fund	56	5	1	0
Food/Fuel Emergency	22	N/A	1	0
Public Employment Program	16	133	3	0
Supportive Services (transportation)	440	30	6	0
Christmas Gifts	192	N/A	3	10
Information & Referral	21	20	3	0
2. Neighborhood Development				
Southbridge Beautification Project	66	10	1	15
Vacation Church School	69	10	2	8
Housing Counseling Service	15	21	1	0
Interagency & Action Council	8	8	2	1
Multi-Purpose Facility Committee	N/A	7	3	2
3. Recreation & Sports				
Evening Recreation	200	185	3	0
4. Camping				
Day Camp	63	16	13	0
Resident Camp	56	5	1	20
5. Child Care Programs				
Day Care	46	48	8	17
6. Educational Classes & Club Groups				
Study Hall	46	48	8	17
Dig A. Book	25	14	1	0
Black History	22	12	1	0
ABC 4-H Club	44	180	3	8
Afternoon Club	63	92	1	0
Somebody Club	40	12	1	7
Hercules Garden Project	18	12	1	1
Adult Sewing	47	118	1	4
Continuing Education for Staff	25	30	N/A	0
7. Religious/Church Related Programs				
Vacation Church School	69	10	2	8
Bible Stories/Games	45	18	1	1
Lenten Series	20	4	1	1

WHERE DID WE EXPAND IN 1977?

Housing Counseling Service

"Healthy Houses help develop Healthy Families and Healthy Communities." As you know, for the past two years we have been actively involved with the South Wilmington Community Development Planning Committee in planning and monitoring the City in relationship to housing needs and community development funds. In this time we have come to realize that public funds alone are not enough to save our neighborhood deterioration and **poor people need homes.** As Jesus admonished us, "Membership of the kingdom turns on our readiness to give food to the hungry, drink to the thirsty, clothing to the naked, a home to the homeless and friendship to the friendless."

Neighborhood House Board of Directors decided that the housing needs in South Wilmington are crucial to family development in our area and has, therefore, established a Housing Counseling Service.

The purpose of the program will be to aid poor and low income families to purchase reasonable and decent homes in South Wilmington. In addition to providing pre-purchase and post-occupancy counseling, the Housing Coordinator is also responsible for establishing Community Block Clubs, establishing rapport with local mortgage lending institutions and planning periodic workshops and seminars related to Housing. This important addition will enhance our other programs of Neighborhood Development.

Lenten Series—"Growing a Personal Faith" was held for the first time with staff and volunteers participating in this opportunity to stretch minds and hearts spiritually.

Retreat—"Uniting Faith & Works"

Thirty Board, Committee members & Staff developed sense of community and cooperation — working together to achieve purpose of Neighborhood House; did some growing together "In wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man"; actively involved in looking at Neighborhood House strengths and weaknesses and exploring, in small groups, ways of improving services to meet needs of people.

Location—Superb!—Drayton Manor has an atmosphere conducive to reflection, renewal and responsibility as we return to **unite faith and works** in various jobs.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs.) Virginia LeCompte, President
Board of Directors
(Miss) Mary G. White, Ex. Director

Recommendations:

1. The Council of Bishops, the General Council on Ministries and the General Council on Finance and Administration during the later part of 1977 took action giving an annual conference, if it desires, permission to keep for its own programs of assistance to ethnic minority congregations as Conference Advance Specials, up to half the money raised in Advance Special giving for missional priorities ethnic minority local church. At least half the money raised must go to the general church's program.

   The Conference Board of Global Ministries recommends, that the Peninsula Conference approve the depositing of half the funds received for Ethnic Minority Local Church Missional Priorities Advance Specials, starting Jan. 1, 1978 into a Peninsula Conference Ethnic Minority Local Church Fund account. The Ethnic Minority Local Church Task Force of the Conference Council on Ministries will supervise the use of these funds upon the recommendation to and the approval of the Council on Ministries.

2. **The Board of Global Ministries Recommends:** The Union United Methodist Church, Wilmington, DE, be authorized to seek a suitable piece of property within the two mile "Black Cat" radius in New Castle County for a new church, and the current property be sold to a viable church, and the proceeds of such sale be invested toward the establishment of a new church in the "Black Cat" area, New Castle County, DE.

3. **The Board of Global Ministries recommends:** Since a summer ministry, initiated by the Grace United Methodist Church, Millsboro, DE, has been carried on and developed in the Long Neck area of Sussex County and careful ecumenical surveys and studies have been made and those involved have approved a United Methodist venture in the area; We therefore recommend the constituting of a congregation for the Long Neck Area of Sussex County and the endorsement and implementation of such a congregation by the annual conference at the 1978 session.

Board of Higher Education and Ministry Report

The Board of Higher Education and Ministry consists of two Divisions:

1. The Division of Career Planning and Counseling, and
2. The Division of Higher Education and Campus Ministry, which represents Wesley College, the United Campus Ministry at the University of Delaware, the part-time Wesley Foundations at Delaware State College and the University of Maryland, Eastern Shore, and the Morgan Christian Center.

To encourage the members to function as a Board, meetings were regularly scheduled and included time for Board business followed by Division meetings and concluding with discussion by the Board of the results of the Division meetings.

To give an overview of the work of the Board, the following reports are presented to the Annual Conference with the report of the Division of Higher Education and Campus Ministry being followed by reports of agencies related to that Division.

I. Division on Career Planning and Counseling

The Division on Career Planning and Counseling spent most of its time last year planning the Convocation which was to be held on January 28, 1978. The theme, resource people and program were planned with care to make this convocation as successful as the one held in January 1975. Unfortunately, because of poor response in registration, we were unable to hold this convocation. Our great disappointment was somewhat helped by the fact that one workshop did attract enough response to warrant holding it. This workshop was on Mid-Career Changes and was led by the Rev. Ralph Minker, Jr., who specializes in counseling persons involved in making these kinds of decisions. Twenty persons participated in a three-hour presentation and discussion on options and special problems of middle-aged people wanting to change jobs. It was very enlightening and most rewarding for those attending. Out of interest shown here, we plan another session later.

In November the Chairman of the Division led a Career Planning retreat with twelve youth and adults from Grace United Methodist Church, Millsboro, DE. The purpose of the retreat was to help each person see his life as a gift for God, unique in the skills and abilities they possess. Exercises were held to determine individual skills, to see patterns of interest, to discuss career possibilities and to celebrate with thanksgiving the gift that God has given us. The retreat closed with a service of communion and dedication of these gifts to God's glory and service. Hopefully, other retreats like this can be held throughout the Conference.

Finally, our division purchased an excellent film entitled "A Dancing Prophet" and a series of three filmstrips entitled "Life Goals: Setting Personal Priorities." These audio-visuals are available from the Conference Office and will help strengthen the offerings in the area of Christian vocations and careers.

In 1977, a newsletter was begun so that the division could keep in close contact with local church secretaries of Career Planning and Counseling.

Respectfully submitted,
H. Sterling Green, Chairperson

II. The Division of Higher Education and Campus Ministry

The Division of Higher Education & Campus Ministry has responsibility for Wesley College, the United Campus Ministry at the University of Delaware, Morgan Christian Center, Delaware State College, and the University of Maryland, Eastern Shore.

Most of these programs operate principally on their own with some leadership and financial assistance from the Conference.

We again note that:

(1) Wesley College holds a unique place in this Conference. Under able leadership of President R. Jervis Cooke and an active, interested Board of Trustees the college is developing programs of worth to citizens of this area. The College is a focal point for many events in this area.

(2) The United Campus Ministry at the University of Delaware is guided by an active, dedicated Board of Directors. Rev. Patricia Farris has already entered actively into both campus and community activities.

(3) The Division continues to study ways to improve services to college students in the smaller colleges. Some of these programs are quite active, others seem almost dormant.

(4) We ask for suggestions and assistance that the Division can be more effective in its work.

Respectfully submitted,
George V. Kirk, Chairperson

Report of The Board of Trustees of Wesley College to the Peninsula Conference

In our last report to the Peninsula Annual Conference, we indicated that the college had taken major steps to move from a deficit financial situation to one more positive. We are pleased to report that we were able to end our college year, June 30, 1977, with all bills paid and a modest balance. In the current year, a combination of good enrollment, faithful financial support from a variety of sources, including this Conference, and very careful monitoring of all expenditures, has enabled us to operate within budget. For the first time in many years, we have a program of reduction of all debts and are meeting payments of interest and principal on schedule. We have not been able to restore all the programs and benefits which were reduced or eliminated during recent years. We are aware of the need to do so as we are able. We are working very carefully to merit your continued support and confidence.

As reported previously, we are going forward with two new four-year baccalaureate programs. We believe that there has been sound planning for this and that the new offerings will attract new students, help in the retention of many of our own students and meet very real community needs as well.

We expect provisional approval by the Delaware State Board of Education on March 16, 1978 for our Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Program. This follows by a year the recognized applicant status given us previously. Provisional approval will authorize us to change our charter and to grant degrees this May 13. The timing of this approval and the sequential nature of events has necessitated a special called meeting of the Wesley College Corporation on May 6 to receive approval of charter change to give us permission to grant baccalaureate degrees. With this change, we may then grant valid diplomas to qualified graduates at Commencement.

We wish it were possible to give you a complete review of all the activities of the college each year. Space limitation forbids this. We would like, this year, to share with you some of the work in student services. The primary emphasis in student services activities for the present year is to increase student awareness and involvement in a variety of activities and developmental programs, and, at the same time, maintain the college structure and regulations in support of the educational and Christian philosophy of the college. The following are some significant highlights from the different student service areas.

There has been an approximate fifty percent increase in students making use of the Counseling Center for a variety of personal and academic or developmental reasons. Services in the Counseling Center have been extended into the evening hours two days per week to increase availability for evening and part-time students as well. Because of the addition of the four-year baccalaureate programs, the Counseling Center has also become a career development and placement center for the college and is actively involved in establishing placement files, arranging job interviews and assisting students in seeking full-time employment after college. The magnitude of this function will necessitate in the near future expanded facilities, increased funding and additional personnel to meet the new demands. Initially 120 businesses have been contacted to acquaint them with Wesley's programs and to aid in the collection of information about employment opportunities in their firms. Continued emphasis will be made in assisting students to find suitable employment and to bring recruiters to the Wesley campus.

The Student Activities program of the college has been expanded through the leadership of a new Director of Student Activities and other professional staff persons to include not only a well-rounded intramural program and social activities program, but also a wide variety of human services seminars and workshops on a variety of subjects. Many of these events have been packaged into the Campus Convocation series which, combined with an increased emphasis on religious programs, has brought about an attitude of increased concern for human needs on the campus.

The Peninsula Conference has made available to the college significant scholarship funds to assist students in several categories. 24 students have been helped by the Low Income and Minority Aid Scholarship provided by the Conference. This money was used for students who ordinarily would not have been able to continue their education. In most cases it was used along with other state and federal government grants, loans, workshops, etc. to make a package of aid. This aid is reserved for Peninsula Conference students until the 15th of April and then used for students who meet all of the other restrictions. 14 students received Aid to Nursing Scholarship assistance from the Conference. This fund is of utmost importance as it supports and strengthens the Nursing Program to Wesley. Once again, this was reserved for Peninsula Conference students until the 15th of April and then opened to other students. It is important to note that with the above two programs, Conference scholarships may be the only source of grant monies available to students who do not meet the strict limits of federal regulations. This is especially true of independent students who are supposed to contribute all of their resources to their education, those students not dependent upon parents. 7 students used the Ministerial Discount available to the children of Methodist ministers. We feel that this was significant this year. Two students received assistance under the Christian Service Scholarship grant which enables them to continue their education in the direction of a church-related career. These four programs are very important to Wesley College and to the financial aid program of the College. They offer opportunities to over forty students to continue their education. These students are grateful to the Conference for this assistance and hope for the continuing generosity of the Methodists of the Delmarva Peninsula.

Another element of college life which receives significant support from Peninsula Conference is the work of the Chaplain of Wesley College. The focal point of religious life on campus is the Wednesday 2:00 p.m. Chapel Service which gives students and staff an opportunity to worship together regularly, hear interesting speakers, enjoy outstanding musical groups and face some important issues of life from a Christian perspective. Some of the highlights of Chapel have included The Staley Distinguishing Christian Scholar lectures, held April a year ago with Dr. Ernest Gordon, Dean of Princeton University Chapel; an inspiring concert by the Delaware State College Gospel Choir; a moving address by Mr. Phil Sheridan, the United Methodist layman known for his radio and TV work; an ecumenical dinner and service involving students and local clergy, featuring an address by Chaplain Paul Wragg, Senior Chaplain, Dover Air Force Base; musical and dramatic presentations by the New Horizons, Covenant Players and the Shorb Brothers; a challenging address on human rights by Dr. Alan Guyer, former editor of the Christian Century, former Dag Hammerskjold Professor of Peace Studies at Colgate University and now the Executive Director of the Churches' Center for Theology and Public Policy, Washington, D.C. Special services were held at Thanksgiving and Christmas with leadership by the Chaplain, faculty, staff and students participating. The Wesley Student Christian Association has been active in providing student leadership for various activities such as Sunday evening Firesides, bible studies, breakfast fellowships, prayer and praise meetings as well as chapels. One of the most meaningful projects they sponsored was the one in November on World Hunger. Films were shown; a rice, bread and water meal was shared. Many students fasted one full day and contributed money to the Kent County Emergency Food and Fuel Program.

The College is pleased once again to be working with the Board of Ordained Ministry in conducting the Ministerial Testing and Psychological Evaluation of Candidates program. It is our hope that not only will this assist the Conference leadership in making important

personnel selections but will provide new opportunities for both old and new ministerial members of the Conference to become familiar with a part of Wesley College.

With the advent of the four-year programs, the college campus includes, for the first time, full-time juniors and seniors. Not only are these students bringing new enthusiasm and heightened maturity but also a greater student involvement in many areas of the campus as well. We are pleased to employ two of these students as professional staff at the college and they have the responsibility for the function of two of the men's residence halls. Others are being utilized in other increasingly responsible positions in the residence halls and throughout the college. The increased involvement of these upperclass students and their ability to fill these positions is helping to develop a more positive attitude on the campus.

We would encourage the Churches of the Peninsula Conference to send us students. We would hope that among these students will be young men and young women interested in church-related careers, particularly the ministry. We will be placing renewed emphasis upon the liberal studies curriculum as it relates to pre-ministerial preparation and hope that there will be a significant number of young persons from our Conference moving through this program to creative leadership in professional church work.

Wesley College is very pleased with the close relationship which exists between it and the Peninsula Annual Conference. We are pleased at the number of meetings of committees, boards and agencies of the Conference which utilize the facilities of the College month in and month out. We are honored to serve again as hosts of this Annual Conference and assure this Conference of our continued loyalty and concerned participation as your program in Christian higher education.

Respectfully submitted,
Reynolds du Pont, Chairman

Morgan Christian Center
Morgan State University

The Morgan State Uniiversity Campus Ministry Program consists of three facets of operation: The Morgan Interfaith Council, the Off-Campus Ministry, and the Campus Ministry Staff. The Interfaith Council consists of faculty representatives, presidents, advisors and chaplains of the following clubs and denominations:

Apostolic Club
Canterbury Club (Episcopal)
Charles Lwanga Club (Catholic)
Christian Science Club
Baptist Club
Muslim Club
Seventh Day Adventist Club
Wesley Club
Lutheran Club
Martin Luther King Club
(Pre-Theological Students)

Off-Campus Ministry is provided at the Charles Lwanga Center located at 1630 East Coldspring Lane. This center operates under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Baltimore.

The Campus Ministry is consisted of the following persons: Reverend Quincy D. Cooper, Dir. of the Morgan Christian Center-Methodist; Reverend Murel E. Beatty-Lutheran; Reverend Andrea H. Diegel-Lutheran; Reverend Mary D. Grier-Christian Scientist; Reverend Nathaniel Milton-Baptist; Mr. Ollie Jackson-Seventh Day Adventist; Sister Beverly Ann Stanton-Catholic; and Brother David 10X-Muslim.

Full-time faculty members at Morgan State University number 286. The 1975 student enrollment of 6,361 (undergraduate students - 5,370 and graduate students - 991). A total of 1800 freshmen and transfer students are expected for 1976.

The Campus Ministry Program at Morgan University is ecumenical. The following statements excerpted from the brochure, "Campus Ministry at Morgan State University (August 1976) concretize the purpose of the program:

"The mission of the Morgan Christian Center is the mission of the church: to express Jesus Christ's love in the world through the healing and helping of men and women in

society. The Christian Center provides opportunities for spiritual, recreational, social, and intellectual activities for individuals and groups who wish to translate their creed into deeds. . . The Campus Ministry Staff attempts to fulfill the spiritual, counseling, and fellowship needs of the students, staff and administration. The campus ministers are available for personal counseling, weddings, rapping, and visitation to homes, dormitories, and hospitals."

Respectfully submitted,
Quincy D. Cooper

United Campus Ministry
University of Delaware

The United Campus Ministry is the cooperative mission of six denominations to the University of Delaware. The member denominations are:

The American Baptists
The Disciples of Christ
The Episcopal Church
The United Church of Christ
The United Methodist Church
The United Presbyterian Church

These denominations acting through the UCM Board of Trustees, the UCM Pastors, and many helpful and committed lay persons, provide a ministry and mission to the University community and the wider community which is based on a statement of goals presented in October 1973. This statement of goals provides the context for our programmatic efforts and our mission.

THE OCTOBER STATEMENT:

The United Campus Ministry will undertake programs aimed at:

1. Providing a supportive community—counseling, worship, fellowship, solace, etc.
2. Providing for Christian Education—Bible study, theology, ethics, education for personal growth and wholeness.
3. The encouragement of a global consciousness—Christian and University; Theological and intellectual.
4. Serving as a conscience—a change agent within our community and the world.
5. Providing a ministry to and with the non-churched members of our community.
6. Encouraging the Celebration of Life—religion and the arts.

Respectfully submitted,
Patricia E. Farris

University of Maryland—Eastern Shore
No Report

United Campus Ministry
Delaware State College
No Report

The Board of Higher Education and Ministry, assisted with your prayers and support will continue to aid and support effective church ministry to young adults on various campuses throughout the Conference and to encourage youth in the realization of a lifestyle with values that reflect Christ's teachings.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Carol A. Wilkins, President

Board Of Diaconal Ministry

During 1977, we were slowly 'getting our feet wet' by improving our knowledge of our areas of concern and responsibility. We placed in the hands of the board members the guidelines for our Board that were received from Nashville.

Our first priority was to certify or recertify those persons serving the church in fields for which we are responsible. We now have an accurate listing of these persons in the Conference Journal.

Each district superintendent, each pastor were sent information to share with persons within their congregations. Each letter in inquiry was answered and information sent.

It is the feeling of the members that we are beginning to see small results of the slow but steady work we have been doing and it is the desire of each member to continue and accomplish much more. We need the full cooperation of each other as well as of the other Boards and Agencies to realize our goals of serving our lay professional workers and our church within our Conference.

Respectfully submitted,
June Bostick, Chairperson

Board Of The Ordained Ministry

Your Conference Board of Ministry during the year has sought to be attuned to the needs of the ministers, and those seeking ministerial relationship, in the Peninsula Annual Conference. The most visible results of this Board are noted at the Annual Conference Session in May when the Board recommends candidates for ordination and Conference relationship.

Board Interviews

Many hours are spent by members of the Board before a candidate comes before the Annual Conference. Candidates submit biographical date, theological statements, answers to questions the Discipline outlines in either paragraph 414 or 421, a written sermon and additional information the Board may require. Copies of all this material is submitted to members of the Board for their reading and study. Following this, the candidate is then interviewed by the members of the Board for a period of up to an hour. It is only after studying the written material, interviewing and orally questioning the candidate that the members of the Board present vote to recommend the individual to the Annual Conference for ordination and Conference relationship. This year, over 500 hours of Board members' time was spent in this process. This year we anticipate 27 candidates to be presented at the Conference Session in May.

Scholarships

Almost half of the money allotted the Board from the Ministerial Education Fund is used for financial aid to ministerial students serving churches and/or enrolled in Theological Seminary. Each request is considered individually and funds allotted as the need indicates and the funds are available. All requests for scholarship aid should be directed to The Rev. Thomas Crawford Short, c/o Asbury Church, New Castle, DE, as early in the year as possible.

License to Pastor

Any person anticipating the ministry as his calling, desiring to serve a church or expecting to eventually be appointed to a charge, is to complete the studies required for pastoring. Paragraph 406 of the 1976 Discipline outlines the requirements that are to be met before an individual may be considered for appointment.

July 10 to 21 Peninsula Conference is cooperating with several other annual conferences in the jurisdiction in holding a school for License to Pastor. The purpose of the school is to introduce persons to the practice of ministry. It is practical oriented rather than academic and is taught by ministers active in churches in the area.

Accomplishments and Projections

An overnight orientation program at Drayton Manor in June, for those appointed to a charge for the first time in the Peninsula Conference, was helpful for those attending. It

provided introduction to programs and agencies within our Conference, as well as the how to do, find and fill out reports required by the Conference.

This year another such orientation will be held Monday and Tuesday, June 19 and 20, and all persons being appointed for the first time should give these dates a top priority.

Continuing Education Funds during the year made it possible for twenty-one individuals to participate in Continuing Education programs. Amounts granted varied according to costs, with a maximum of $200 for any one program. Those planning on participating in Continuing Education Programs may submit their plans and requests to the Rev. Edward E. Kester, Queenstown, MD.

Limited funds are available for clergy planning to participate in Study Leaves. Plans for Study Leaves should be arranged with Pastor-Parish Committees and the District Superintendent. The Board of Ministry will aid in the cost of tuition involving a Study Leave. Since more than two individuals should not be involved in Study Leaves at the same time, inquiries for such leaves should be made through the Cabinet.

Again, we urge all ministers and churches to observe Sunday, September 17 as Ministry Sunday and lift up the Ordained and Diaconal Ministries as opportunities of service within the life and mission of the Church.

Respectfully submitted,
John A. Irwin, Chairperson

United Methodist Women

During 1977 the program activities carried out by many of the local units contributed to the goals of the United Methodist Women.

The goal of $95,000.00 from pledges was met and overall giving amounted to $110,389.00.

The Spring meeting was held at Ebenezer United Methodist Church, Newark, DE. The theme was "God's Gift—Our Responsibility." The speaker, Mrs. Miriam Levering, is a member of the Legislative Committee of the Law of the Sea.

Mrs. Mary Frances Cooke, President, attended a Kaleidoscope Event sponsored by the Core Planning Group of the Northeastern Jurisdiction.

The Conference officers attended the Regional School of Christian Mission at Lycoming College, Williamsport, PA in May 1977.

Mrs. Katherine Prettyman served as Dean of the Peninsula Conference School of Christian Mission. Rev. Edward Kester was Assistant Dean. The School Committee reviewed evaluations of previous years and developed a new format for the School. Instead of a weekend and a five-day school, one session was operated in 1977. This proved to be very successful and the attendance rose to 185. The Courses:

The Caribbean Crescent — taught by Mr. Rene Ledesma and Miss Marian Derby

The Local Church in God's Mission — taught by Rev. R. Jervis Cooke and Rev. Nathaniel Miller

Women of the Bible — taught by Rev. Pamela Ledbetter and Rev. Marlene Waters. Mrs. Mary Yaggy from the Women's Division presented the new booklet "A Guide to Program Planning."

A group of six students from the Navajo Methodist Mission visited on Saturday, July 9th.

The Annual meeting was held at the Wesley United Methodist Church in Dover, DE on November 12, 1977. The theme was "Ye Shall Be My Witnesses." Mrs. Geraldine Heilman, Field Representative of the McCurdy School was the afternoon speaker.

The new officers were installed. Mrs. Mary Frances Cooke, retiring President, Mrs. Jeanean Thomas, retiring Vice President and Mrs. Vivian Evans, retiring Mission Coordinator were presented membership pins and cited for their many contributions to Peninsula Conference United Methodist Women.

In December a Retreat was held at Drayton Manor where outgoing and incoming officers exchange materials and experienced spiritual renewal.

One of our ongoing goals is to improve communications between Local units and District and Conference Mission teams. During 1977, Conference and District Officers visited Local

units, cluster groups and circulated newsletters. Communication was improved and many local units were reactivated.

As we go forward, we will continue to draw on the resources of our experienced leaders and work toward becoming "A New People for a New Age."

Respectfully submitted,
Marie J. Brown, President

Budget
Calendar Year 1979

	Approved 1978	% of Total	Requested 1979	Council on Ministries Recommendation 1979	Recommended 1979	% of Total
I. MINISTERIAL SUPPORT						
A. Pension and Benefits Funding						
1. Ministers Reserve Pension Fund	$712,420	32.3	$772,420		$772,420(1)	32.4
2. Life and Medical Ins., etc.	155,000	7.0	200,000		200,000	8.4
Total Pension & Benefits Funding	$867,420	39.3	$972,420		$972,420	40.8
B. Other Ministerial Support						
1. Episcopal Fund	$ 40,410	1.9	$ 43,218		$ 43,218	1.8
2. District Superintendents	135,000	6.1	142,200		142,200	6.0
3. Equitable Salary Fund	2,000	—	10,000		2,000	.1
4. Temporary General Aid Fund	6,500	.3	7,000		7,000	.3
5. Contingent Relief	1,000	—	1,000		1,000	—
Total Other Ministerial Support	$184,910	8.3	$203,418		$195,418	8.2
TOTAL MINISTERIAL SUPPORT	$1,052,330	47.6	$1,175,838		$1,167,838	49.0
II. ADMINISTRATION						
A. General Conference Apportionments						
1. General Adm. Fund	$ 13,715	.6	$ 13,715		$ 13,715	.6
2. Interdenominational Co-op Fund	9,511	.5	9,511		9,511	.4
B. Jurisdictional Administration	1,000	—	1,000		1,000	.1
C. Area Expense	5,000	.2	4,750		4,750	.2
D. Area Episcopacy	334	—	334		334	—
E. Annual Conference Administration						
1. Conference Session Expenses	11,000	.5	12,100		12,100	.5
2. Conference Secretary	720	—	720		720	—
3. Conference Statistician	570	—	570		570	—
4. Conference Journal	11,000	.5	12,100		12,100	.5
5. Insurance and Bonding	4,500	.2	5,000		5,000	.2
6. Auditing	5,350	.3	6,200		6,200	.3
7. Conference Office Building	7,000	.3	8,000		8,000	.3
8. Business Office	52,905	2.4	59,795		59,795	2.5
F. Conference Foundation	—	—	5,000		5,000	.2
G. Contingent Fund	10,000	.5	10,000		10,000	.4
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION	$132,605	6.0	$148,795		$148,795	6.2
III. WORLD SERVICE AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES						
A. World Service	$237,625	10.8	$237,625		$237,625	10.0
B. Conference Benevolences						
1. Council on Ministries						
a. Staff & Administration	$118,000	5.3	$126,233	$126,233	$126,233	5.3
b. Program	8,000	.4	9,850	9,000	9,000	.4
c. Housing	23,500	1.1	25,600	25,600	25,600	1.1
2. Board of Church & Society	3,100	.1	6,200	4,100	4,100	.2
3. Board of Discipleship	12,732	.6	16,485	12,700	12,700	.5
4. Board of Global Ministries	122,700	5.6	188,815	145,000	145,000	6.1
a. Delmarva Ecumenical Agency	14,700	.7	15,450	15,200	15,200	.6
b. Homes for the Aged	79,000	3.6	125,000	82,000	82,000	3.4
5. Board of Higher Ed. & Ministry	915	—	1,100	1,000	1,000	—
a. Wesley College	121,000	5.5	142,000	121,000	121,000	5.1
b. Wesley Foundations	4,350	.2	3,850	2,500	2,500	.1
c. United Campus Ministry	23,500	1.1	25,000	23,700	23,700	1.0
d. Morgan Christian Center	1,500	—	2,000	1,500	1,500	.1
6. Board of the Laity	3,000	.1	3,500	2,500	2,500	.1
7. Board of Diaconal Ministry	500	—	600	500	500	—
8. Comm. on Archives and History	2,500	.1	5,000	3,500	3,500	.2
9. Comm. on Religion and Race	1,000	—	1,600	1,000	1,000	—
10. Comm. on Status and Role of Women	900	—	1,600	900	900	—
11. Drayton Retreat Center	8,000	.4	18,000	13,000	13,000	.5
12. Camp Pecometh	9,000	.4	13,000	10,500	10,500	.4
13. Conference Newspaper	10,000	.5	11,700	11,460	11,460	.5
Total Conference Benevolences	$567,897	25.7	$742,583	$612,893	$612,893	25.6
TOTAL WORLD SERVICE AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES	$805,522	36.5	$980,208		$850,518	35.6

IV. OTHER APPORTIONED BENEVOLENCES					
A. Other General Church Apportionments					
1. Black College Fund	$ 57,072	2.6	$ 57,072	$ 57,072	2.4
2. Ministerial Education Fund	117,439	5.3	117,439	117,439(2)	4.9
3. Missional Priorities Fund	39,240	1.7	39,240	39,240	1.7
4. Mass Communications Fund	5,708	.3	5,708	5,708	.2
Total Other Apportioned Benevolences	$219,459	9.9	$219,459	$219,459	9.2
GRAND TOTAL	$2,209,916	100.0	$2,524,300	$2,386,610	100.0

INCOME:	
Apportionments	$2,311,729
Escrow-1977 Receipts for 1979 Operating Fund	9,881
Estimated 1979 Income	65,000
	$2,386,610

NOTES	
(1) Past Service	$526,177
Current Service	298,410
Total	$824,587
Conference Board of Pensions	(45,567)
Special Appointments— Appointed to Agencies	(6,600)
Total	$772,420

(2) Includes $29,359.75 for the Conference Board of the Ordained Ministry-25% of MEF

In the event the total budget is not met, priority will be given in the following order:

1. Ministers Reserve Pension Fund (I.A.1)
2. Ministerial Support (Bal. I)
3. Administration (II. & III. B1.a.)
4. World Service (III.A.)
5. Conference Benevolences and Other Apportioned Benevolences (Bal. III. & IV.)

.42 to be the factor to be applied to the "Net Expenditures Method" of apportionment.

REPORT OF

(c.) CONFERENCE STATISTICIAN

KYLE N. SMITH, STATISTICIAN

REPORT OF

(d.) CONFERFERENCE TREASURER

EDWARD J. STEINER, TREASURER

Dover District, Table No. 1

			CHURCH MEMBERSHIP													
				Received			Removed									
Church and Charge	Name of Pastor	Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored	from Other United Methodist Churches	from Other Denominations	Charge Conference Action or Withdrawn	Transfer to Other United Methodist Churches	Transfer to Other Denominations	Death	Total Full Members at Close of This Year	Av. Attendance Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number Persons Baptized This Year (all ages)	Prep. Members Now on Roll (all baptized children under 16)	Number of Persons on Constituency Roll	Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes This Year	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
1 Bethel	Richard C. Rush	128	5				1		2	130	50	4	26		3	1
2 Mt. Zion	Richard C. Rush	149	12			1			2	158	60	8	31		11	2
3 Portsville	Richard C. Rush	68	5	2		1			1	73	35	1	20		6	3
4 Blades	Glenn H. Lyburn	138					2	1	14	121	45	3	14	14		4
5 Asbury	Glenn H. Lyburn	67	1							68	30		18	18		5
6 Bridgeville: Union	Gerald A. Foster	481	7	6	1	5	1	1	5	483	165	115	65	75		6
7 Bridgeville: Mt. Calvary	*	99							5	94	42					7
8 Bethel	*	97	4				2		4	95	50			10		8
9 Trinity	*	89							3	86	55	1	4	65	5	9
10 Camden: Whatcoat	Charles M. Moyer	622	17	4	1		1		8	635	203	18	116	90	9	10
11 Woodside	Charles M. Moyer	100	1		2				3	100	28	1	54	47		11
12 Cannon	J. Douglas Patterson	211					1	1	1	208	63	2	21			12
13 Cokesbury	J. Douglas Patterson	66								66	5					13
14 Trinity	J. Douglas Patterson	84							1	83	32	2	4			14
15 Cheswald	Robert P. Hall	164	1							165	55	3	74			15
16 Downs Chapel	Robert P. Hall	64								64	35		19			16
17 Immanuel Union	Robert P. Hall	132							3	129	57	7	49			17
18 Clarksville: St. George	Ivon P. Downing	362	9	2		9			3	361	182	9	82			18
19 Clarksville: Union Wesley	Edward H. Jackson	115							2	113	50	8	36	23		19
20 Selbyville: Zoar	Edward H. Jackson	137	1							138	95	12	15	16		20
21 Clayton: Ewell-St. Paul	Robert Lee Harris	338	5	2		1	2		3	339	125	3			2	21
22 Kenton	Robert Lee Harris	108	1						2	107	45	6			1	22
23 Dagsboro: Bethel	David G. Paul	244	3			2			1	244	94				3	23
24 Dover: Wesley	George C. Godfrey	1725	4	16	5	41	35	6	13	1655	522	23	287	284	14	24
25 Dover: Whatcoat	Clayton E. Hammond	311	29	4	4				9	339	200	4	33		4	25
26 Ellendale	Theodore D. Higby	129								129	42					26
27 Chaplains Chapel	Theodore D. Higby	68						1	1	66	30					27
28 St. Johnstown	Theodore D. Higby	57								57	20					28
29 Felton	Lawrence M. Berry	324	6	2			3		4	325	95	12	65	50	6	29
30 Manship	Lawrence M. Berry	41	3				2		2	40	30	1	20	10	1	30
31 Viola	Lawrence M. Berry	55	1			2	1			53	11	5		5	1	31
32 Frankford	William A. Turner	224					4		4	216	40					32
33 Hickory Hill	William A. Turner	171	9			2			2	176	84	3	77		12	33
34 Frederica: Trinity	Nelson B. Benjamin	281	21	7	6		3	3	20	289	95	7	18		6	34
35 Bower's Beach: Saxton	Nelson B. Benjamin	37								37	18	3				35
36 Sardis	Nelson B. Benjamin	74	4	2						80	45	3				36
37 Georgetown: Bethesda	Austin L. Brittingham	60	2							62	47	1				37
38 Providence	Austin L. Brittingham	72							1	71	33	1			1	38
39 St. John's	Austin L. Brittingham	128	3	3					3	131	70	9			2	39
40 Georgetown: Grace	William M. Fitzhugh, Jr.	383	13	1	2	1	1		8	389	126	10	146			40
41 McColley's	William M. Fitzhugh, Jr.	45	3						1	47	20	1				41
42 Georgetown: Wesley	H. Sterling Green	488	13	2	1		2	1	8	493	173	5	60		8	42
43 Indian Mission	H. Sterling Green	44	1						1	44	38		42			43
44 Greenwood	James B. Doughten	164	9	3		3			4	169	70	2	16			44
45 Epworth	James B. Doughten	35	2	2					1	38	30	6				45
46 Todd's Chapel	James B. Doughten	71	1			2			1	69	50	3	20			46
47 Gumboro: Line	Clifton Hope	77	7			30			1	53	35	17	5		7	47
48 Bethel	Clifton Hope	52	1	1		22				32	25	2	3			48
49 Gumboro	Clifton Hope	55		1		16				40	55	3	7			49
50 Bethany	Clifton Hope	17		3		3			1	16	13		2			50
51 Harrington-Houston: Asbury	Alvin J. Willink	495	4	1	1			1	2	498	208	10	40	150		51
52 Houston	Alvin J. Willink	146	3			4			2	143	52		17	44		52
53 Harrington West: Trinity	K. Wayne Grier	199							5	194	60	2	24			53
54 Prospect	K. Wayne Grier	90							2	88	61	2	10			54
55 Salem	K. Wayne Grier	22								22	10	2	3			55
56 Bethel	K. Wayne Grier	31					2		1	28	12	4	6			56
57 Hartley	William J. Garrett	143	10			2	2		3	146	42	8	24	35	10	57
58 Laurel: Centenary	Otho G. Brewer	888	2	5		1	14	2	10	868	250	16	34			58
59 Laurel: Christ	Romie H. Payne, Jr.	319	5	2		22	5		3	296	94	8	70	58	5	59
60 Woodland Ferry	Romie H. Payne, Jr.	115	1						1	115	45	6	33	8	1	60

*No Minister 12-31-77

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CHURCH SCHOOL									U.M.M.		U.M.W.		PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS					
					Average Attendance													
Number of Leaders	Children (birth — sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups	Youth in All Classes and Groups	Adults in All Classes and Groups	Total Church School Membership	in the Sunday Church School (all ages)	in other on-going classes and groups for learning	in short-term classes and groups for learning	Members Joining Church on Confession of Faith	Membership in Chartered United Methodist Men	Amount Paid for Projects	Membership in United Methodist Women	Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work	Value of Church, Land, Buildings and Equipment	Value of Church Owned Parsonages and Furniture	Value of Other Assets (cash, securities, other property, etc.)	Indebtedness on Items 28, 29, 30 at End of Year	Other Indebtedness (current expenses, etc.)	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
10	25	10	40	85	40			2			20		100000	35000				1
12	40	10	50	112	50			6			30		99500					2
7	30	5	25	67	40						20		40000					3
8	12	3	16	39	30						25	60	75000	20000				4
8	15	4	47	74	44						24	75	85000		5000			5
34	120	60	44	258	125	60	35				75	2390	710000	36000	77000			6
													145200	20000				7
5	25	5	10	45	25				15		25	30	30000	15000				8
8	25	15	10	58							35	300	32900	20400				9
17	70	20	35	142	104	65	80	9	38	205	41	144	403000	55000	26153			10
12	32	16	15	75	60	35	40				26	504	58000					11
9	22	17	25	73	36	39	16				35	150	103000	27000				12
1			3	4	4													13
5	3	2	17	27	15	11	12				22	130	27000					14
11	36	20	20	87	60		35	1			35	2240	113000	22000				15
4	5	8	21	38	38		30						69000					16
6	23	12		41	25		35				28	404	57000		1000			17
14	53	16	103	186	141	11	24	3			37	826	160000	34000				18
8	28	12	5	53	25						18	602	75000	20000	4000		662	19
9	25	19	7	60	30				25		38	760	85000	3500	500		662	20
22	54	27	63	166	92		25				44	100	212000	36000	15000	7582		21
10	35	6	13	64	40						19	350	78000					22
20	48	22	42	132	87		101	3			40	1530	232500	48000	1650	10530		23
101	230	120	168	619	302	272	277	4	96	880	190	1415	1334000	89000	312575	130612		24
10	115	20	10	155	80	10	20	7	20		25	700	410000	18000		136000		25
5	31	10	8	54	34						27	1095	105000	27000	6237			26
4	13	4	15	36	24						21	329	47800					27
6	2	3	25	36	24						26	10	28000					28
19	99	30	20	168	97		45	6			25	846	175000	45000	6435	1467	1000	29
6	19	11	7	43	25			3			13	410	26000		10373			30
3	15	15	10	43	12								22500		612			31
7	34	12	30	83	45								285000	35000	3200			32
18	31	17	74	140			12	9					79300		9000			33
10	48	24	30	112	65	12	8	6			55	1500	110000	32000	49000			34
													15500					35
4	16	14	12	46	30						42	159	18500					36
6	15	8	30	59	40	6	20				15		50000	15000		5000		37
6	17	10	23	56	28	6	10						41000	15000				38
9	33	12	38	92	58	6	20				17	1600	103500	15000		3300		39
35	50	26	98	209	75	30	10	11			56	800	410000	98000	100000	53195		40
6	14	6	9	35	25								10000					41
29	53	40	38	160	101	44	116	10			75	1883	645000	65000	95250			42
8	17	12	3	40	25		12				21	326	35000	4000		39000		43
16	36	36	27	115	88	12	77	7			14	33	130000	21000			600	44
16	6	4	14	40	40	10		2			26	33	46000					45
9	17	13	26	65	45		8	1			17	267	56000		2500			46
8	14	12	14	48	30						12	705	75000		4050			47
5	14	7	21	47	23			1					60000		1230			48
11	10	9	29	59	54								92500	42500	3000			49
3	5	3	9	20	10						8	337	65000		600			50
21	89	30	59	199	140	30	18	2	48	1460	75	372	245000	65000	3250			51
8	45	12	20	85	45						20	387	123600	16000				52
10	15	15	20	60	40	10	45				38	800	161000	26200				53
10	20	20	20	70	60	10	55				28	269	62000					54
4	2	2	4	12	10								20000					55
6	8	8	8	30	15						17	50	22000					56
11	44	26	19	100	50		30	9			17	2828	156560					57
27	80	30	114	251	130						159	1348	1168465	76000	14000	119500		58
11	28	4	20	63	50	35	40	5			40	2181	190000	33000				59
8	23	14	30	75	50	34	45	1			20	1865	60000					60

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	Church and Charge	Name of Pastor	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP: Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	Received: This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored	Received: from Other United Methodist Churches	Received: from Other Denominations	Removed: Charge Conference Action or Withdrawn	Removed: Transfer to Other United Methodist Churches	Removed: Transfer to Other Denominations	Removed: Death	Total Full Members at Close of This Year	Av. Attendance Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number Persons Baptized This Year (all ages)	Prep. Members Now on Roll (all baptized children under 16)	Number of Persons on Constituency Roll	Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes This Year
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
61	Laurel: St. Paul	Paul E. Isaacs	56	2			1				57	25		20		
62	Shiloh	Paul E. Isaacs	47							1	46	32				
63	Trinity	Paul E. Isaacs	130		2						132	70				
64	Laurel: New Zion	Albert J. Dredden	228	9						4	233	40	4	52		9
65	Delmar: Union	Albert J. Dredden	115	5						2	118	60				5
66	Laurel: Mt. Pleasant	Robert G. Kelley	135	4				2		1	136	50	1	41		
67	Kings	Robert G. Kelley	122	12						1	133	40	3	26		
68	St. Georges	Robert G. Kelley	168	20	3	1		2		1	189	95	8	42		
69	Lewes: Bethel	William B. Bundick	482	4	6	1		2		4	487	146	9	62	4	4
70	Groome	William B. Bundick	76	2							78	44		27		
71	Lewes: St. Paul	Gary L. Meekins	46	6						2	50	38	3			
72	Israel	Gary L. Meekins	65	3						1	67	50	2			
73	John Wesley	Gary L. Meekins	77	6						2	81	63	5			5
74	Rehoboth: Mt. Pleasant	Gary L. Meekins	90	5		1				2	94	77	6			4
75	Lincoln	R. Gordon Given	204		2					5	201	110		57		
76	Cedar Neck	R. Gordon Given	20								20			9		
77	Slaughter Beach	R. Gordon Given	71								71	50	1	34		
78	Lincoln: Wesley Chapel	William M. Staten	159	6			20	1		2	142	90	2	51		11
79	Harrington: Metropolitan	William M. Staten	42	1			2			1	40	28	5	17		
80	Milford: St. Paul	William M. Staten	92		1		5		2	2	84	15		12		
81	Magnolia	Pamela G. Ledbetter	152	6	4					2	160	85	5			
82	Leipsic	Pamela G. Ledbetter	41	1		2		1			43	18	1	2		
83	Little Creek	Pamela G. Ledbetter	83	8	2						93	30	1	38		
84	Milford: Avenue	Frank Lucia	1099	39	17	10	5	6	5	10	1139	264	17	281		23
85	Milford: Calvary	Kyle N. Smith	756	13	7	2		8	6	7	757	180	22	189	150	12
86	Millsboro: Grace	William H. Hudson	500	10	4	1	7	3		3	502	196	3	14		6
87	Carey's	William H. Hudson	140	1			3		1	3	134	88		19		1
88	Millsboro: Harmony	Jacob Caulk	87	7						2	92	35	2	20	74	
89	Friendship	Jacob Caulk	58	1	2						61		5	16	17	
90	Millsboro: Zoar	Hubert F. Jicha, Jr.	146	12	7	1		1		1	164	101	8	50	36	10
91	Milton: Goshen	Howard E. Evans	418	7					2	2	421		15	79	60	
92	Harbeson	Howard E. Evans	109								109	38		5		
93	Milton-Nassau: Zion	Russell C. Hurd	42	13						2	53	33	2	19	37	
94	Conley's Chapel	Russell C. Hurd	122	2						5	119	44	1	23	33	
95	White's Chapel	Russell C. Hurd	142		1	1	34			1	109	36	1	39	25	
96	Ocean View-Mariners: Bethel	Earl L. Magill	327	4	9	3		9		5	329	149	3	88	47	4
97	Millville	Earl L. Magill	32							1	31	14		8	7	
98	Rehoboth Beach: Epworth	Dale L. Ruth	525	5	8	8		11	1	5	529	223	3	118	146	10
99	Roxanna: Zion	Donald O. Clendaniel, II	149		2			2		2	147	100	6	41		
100	Sound	Donald O. Clendaniel, II	116	1	5	1				2	121	80	1	30		
101	Seaford: Bethel	James M. Caldwell	53		1		4			3	47	35	5	17		
102	Concord	James M. Caldwell	90	5						2	93	45	1	29		4
103	Wesley	James M. Caldwell	131	1			22	3	7	4	96	50	1	15		1
104	Seaford: John Wesley	George H. Radway	86	4						3	87	70	1	24	47	
105	Cokesbury	George H. Radway	27								27	18		15		
106	Mt. Hope	George H. Radway	51							1	50	40		16	6	
107	Seaford: Mt. Olivet	John A. Irwin	770	15	10	3	1	22	12	7	756	170	10	124	177	12
108	Seaford-Reliance: Gethsemane	Charles W. Walz	287	7	3		4	6	3	4	280	330	5	75		
109	Seaford: St. John's	Ralph A. Ellis	1060	28	26	7	1	15	7	12	1086	408	37	343	132	20
110	Selbyville: Salem	Thomas W. Hurley	491	25	14	2	10	10	12	9	491	161	4	107		7
111	Smyrna: Asbury	Ira D. Steckman	623	8	5	1	3	6	1	3	624	163	15	132	125	4
112	Centennial	Ira D. Steckman	42		2						44	27		24	12	
113	Wyoming	John T. Randolph	465	14	4	4	1	3	2	4	477	160	12	86		5
	Total		23344	551	218	72	293	197	78	313	23304	8966	618	4146	2137	275
	Total Last Year		23344	579	245	78	185	159	63	282	23344	9358	459	4410	3160	405
	Increase						108	38	15	31			169			
	Decrease			28	27	6					40	392		264	1023	130

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	CHURCH SCHOOL: Number of Leaders	Children (birth — sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups	Youth in All Classes and Groups	Adults in All Classes and Groups	Total Church School Membership	Average Attendance: in the Sunday Church School (all ages)	Average Attendance: in other on-going classes and groups for learning	Average Attendance: in short-term classes and groups for learning	Members Joining Church on Confession of Faith	U.M.M.: Membership in Chartered United Methodist Men	U.M.M.: Amount Paid for Projects	U.M.W.: Membership in United Methodist Women	U.M.W.: Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS: Value of Church, Land, Buildings and Equipment	Value of Church Owned Parsonages and Furniture	Value of Other Assets (cash, securities, other property, etc.)	Indebtedness on Items 28, 29, 30 at End of Year	Other Indebtedness (current expenses, etc.)	
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
	8	19	12	34	73	45			2			12		65000	15000		425		61
	4	3	7	28	42	23						13		62500	15000				62
	9	25	20	62	116	71								81000	15000				63
	10	35	17	4	66	27	20		9			43		72000	18000				64
												40	150	100000	4500	5000			65
	16	17	16	41	90	53	10	82	1			18	220	82000	15000	4500			66
	14	17	25	52	108	40	9		9			21	350	102000	15000	2000			67
	16	24	20	54	114	80	55	26	12			15	350	107000	15000	4500			68
	20	32	12	28	92	57		25	5			109	1588	520000	50000	6000			69
	8	14	8	26	56	51						28	35	130000		96000			70
	10	20	10	3	43	30				10		13		50000	5000				71
										10		25		25000	5000				72
	15	25	24		64	55			2	15		20		65000	5000				73
	12	35	16	9	72	60			3	12		15		25000	5000				74
	16	50	33	55	154	99		60				15	323	172000	42000	15000			75
														10000					76
	6	30	11	31	78	53						17	392	50000					77
	10	24	27	19	80	50	28	27	5			12		58000	27500				78
	6	22	10	13	51	12						17		22000					79
	4	13	8		25	8								90000	7600	1400			80
	10	24	9	11	54	75			4			28		137000	18000				81
	4		7	16	27	25								15000	1500				82
	6	30	8		44	25								55000					83
	73	159	86	123	441	185		36	27	50		180	4535	1715250	88600	103000	8389		84
	29	141	45	246	461	178	46	81	7	45	1209	163	6400	995000	59500	61615	9662		85
	12	52	33	65	162	116			6			120		385800	79000	36656			86
	20	33	13	91	157	93			1					76500					87
	7	24	8		39	20	12	6				15	187	64000	26000				88
	2	10			12	10								46000				1266	89
	16	27	30	81	153	85	41	110	10	12	650	37	1033	65000	1000	6000			90
	25	66	25	60	176	101	40	25				73	3595	327750	49500	7180	5200		91
	7	13	5	32	57	25	15	8				30		70500	12200				92
	8	13	6	27	54	38	10	5				23	26	31000					93
	9	17	6	40	72	47	15	10						36000					94
	12	30	11	62	115	37	15	10				27	552	30000	30000	6000			95
	18	49	28	64	159	89	68	74	4			15	135	166360	46200	21830		6000	96
	3		5	12	20	12	6					7		15000					97
	20	40	10	50	120	50		20	5	35	300	150	4220	760000	120000	130000	171538		98
	12	31	9	95	147	110	12			39	100	30	1400	150000	42000				99
	10	25	16	72	123	80	20		1	39	100	30	1400	100000					100
	8	16	6	29	59	30	6	8						45000	16666				101
	13	35	29	80	157	83	3	7	3					50000	16666	5200			102
	10	25	14	63	112	60	8	15	1					100000	16666	10000			103
	15	18	18	10	61	33	24	12		12		33	1280	100000		8000	19500		104
	10	7	6	8	31	14	5	6				11	500	9000					105
	12	16	7	6	41	10	8	6				13	1100	35000			948		106
	25	85	29	32	171	123	74	23	12			65	410	704900	51300		16800		107
	37	298	116	106	557	274	20	40	7			30	2034	353000	24500	9000	170250		108
	45	175	81	134	435	196	83	31	20	84	1575	198	3750	875000	63000	8370	300000		109
	18	90	66	84	258	158	55	30	8			145	1129	761000	75000	90490	4500		110
	23	94	20	80	217	90	110	60	4	15	150	80		624000	89000	56709			111
	2	11			13	8	10			10	1500	15	1500	50000					112
	20	55	25	27	127	75			5	20				355000	41000				113
	1440	4148	2001	3978	11567	6450	1573	2132	281	650	8129	3685	71365	21314885	2356498	1496065	1213398	10190	
	1506	4446	2113	3998	12063	6802	1843	2196	296			4009	71492	19781220	2372914	1504118	1315982	4585	
														1533665				5605	
	66	298	112	20	496	352	270	64	15			324	127		16416	8053	102584		

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			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Cambridge-Aireys: Christ	Robert M. Brown	114	3						2	115	35				
2	Waters	Robert M. Brown	35	1						1	35	40	1	15		
3	Cambridge-Vienna: St. Luke	Roland W. Dennis	261								261	125	1	141	79	15
4	Vienna: Wesley	Roland W. Dennis	150	2				5		2	145	74	4	29	36	
5	Reid's Grove: Zoar	Roland W. Dennis	44	1						2	43	35		23	24	
6	Cambridge-Choptank: Antioch	Norman L. Poultney	54	4	1					2	57	30	4			2
7	Beckwith	Norman L. Poultney	114	3	3	4	1	1			122	50	7			
8	Spedden	Norman L. Poultney	102	6	5	2					115	72	1			
9	Cambridge: Grace	Everett C. Isaacs	1143	20	11	1	47	9	1	20	1098	215	23			
10	Cambridge: St. Paul's	Buford E. Painter	621	9	5	3		11	1	3	623	200	11	160		5
11	Cambridge: Waugh	George O. Commodore	362	11			1		2	6	364	180	6	96	8	9
12	Cambridge: Zion	William H. Owens	844	12	5			11	2	18	830	230	5	58	327	10
13	Centreville	Clarence H. Hays	686	13		2		7	4	6	684	171	22	77		8
14	Centreville-Newtown: C. Wesley	George L. Stanley	75	6	1					1	81	65	3	23	28	
15	Corsica Neck: Earle's Chapel	George L. Stanley	40	2							42	18	2	30	9	14
16	Newtown: New Zion	George L. Stanley	50	4							54	35	6	47	7	12
17	Star: Richard Asbury	George L. Stanley	15								15					
18	Cehster: Kent Island	Roy B. Phillips	625	9	3		1			7	629	275	15	215	335	12
19	Chester: Union Wesley	Lewis R. Jones	176	10						2	184	65	8	24	15	10
20	Ezion	Lewis R. Jones	73	12	2					2	85	40	16	12	13	12
21	Chestertown: Christ	Douglas Ridley	466	10	6	3	2	4	1	4	474	149	28	84	136	8
22	Chestertown: First	Lawrence E. Wimbrow	417	21	11					4	445	156	4	79	107	11
23	Chestertown: Janes	Joseph W. Williams, Jr.	97	5						2	100		3	50	4	
24	Pomona: Emmanuel	Joseph W. Williams, Jr.	129	23	1			1		2	150	75	4	20	1	
25	Church Creek: White Haven	Kevin E. English	71					5		1	65	30	1	11	10	
26	Madison	Kevin E. English	61		1					3	59	25	2	5	10	
27	Milton	Kevin E. English	64							1	63	37		5	10	
28	Taylors Island	Kevin E. English	44								44	25		5	7	
29	Church Creek-Golden Hill: J Wesley	*	68				1		2		65	25		18	15	
30	Church Hill	D'Arcy A. Littleton	244			4				11	237	68	3	3		3
31	Price: Bethany	D'Arcy A. Littleton	113	3							116	55	1	14		3
32	Church Hill-Burrsville: Mt. Zion	Hervey W. Greer	68								68	38	6	6		3
33	Mt. Olive	Hervey W. Greer	38							2	36	20	1	1		
34	Mt. Vernon	Hervey W. Greer	37					1			36	25	1	1		2
35	St. Daniel's	Hervey W. Greer	55								55	35	7	7		5
36	Crapo: Ebenezer	Robert L. Riddleberger	53	4	1					1	57	32	4	14	30	5
37	Bounds	Robert L. Riddleberger	15	1							16	14	2		33	
38	St. John's	Robert L. Riddleberger	43	2	1					1	45	36	2	21	20	2
39	Wesley	Robert L. Riddleberger	31	1						1	31	14		22	60	1
40	Denton: St. Luke's	Edward R. Wilkins	985	16	14	2	5	1	5	12	994	246	14	210		15
41	Ames	Edward R. Wilkins	52							1	51	21	2	15		
42	East New Market: Trinity	Dale L. Vroman	173	9	1	1		3		3	178	54	2	15	33	6
43	Brookview	Dale L. Vroman	44	3						1	46	35	1	11	12	2
44	Eldorado	Dale L. Vroman	53		2			1		1	53	28			24	
45	E. New Market: Linkwood: Mt. Zion	Nelson C. Stanley	82	1			1			11	71	24	4	22	20	
46	Mt. Pleasant	Nelson C. Stanley	45							5	40	18	4	5	4	
47	St. James	Nelson C. Stanley	18								18	14	3	11		
48	St. Paul	Nelson C. Stanley	19				1				18	10		6		
49	Thompson Chapel	Nelson C. Stanley	27							4	23	16	2	13		
50	Easton-Bellevue: Asbury	Gonzalee Matthews	144	5							149	144	1	10	7	
51	St. Luke	Gonzalee Matthews	72	1						1	72	48	2	2		
52	Easton-Miles River: McGee	Hester O. Johnson	59	2						1	60	36	1	4	18	2
53	Dashields	Hester O. Johnson	64							1	63	30			20	
54	John Wesley	Hester O. Johnson	33	4						2	35	10				
55	Staten Chapel	Hester O. Johnson	33								33	7				

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		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
1	Cambridge-Aireys: Christ	3	20	7		30	15						18		35000					1
2	Waters	4	3	12		19	15			1	10		10		35000					2
3	Cambridge-Vienna: St. Luke	12	61	19	15	107	42	5	5		27	420	37	979	75000			10000	420	3
4	Vienna: Wesley	6	18	11	3	38	12	3			16	300	25	500	63000			2500		4
5	Reid's Grove: Zoar	3	16	11	2	32	6	1			10	275	11	150	3000			1000		5
6	Cambridge-Choptank: Antioch				7	10	5								28000	7600				6
7	Beckwith	3			30	97	54			3			33	5161	60500	15200	6172			7
8	Spedden	14	32	21	30	97	54			3			35	1425	108000	15200		1200		8
9	Cambridge: Grace	8	42	5	51	106	80	15	10	5			100	881	720500	71100	208845			9
10	Cambridge: St. Paul's	30	101	29	206	366	229	72	116	4			130		1110000	97000	16000			10
11	Cambridge: Waugh	20	80	40	120	260	140			5	30	620								
12	Cambridge: Zion	16	71	51	28	166	70	30	20	7	30	240	110	350	250000	11500	6000	5000	600	11
13	Centreville	29	112	83	112	336	138	69	143	10			135	1544	1165000	82650	92930			12
14	Centreville-Newtown: C. Wesley	16	57	26	19	118	70	18	48	11	29	2387	55	943	660000	48500		20000		13
15	Corsica Neck: Earle's Chapel	6	31	12		49		39		2	16		39	228	50000	12500	6000			14
16	Newtown: New Zion	5	43	14		62	24				12		12	35	50000					15
17	Star: Richard Asbury	6	29	10		45	28	9		1	11		16	60	50000	1500				16
18	Cehster: Kent Island	3	8	4		15							7		14000	5000				17
19	Chester: Union Wesley	42	220	72	87	421	189	132	411	8			142	1659	815000	112000	16520	241000		18
20	Ezion	8	12	9	14	43	20	16	12	10			30	130	75000	12000	1800			19
21	Chestertown: Christ	6	12	5	16	39	18	20	15	12			20	85	60000	6000				20
22	Chestertown: First	23	86	21	53	183	117	57	64	5			75	2489	445000	57000	17000	7600		21
23	Chestertown: Janes	24	69	27	32	152	94	61	216	17			82	90	523000	85000	6000			22
24	Pomona: Emmanuel	5	46	10		61	35			4	27	478	25	301	50000	18000				23
25	Church Creek: White Haven	6	7	7		20	15			18	25	67	25	80	60000	18000	1000	19000		24
26	Madison	8	20	11	23	62	40	10	24				15	200	71000	31600				25
27	Milton	3	6	8		17	12		16				5		30000					26
28	Taylors Island	7	18	14	16	55	45	1					12	257	49000					27
29	Church Creek-Golden Hill: J Wesley							5					15	330	30000		4000			28
30	Church Hill										8	210	15		25000					29
31	Price: Bethany	8	27	6	9	50	22	5	6	3			43	640	107000	52000	126506			30
32	Church Hill-Burrsville: Mt. Zion	10	39	6	18	73	41	24	3	3			34	948	74000					31
33	Mt. Olive	5	15	5		25	15	5			10	718	12	435	35000					32
34	Mt. Vernon							3			11	784			30000					33
35	St. Daniel's	6	15	1		22	19	3				404	11	575	48000	27000				34
36	Crapo: Ebenezer	5	9	20		34	14	6			10		17	600	31000					35
37	Bounds	3	6	5	9	23	15	6	20	4			12	796	23500	25500	10000			36
38	St. John's	2			5	7	5	5	3				8	1922	10900					37
39	Wesley	3	10	4	8	25	14	5	25	2			26	1831	19350					38
40	Denton: St. Luke's	2	8	2	4	16	7		4	1			10	993	35000					39
41	Ames	27	82	45	38	192	111	20	15	13			125	1454	700000	39000	21000	56050		40
42	East New Market: Trinity	5	7	1	13	26	17						16	293	28000		719			41
43	Brookview	14	25	12	24	75	48	33	6	6			12		220000	60000	4000			42
44	Eldorado	6	11	10	15	42	27		2	2			20		50000		2400			43
45	E. New Market: Linkwood: Mt. Zion	3	1	10	10	24	14						21	1200	50000		1700			44
46	Mt. Pleasant	6	10	7		23	14	9	18	1	14		18	150	34000	24000		3000		45
47	St. James	4			12	16	10				10		8	40	31000	18000		2000		46
48	St. Paul												8		7000	10000		150		47
49	Thompson Chapel														27000	8000		100		48
50	Easton-Bellevue: Asbury												9	80	28000	1500		200		49
51	St. Luke	4	8	7	5	24	15								100000	65000	40000	600		50
52	Easton-Miles River: McGee	5	7	15	20	47	25	15		2	15		20							
53	Dashields	3	20	17		40	15	15	15				21	279	65000					51
54	John Wesley	12				12					19	600	29	800	11000					52
55	Staten Chapel	15				15					12	620	15	700	25700					53
		10				10					12	700	18	800	10000					54
		8				8					10	240	12	300	3000					55

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56 Easton: St. Mark's	Harold M. Davis	1412	19	11	3	1	11	8	14	1411	320	14	75	20	18
57 Federalsburg: Christ	Terry W. Armstrong	293	6	2		2	7		6	286	162		53	35	
58 Bloomery	Terry W. Armstrong	67								67	29		10	5	
59 Chestnut Grove	Terry W. Armstrong	70								70	29		6	5	
60 Federalsburg: Union	Charles C. Huffman	575	3				6		3	569	160	8	123	150	3
61 Concord	Charles C. Huffman	126					1		2	123	25	2	15	38	
62 Federalsburg: Zion	Walter E. Middlebrooks	106	1						1	106	77	2	15		
63 Denton: Metropolitan	Walter E. Middlebrooks	55	2						7	50	37	2	7		
64 John Wesley	Walter E. Middlebrooks	29							2	27	21				
65 Concord	Walter E. Middlebrooks	9								9	7				
66 Fishing Creek: Hosier Mem.	Charles J. Downing	108	15	3	1		1		4	123	50	5	28	50	10
67 Hooper's Memorial	Charles J. Downing	66	7						3	69	27	1	26	60	8
68 Galena: Olivet	J. Chapman O'Dell	239	3	10	1		3		2	248	135	4			
69 Kennedyville	J. Chapman O'Dell	163	3	1					6	161	58	3			
70 Goldsboro: Trinity	Irvin M. Behm, Jr.	159	1		1		2			159	50	2	21	33	
71 Henderson	Irvin M. Behm, Jr.	34		2						36	19		10	19	
72 Marydel: Calvary	Irvin M. Behm, Jr.	113	3	1						117	79	1	34	46	
73 Golts-Sassafras: John Wesley	William A. Ross	52								52	38			6	
74 Galena: Olivet Hill	William A. Ross	23							1	22	38			10	1
75 Warwick: Johnson's Chapel	William A. Ross	20						1		19	38			12	
76 Greensboro: St. Paul's	Kenneth M. Dickey	354	3	1	2		5		2	353	90	10	120	150	6
77 Burrsville: Union	Kenneth M. Dickey	77	1	2					1	79	45	2	16	56	
78 Hurlock: Unity-Washington	Gary W. Trail	392	8	1	4		2		5	398	150	2	49	47	8
79 Wesley	Gary W. Trail	49	2							51	55	3	18	12	
80 Millington: Asbury	Charles A. Donophan	277	11			2	6	1	4	275	100	16	76		11
81 Crumpton	Charles A. Donophan	85							1	84	37	7	23		
82 Double Creek	Charles A. Donophan	51							1	50	39		18		
83 Millington: John Wesley	Phillip A. Henry	75	1						2	74	23		8	12	
84 Chesterville: Asbury	Phillip A. Henry	63								63	18		12	14	
85 Crumpton: Mt. Pleasant	Phillip A. Henry	84							2	82	40	5	27	34	
86 Morgnec: Joshua Chapel	Phillip A. Henry	4							1	3				5	
87 Neavitt-Bozman: Neavitt	John E. Zampier	147	1				2		2	144	55		2		
88 Bozman	John E. Zampier	45					1			44	30		3		
89 Oxford: Waters	James H. Roberts	57								57	25	1			
90 John Wesley	James H. Roberts	12							1	11					
91 Trappe: Scott	James H. Roberts	213	2						2	213	65		16	25	
92 Williamsburg	James H. Roberts	53							1	52	20		13		
93 Oxford	Melvin E. Tingle	192	7	2	9		2		5	203	85	3	18	60	2
94 Preston: Bethesda	J. Arthur Mott	310						4	2	304	80	2	30		
95 Grove	J. Arthur Mott	22							1	21	10				
96 Preston: Harmony	Leonard H. Wheatley, Jr.	99	4	5			3		5	100	78	7	26		4
97 Preston: Mt. Calvary	Carrol Scott	260	1						2	259	85	3	75		3
98 Hurlock: Union Grove	Carrol Scott	67	2			18			1	50	32	2	43	60	
99 Hurlock: Washington	Carrol Scott	69	1		3					73	30	3	20	10	4
100 Hurlock: Zoar	Carrol Scott	50							24	26	20	1	20	30	
101 Queen Ann: Hillsboro	John W. VanTine	269					1		6	262	50	1	54	44	
102 Wye Mills	John W. VanTine	124							2	122	50	4	38	38	
103 Queenstown: Calvary	Edward E. Kester	105	2							107	40	2	53		2
104 Grasonville: Immanuel	Edward E. Kester	143							1	142	71	11	80		
105 Wye of Carmichaels	Edward E. Kester	78							1	77	35		6		
106 Queenstown-Carmichael: J. Wesley	Jeremiah R. Lee	145							1	144	38		4		
107 Centreville: Metropolitan	Jeremiah R. Lee	29								29	8				
108 Grasonville: Bryan's	Jeremiah R. Lee	108							1	107	40		15		
109 Ridgely	Howard G. Walseman	269		2						271	138	6	68		6
110 Bridgetown	Howard G. Walseman	25							1	24	12		5		

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
22	150	50	140	362	200		60	18			140	2071	1300000	175000	60000	45000		56
17	60	19	56	152	102	12			25	300	76	256	310500	59000	170911			57
7	15	29	11	62	45						20	184	12300		3500			58
5	7	6	8	26	20						14	156	10000					59
26	92	34	48	200	102	18	73				120	600	650000	25000	100000	20000		60
8	15		16	39	18						19	500	52000					61
15	10	15		40	12	4			12		14	200		25000	13000			62
3	4	5		12	4				8		7	88	25000	13000				63
2		9		11	4								7000					64
																		65
10	28	15	10	63	40	8	25	10			31		105000	40000				66
5	12	12	11	40	22	8	20	7			6		40000					67
14	52	30	16	112	60		6				30	1173	111000	54000	60000			68
12	40	24	20	96	60				15	500	21	2196	103000	21000				69
9	37	13	9	68	47	12	14		18	750	22	780	86000					70
4	4	4	8	20	36		8				9	75	11000					71
9	48	18	13	88	65	12	30				14	243	85000					72
2	11	3	14	30	16		2						44500	5000				73
1	15	1		17	16		1						12000					74
2	13	1		16	16								4000					75
16	63	34	52	165	97		130	1	25	271	47	1206	135000	18000		500		76
9	20	14	44	87	48		29	1			16	506	40000		11900			77
12	38	20	27	97	54	48	91	4			69	972	300000	40000				78
5	12	13	9	39	29						14	297	50000					79
16	61	25	16	118	82		67				40	532	220000	34000	3702			80
5	42			47	32		62				18	180	52800	7200				1
7	18	9	18	52	40						13	114	35000		1949			2
3	12	4		19	7			1	18	300			22000	14000	5000			3
2	6			8	4						10	185	10000		4443			4
5	18	30		53	20		62		12		30	382	21000	10000	1000			5
													9000		6000			86
7	15	8	20	50	30						42	750	61500		5123			87
9	22	15	6	52	40						12	689	30000		3918			88
4	16	12	4	36	13	1	1				10		84000	43000		586		89
													25000					90
5	17	12	8	42	17				10		12		65000		20000			91
4	9	4	3	20	6	1	1	2			8		39000		15000			92
7	21	5	35	68	45	5	28	2	22	15	45	167	185000	70000				93
12	30	30	20	92	50						27	100	232000	36500	7000			94
3	4			7	4	4							6600					95
16	51	10	36	113	65	56	130						95000	25000				96
8	23	10	14	55	36		46		25	700	50	2050	106000	25000		20000		97
5	15	15	10	45	20		20				28	235	60000			16000		98
7	35	10	6	58	25		35				17	219	60000			4995		99
5	11	6		22							15		25000					100
7	32	13	15	67	42		42		16	287	41	1208	88000	21000		10000		101
6	18	7	10	41	25		35				23	807	63000		19721			102
8	39	8	4	59	45			2			14	854	88000	46000	1000			103
11	40	9	14	74	30						19	1468	150000	33000	4000	14000		104
5	4	5	12	26	15						17	321	75000	5000	6600			105
									15		22		41500	20000				106
													30000					107
				2	15				15		23		50000					108
2																		
10	55	20	12	97	55	10	6	6			14		210000	43000				109
3	6	1	8	18	15								10000					110

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			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
111	Thawley's	Howard G. Walseman	89		4						93	35	3	35		
112	Ridgely: Replanted Zion	Noah L. Beckett	85								85	30		21	12	
113	Goldsboro: Union	Noah L. Beckett	73								73	35		23	8	
114	Greensboro: Mt. Pleasant	Noah L. Beckett	29								29	15		12	5	
115	Lockerman	Noah L. Beckett	34								34	25		8	7	
116	Mt. Zion	Noah L. Beckett	155							2	153	45		14	14	
117	Rock Hall	Dan E. Walker	235	3	2	1		3		4	234	80	5	125		3
118	Raum Chapel	Dan E. Walker	106	2				3		3	102	45	5	40		2
119	Wesley Chapel	Dan E. Walker	270	2	4		7			6	263	100	6	126		2
120	Rock Hall-Fairlee: Asbury	Hanson R. Boney	107	1			28	1		1	78	35	1	3		
121	Aaron Chapel	Hanson R. Boney	101	2	1				3	12	89	43	3	3		
122	Mt. Pisgah	Hanson R. Boney	27	2							29	12				
123	Mt. Pleasant	Hanson R. Boney	32							1	31	20				
124	Royal Oak	Robert M. Price	124	2	2	1		2		3	124	77	1	23	32	2
125	St. Michael's: St. Luke	Lawrence E. Staton	470	14	2	2	1	5		10	472	91	13	78	142	6
126	St. Michael's: Union	Widmon Butler, Jr.	131							4	127	60	1	30	50	
127	Royal Oak: St. Paul	Widmon Butler, Jr.	45								45	25	2	18	25	
128	Secretary (Dorchester Co.)	Thomas Chester Short	124	13	3			1		1	138	47	4	13	26	16
129	Bucktown	Thomas Chester Short	74								74	42	1	26	14	
130	Friendship	Thomas Chester Short	114								114	36	2	12		
131	Salem	Thomas Chester Short	53	1	1					2	53	24	1			
132	Still Pond	Louis A. Martin	84				4				80	28	2	39		
133	Betterton	Louis A. Martin	125			2	2	2	2	2	119	45		14		
134	Lynch	Louis A. Martin	37								37	13	1	16		
135	Still Pond: Mt. Zion	Cordella J. Brown	25	26	1					1	51	30	2	21		
136	Coleman: Union	Cordella J. Brown	63	42	1			2			104	35				
137	Fountain	Cordella J. Brown	34	15	2					1	50	4	1	15		
138	St. George's	Cordella J. Brown	111	31				2	1	4	35	20		9		1
139	Sudlersville: Calvary-Asbury	William T. Sterling, Jr.	248		1			4		4	241	85	5	64		
140	Barclay: Marvin Memorial	William T. Sterling, Jr.	74							2	72	28	8	14		
141	Ingleside: St. Paul's	William T. Sterling, Jr.	144					1		4	139		2	25		
142	Taylors Island: Lane	Wallace L. Greene, Sr.	41	2							43	12	2	20	15	
143	Jefferson	Wallace L. Greene, Sr.	47						2	1	44	16		10	23	
144	Malone	Wallace L. Greene, Sr.	23							1	22	16	5	18	10	
145	St. Paul's	Wallace L. Greene, Sr.	44	1					2	1	42	15		25	21	
146	Christ Rock: Rock	Wallace L. Greene, Sr.	51							1	50	22	2	18	35	
147	Tilghman: Claiborne	Alexander L. Boda	28							1	27	20				
148	St. John's	Alexander L. Boda	21								21	22				
149	Sherwood	Alexander L. Boda	42								42	22				
150	Tilghman	Alexander L. Boda	224	4			6	2		2	218	155	3			
151	Wittman: Asbury	Alexander L. Boda	57	1	1					1	58	28				
152	Trappe-Bruceville: Faith Ch.	Ray F. Graham	18	2						3	17	12		2		
153	Trappe	Ray F. Graham	191	3	6		26	4		8	162	60	3	3	35	7
154	Vienna-Elliotts: Vienna	Cevert A. Lewis	195	2	2					4	195	69	7	15		
155	Elliotts	Cevert A. Lewis	27							1	26	20				
156	Reid's Grove	Cevert A. Lewis	102	1	1					1	103	50	2	44		
157	Williamsburg	J. Roger Wheedleton	27							1	26	9				
158	Wingate	E. J. Clawson	48	4						2	50	30		7		2
159	Bethany	E. J. Clawson	54								54	21		2		
160	St. Thomas	E. J. Clawson	30								30	23				
161	Zion	E. J. Clawson	61								61	36		7		
162	Wittman: St. John's	Frank W. Robinson	53	4	1						58	30	1	17		
163	McDaniel: John Wesley	Frank W. Robinson	38	4						1	41	28	2	6		4
164	Sherwood: St. James	Frank W. Robinson	31							2	29	10		2		
165	Worton-St. James: Worton	Ellsworth P. Woodruff	72							1	71	14				
166	Fairlee: Salem	Ellsworth P. Woodruff	157	2	2			4		1	156	55	2			
167	St. James	Ellsworth P. Woodruff	189	2	1		6			4	182	70	4			
	Total		22916	536	155	52	163	149	42	383	22922	8723	474	4032	3022	308
	Total Last Year		22916	539	197	52	137	126	35	310	22916	8435	553	4073	2701	380
	Increase						26	23	7	73	6	288			321	
	Decrease			3	42								79	41		72

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	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
111	7	15		31	53	30						10		59500					111
112												10		30000	5000				112
113												12		50000	5000				113
114												7		60000					114
115												7		19500	16600				115
116														10900					116
117	16	50	18	39	123	80	15	50	1			25	200	44500	20500	20000	8000		117
118	12	28	13	30	83	50	10	58	2			7	50	15000					118
119	25	57	35	56	173	116	15	65	2			25	200	64000	37000	20000			119
120	3	53			56	43	38	33					30	65000	38000		25000	14000	120
121	9	53	11		73	48	28	20		30	50	39	300	75000			25000	3800	121
122													100	17000					122
123														50000			10000		123
124	8	32	10		50	26	9	81	2			34	2152	213700	68200	15112	6011		124
125	15	46	17	22	100	49	32	29	6	34	563	98	881	755000	140000	90000	7000	15000	125
126	8	35	10		53	25	22	15				30	2986	93400	61000	43400	1800		126
127												10	660	80000		6000		8000	127
128	5	21	6	22	54	29	10	16	9			18		63700	45000				128
129	6	8	22	47	83	43	6			15				18000					129
130	5	5	9	17	36	20	10			11				53000					130
131	4	12	6	15	37	20	7							27000					131
132	7	18	6	4	35	32		10						131000	25000		2600		132
133	5	23			28	25						39	151	92000			3200		133
134	3	10	1		14	13								29100					134
135	8	13	13	12	46	25	8	8	2	6		17		37500					135
136	6	11	15		32	15	7	7				31		32500	12000				136
137	4	15	11		30	25	7	7	8					85000			8775		137
138	3	8	5		16	8	5	5						23000					138
139	10	39	33	6	88	50						40	4438	210000	50000				139
140	12	10	3	5	30	25						23	502	28000					140
141	8	15	9	8	40	31						14	739	56500					141
142	3	10	5	7	25	12		10				14	600	36000					142
143	5	8	5	8	26	12		15				15	150	47000					143
144	2	6	7	8	23	12		12				9	200	11000					144
145	2	8	4	5	19			16				8	300	22560					145
146	2	13			15			13				12	200	26000					146
147														16000					147
148														11500					148
149														32500					149
150	23	16	47	45	131	115		48	3			94	3262	70000	15000	7440			150
151	4	24			28	15						27	1699	28000					151
152	1			12	13	12								6000					152
153	12	50	12	34	108	50	12			20		30		63000	19000				153
154	8	19	9	25	61	40		30	2			27		91000	27000				154
155												24		42000					155
156	14	30	10	24	78	48	13	28				25		32000					156
157														30000					157
158	17	18	13	39	87	35		40	4			18	1200	25000	20000				158
159	4	8	7	22	41	27								13000					159
160	5	8	8	36	57	34						15	199	20000	13500				160
161	11	12	8	44	75	44		29				25	275	22150		10000			161
162	3				3	12			4			10	300	50000	11000	500			162
163	2				2	15			4			10	500	50000	11000	500			163
164	1				1	1						5	500	30000		100			164
165	3	6	10		19	16		29		20				23100					165
166	8	34	20	15	77	60	25			16				107000	50000				166
167	15	23	31	17	86	70						12		120450		3000	4400		167
	1213	3756	1798	2462	9229	5310	1195	3754	263	762	12799	3874	77251	17784710	2634850	1328411	602267	41820	
	1269	3856	2009	2640	9774	5444	1012	2509	269			3977	65646	16678246	2447500	1150725	404226	10346	
							183	1245					11605	1106464	187350	177686	198041	31474	
	56	100	211	178	545	134			6			103							

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1 Allen: Asbury	Curtis W. Smith	114	1						5	115	38	3	45	60	3
2 Mt. Vernon: Asbury	Curtis W. Smith	140					2	1	1	132	41	5	70	95	
3 Mt. Vernon: John Wesley	Curtis W. Smith	58							1	57	28	1	20	30	
4 Siloam	Curtis W. Smith	99	2	3			1		1	102	24	2	46	55	3
5 Washington	Curtis W. Smith	84					1		1	82	26		24	30	
6 Berlin: St. Paul's	Ewart C. Hackshaw	371	7						3	375	120	17	126	566	7
7 New Bethel	Ewart C. Hackshaw	133	6		1				3	137	75		33	50	4
8 St. John's	Ewart C. Hackshaw	97	3						3	97	25		27		
9 Berlin: Stevenson	Donald O. Hornung	418	9	4		1			2	428	118	14			
10 Friendship	Donald O. Hornung	83	8	4						95	45	4			
11 Bishopville: Wilson	John E. Taylor	137							4	133		6	20		
12 Showell	John E. Taylor	123	1							124	40	4	33	10	
13 Zion	John E. Taylor	90								90	45	8	35		
14 Crisfield: Asbury	Howard P. Ketterman, Sr.	562	15	11	1	60	4	1	8	516	152	11	5		13
15 Crisfield: Immanuel	Dallas W. Butler	583	6	6	7				6	596	204	5	54	32	5
16 Crisfield: Mt. Pleasant	Ralph B. McIntyre, Sr.	171							2	169	85	1	48		
17 Crisfield: Shiloh	E. Nathaniel Dennis	169	6						3	172	102	6	33	29	
18 Union: Asbury	E. Nathaniel Dennis	33	2							35	27	3	12	13	
19 Water's Chapel	E. Nathaniel Dennis	72	2						2	72	65		10	10	
20 Deal Island: St. John's	Ralph D. Crockett	107							4	103	65	4	44		
21 Rock Creek	Ralph D. Crockett	79	1						1	79	60	7	22	14	
22 St. Paul	Ralph D. Crockett	101	2				1		5	97	55	10	21	20	
23 Deal Is., Dames Qtrs.: Macedonia	Howard F. Barclay	54	1						3	52	43	4	47		
24 Chance: St. Charles	Howard F. Barclay	65							3	62	56	3	113		
25 Deal Is.: John Wesley	Howard F. Barclay	54							3	51	48	1	38		
26 Delmar: St. Stephen's	Charles H. Poukish	861	24	3		29	3		14	842	235	15	169	80	13
27 Delmar: Melson's	John D. Burbage	189	5						3	191	115	9	40		5
28 Ewell: Smith Island*	Henry Zollenhoffer	278								278					
29 Rhodes Point: Calvary*	Henry Zollenhoffer	95								95					
30 Tylerton: Union*	Henry Zollenhoffer	106								106					
31 Fruitland: Mt. Calvary	William T. Wallace, Sr.	112	1						3	110	55		10		
32 Allen: Friendship	William T. Wallace, Sr.	118	3	1	1				3	120	60	5	16		
33 Fruitland: St. John's	Joseph C. Bostick	416	8	8			5		7	420	168	8	89		6
34 Union	Joseph C. Bostick	56		1					1	56	36				
35 Girdletree: Cool Spring	David T. Lewis	111	5						3	113	75	6		3	1
36 Mt. Wesley	David T. Lewis	127	1	2					3	127	85	3	5		6
37 St. Matthew's	David T. Lewis	56	1						1	56	35	1	3	2	
38 Girdletree	William S. Downing	96	4		4				1	103	40	2	6		4
39 Portersville	William S. Downing	39								39	12		3		
40 Remson	William S. Downing	106	6	1						113	50	5	10		6
41 Stockton: Wesley	William S. Downing	52					1	2	1	48	25	3	6		1
42 Hebron: St. Pauls	Herbert H. Gladden	155	2				1			156	85	4	47	204	4
43 Charity	Herbert H. Gladden	68							1	67	40		75	100	1
44 Nelson Memorial	Herbert H. Gladden	173	10				1			182	130	7	84	220	5
45 Mardela Springs: Emmanuel	James L. Hartman	143	4				2	1		144	63	2	23		
46 Mt. Pleasant	James L. Hartman	43	10					1	1	51	20		13	13	
47 Snethen	James L. Hartman	122	4				1		1	124	38	2	19		
48 Marion Station: Phoenix	A. A. Turkington	30							1	29	27	5	15		
49 Quindocqua	A. A. Turkington	53							1	52		1	13	16	
50 Marion Station: Handy Mem.	Walter J. Mills	97	1							98	45		31		
51 Liberia	Walter J. Mills	49								49	31				
52 Mt. Peor	Walter J. Mills	94								94	35				
53 Marion Station: Trinity	George W. Bishop	47				30				17	14				
54 Mariner's	George W. Bishop	84	2			47			2	37	30	3			
55 Nanticoke	John F. Mitchell	99					2	1	3	93	70				
56 Bivalve	John F. Mitchell	89	3				2	1	3	86	70	3	3		
57 Tyaskin	John F. Mitchell	50	2						2	50	70	3	7		
58 Nanticoke: Asbury	Samuel P. Sanders	90	1						3	88	50	1	20		
59 Elzey	Samuel P. Sanders	50							2	48	25			7	
60 Newton: Grace	Samuel P. Sanders	21								21	14				
61 Wetipquin: John Wesley	Samuel P. Sanders	34	1						1	34					
62 Newark: Bowen	Lloyd R. Ford	172								172	45	5			6
63 Calvary	Lloyd R. Ford	179								179	54	2			
64 Sinepunxent: Bethany	Lloyd R. Ford	114								114	48				
65 Trinity	Lloyd R. Ford	118					1	1	3	113	45				5
66 Ocean City: Atlantic	Clifford A. Armour, Jr.	385	13	27	10		5		4	426	371	19			10
67 Taylorsville	Clifford A. Armour, Jr.	44							2	42	37			15	
68 Oriole: St. Peter's	Harley H. Krause	150	6	4	1				2	159	88	8	34	8	6
69 Dames Quarter: Somerset	Harley H. Krause	55					2			53	23	1	9		
70 St. Stephen's	Harley H. Krause	14								14	11				
71 Parsonsburg: Jerusalem	Floyd A. Twilley, Jr.	181					2		1	178	60	2	27	8	
72 Bethel	Floyd A. Twilley, Jr.	48								48	17	2	8	8	

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21	2	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
10	15	9	28	62	37		25	1			28	504	120000	60000	90294			1
15	28	10	21	74	48		40				20	668	62000		25000			2
4	5	8	20	37	16								30500		5736			3
6	5	8	17	36	24		20	2			28	167	30000		38000			4
5	12	5	26	48	22		15				14	440	85000		7221			5
15	95	22	8	140	60	15	10	7	15		30		250000	35000	18000			6
6	18	10	12	46	18		6	6	10		25		50000	21000	5139			7
4	14	12	5	35	10	5	5	3	10		15		25000					8
20	35	18	37	110	70			3			35	663	301000	57000	1000			9
8	13	12	42	75	50			5			16	135	75000					10
18	35	10	38	101	60						19		86000	24000				11
11	40	15	35	101	55						16		50000					12
13	30	20	52	115	70								70000		5000			13
15	46	22	55	138	88	74	48	11			62	891	739000	69000	12257	19800		14
24	42	40	133	239	144	52	85	4			72	2650	800000		132860			15
13	46	43	55	157	101	32	126		21		50		394600	20000				16
3	21	24		48	32													17
											16	97	75000	25000				18
									12	157	16		25000					19
15	45	25	35	120	65	20					35	2500	120000	50000	20000	9400		20
12	30	22	40	104	65	20					28	3500	90000		22000			21
14	45	32	66	157	80	30		2			25	2200	65000					22
3	27	16		46	24				14		18		100000			9075		23
5	62	31		98	60	18			19	825	17		100000			2964		24
4	42	17	10	73	35	14			14	1000	21	1200	12500	4000				25
36	103	37	46	222	109	55	12	13	50	350	149	5098	511500	32250	96864			26
13	30	19	92	154	89		60	5	13	19	36	1774	232000	68000	9000	18500		27
																		28
																		29
																		30
5	15	8	10	38	30	10			16		21	70	79000	26000				31
5	15	10	11	41	30	12	17		25		30	139	50000					32
28	120	70	100	318	100	86	140	3	10	150	80	2575	400000	40000	11000			33
											26	1102	30000					34
5	4	3	7	19	38			2	15		11	75	38000	1000				35
5	7	9	12	33	40	19			17		16	70	4000	1000				36
3	4	6	5	18	18	1	9	1			8	42	21500	1000				37
9	15	10	35	89	30						32	50	49500	6500				38
2			38	40	12						18	33	7500					39
13	24	21	50	108	40			6			45		37000					40
5	16	5	10	36	36						20	35	30000					41
12	38	18	35	103	50	12	10	2			20	150	153200	28000	2500			42
10	15	4	12	41	25						18	175	9000		3000			43
15	45	30	40	130	90	20	15	2			25	200	180000	10000	13000			44
9	14	11	45	79	47	15	5				16	100	125000	15000				45
1			15	16	10						20	956	125000		2000			46
8	20	6	44	78	40	10	110						130000	15000	10000			47
													30000					48
													40000					49
6	21	20		47	15						20		73000	5000				50
3	15	3		21	14						8		16000					51
3	15	9		27	15						24		18000	500				52
													60000	9000				53
5	4	3	25	37	28			2			22	375	115000		7500			54
8	4	10	20	42	40		15						37500	5400				56
8	4	10	20	42	40		15						4000	5400				57
6	25	12	2	65	32		22				20		35000		18000	3700		58
4	15	15		34	18								22150		6000			59
4	15	15		34	18								22150		6000			60
													10000					
4	10	15		29									17000					61
7	21	10	14	52	28						30		75000	12500	16650			62
9	10	12	25	56	25	75	20		20		25		80000					63
5	5	4	15	29	15	44			15		25		50000					64
7	21	20	14	62	28						19		55000	12500	13000			65
15	156	73	35	279	127	25	38	7			100	7000	487000	65000		41221		66
						18					20	500	40000					67
20	48	12	94	174	78	25	48	6	24	1169	34	144	50000	15000				68
6	4	18	15	43	22	7							19500					69
1			13	14	10								10000					70
15	43	15	44	117	75	15	85				27	855	85000	33000				71
7	3	7	36	53	20	10					22	870	36000					72

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Church and Charge	Name of Pastor	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP: Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	Received: This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored	Received: from Other United Methodist Churches	Received: from Other Denominations	Removed: Charge Conference Action or Withdrawn	Removed: Transfer to Other United Methodist Churches	Removed: Transfer to Other Denominations	Removed: Death	Total Full Members at Close of This Year	Av. Attendance Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number Persons Baptized This Year (all ages)	Prep. Members Now on Roll (all baptized children under 16)	Number of Persons on Constituency Roll	Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes This Year	
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
73 Zion	Floyd A. Twilley, Jr.	207							1	206	85	1	34			73
74 Pittsville-Willards: Ayres	G. Francis Wilson	300	6	3			1		2	306	270	19	240	150	28	74
75 Eden	G. Francis Wilson	221	4	1				1	1	224	80	2	67	70		75
76 Grace	G. Francis Wilson	116							1	115	37		25	22		76
77 Pocomoke City: Bethany	Thomas J. Wall	204	4	2		3	3	1	7	196	46		9	13	4	77
78 Salem	Thomas J. Wall	440	12	5	2	4	3	1	6	445	160	10	50	28	9	78
79 Pocomoke City: Mt. Zion	James A. Simon	164	3			8			3	156	75	3	24	34		79
80 St. James	James A. Simon	110				15			3	92	55	5				80
81 Trinity	James A. Simon	42							2	40	15					81
82 Powellville	Joseph F. Moore	252							3	249	50		11			82
83 Friendship	Joseph F. Moore	69							2	67	16	1	6			83
84 Mt. Olive	Bruce E. Cooke	103								103	20		6			84
85 Mt. Pleasant	Joseph F. Moore	95	1						8	88	55	2	6			85
86 Princess Anne: Antioch	W. T. Archer, Jr.	482	9		2		2		3	488	100	11				86
87 Cokesbury	W. T. Archer, Jr.	82	1							83	45		19			87
88 Friendship	W. T. Archer, Jr.	20				10			1	9						88
89 Princess Anne: Metropolitan	Vaughn A. Johnson	153	15	1	1		2		3	165	126	2	32		15	89
90 Marumsco: Ebenezer	Vaughn A. Johnson	225	6						4	227	135	6	12		12	90
91 Princess Anne, Mt. Vernon: St. Paul	Joseph S. Brackeen	46	1				1			46	30					91
92 Mt. Zion	Joseph S. Brackeen	46								46	35	1				92
93 Venton: Grace	Joseph S. Brackeen	80							3	77	25					93
94 Quantico: First	Gary L. Moore	100	1						1	100	45		13		1	94
95 Rockawalkin: Ebenezer	Gary L. Moore	191	3	6					2	198	95	3	44		3	95
96 Salisbury: Asbury	Howell O. Wilkins	1313	30	21	10	15	17	7	12	1323	348	12		66	37	96
97 Salisbury: Bethesda	Brooks E. Reynolds	1630	36	41	15		12	9	14	1687	403	15	179		14	97
98 Salisbury: Christ	George L. Stellges	339	6	5		1	32	2	3	312	135	4	34	68	5	98
99 Mt. Hermon	George L. Stellges	115	2			17		6	3	91	32	1	17	2		99
100 Salisbury: Grace	James W. Riley	607	6	8	2	15	2	2	4	600	157	19	39		1	100
101 Salisbury, Quantico: Mt. Zion	Edward W. Lee	79	2						1	80	60	4	27	42	32	101
102 Hebron: St. Luke	Edward W. Lee	98	6						1	103	75	10	45	61	6	102
103 White Haven: Friendship	Edward W. Lee	84	1			2		3	1	79	46	4	38	50		103
104 Salisbury: Riverside	Warren J. Ford	63	4			1		1	1	64	58	5	39			104
105 St. Martins	Warren J. Ford	47					3			44	34	3	14		4	105
106 Salisbury: St. Andrews	*	337		1		4	14		5	315	190	5	57	40		106
107 Salisbury: Trinity	Howard L. Gordy, Jr.	886	7	46	11		2		8	940	325	18	64	26	9	107
108 Salisbury: Wesley Temple	W. Hayward Greene	280	5	8	2	1			2	292	125	8	78			108
109 Sharptown: Asbury	Claude C. Brown	214		2					5	211	60	7	92			109
110 Cokesbury	Claude C. Brown	74	2						1	75	25					110
111 Riverton	Claude C. Brown	38								38	15					111
112 Sharptown: Mt. Vernon	Alfred E. Taylor	158					1	1	2	154	82	4	33	14	4	112
113 Galestown	Alfred E. Taylor	89								89	28	1	43	10		113
114 Mt. Hermon	Alfred E. Taylor	48							1	47	35	1	23		3	114
115 Wheatley's	Alfred E. Taylor	31								31	10	1	6	13		115
116 Sharptown: Zion	Ebenezer Mudede	98	7	1					2	104	70				5	116
117 Mardela: John Wesley	Ebenezer Mudede	39	7							46			3		3	117
118 Mt. Nebo	Ebenezer Mudede	58	13							71	25	1	6			118
119 Snow Hill: Bates Memorial	Bruce E. Cooke	328	8	2			1	1	3	333	107	5	111	55	8	119
120 Snow Hill: Ebenezer	James T. Seymour	182	23		1	2			4	200	107	8	29	15	9	120
121 Friendship	James T. Seymour	11	6						1	16	11		10	14	7	121
122 Hutt's Memorial	James T. Seymour	24	5						1	28	17	4	12	9	4	122
123 Snow Hill: Whatcoat	William Dore	399	10	2	1		3		9	400	148	7	46	108	6	123
124 Stockton: St. Paul's	Clarence R. Burke	55	2						3	54	48	4	21	19		124
125 Shiloh	Clarence R. Burke	52	1						1	52	44	2	20	14		125
126 Tyaskin, Oakville: St. Mark's	Clarence E. Handy	68	4						6	66	50	4	69			126
127 Flower Hill	Clarence E. Handy	10	5							15	12	1	17			127
128 John Wesley	Clarence E. Handy	70		1					3	68	30		46		3	128
129 St. James	Clarence E. Handy	41	2	1					2	42	35	2	24			129
130 Upper Fairmount: Christ	Richard E. Green	162	3				3		1	161	61	8			3	130
131 Mt. Olive	Richard E. Green	32								32	29			24		131
132 Rehoboth	Richard E. Green	28								28	10			6		132
133 Upper Hill: St. Andrew's	Serchal W. Hodge	78	1			12			1	66	25	1	24	9		133
134 Centennial	Serchal W. Hodge	22							1	21	12		10	11		134
135 Marion Station: J. Wesley	Serchal W. Hodge	74	1						1	74	32		24	8		135
136 Samuel Wesley	Serchal W. Hodge	23	2						6	19	12		20	9		136
137 Whaleysville	Russell Lehman	122	9							131	65	4	12			137
138 New Hope	Russell Lehman	103	5						4	104	30	1	1			138
139 Whaleysville: Pullett's	Herbert E. Sye, Jr.	60	1						2	59	46		29			139
140 Bishopville: Curtis	Herbert E. Sye, Jr.	107	3					1	3	106	94	10	15			140
141 Parsonburg: Bishop Memorial	Herbert E. Sye, Jr.	23	2		1					26	21	4	3			141
Total		22413	482	232	73	277	139	45	310	22429	9218	500	3689	2708	349	
Total Last Year		22413	543	263	86	258	168	57	329	22413	9300	574	4158	2766	414	
Increase						19				16						
Decrease			61	31	13		29	12	19		82	74	469	58	65	

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73 Zion	15	56	45	51	167	100						15		103000		1000	4000	850	73
74 Pittsville-Willards: Ayres	35	187	76	65	363	180	55	170	9			18	560	170000	25000	3500	4900		74
75 Eden	17	54	26	33	130	75	20	53	4			38	514	86500	25000		2500		75
76 Grace	6	10	5	12	33	27	6	18				15	380	25500					76
77 Pocomoke City: Bethany												61	1816	236829		33000			77
78 Salem	21	60	28	63	172	93	12	150	11	12	650	89	2007	520172	70000	13400	57978		78
79 Pocomoke City: Mt. Zion	12	10	20	8	50	38			3	11		45	387	150000	60000				79
80 St. James	7	23	8		38							18	220	102000			6000		80
81 Trinity	6	5	5	15	31	20	20	20		10		16	100	22000		11500			81
82 Powellville	12	25	12	23	72	48						23		60000	30000				82
83 Friendship	8	12	5	15	40	9						20		6000					83
84 Mt. Olive	3	6	12	11	32	20						12	52	19000					84
85 Mt. Pleasant	10	14	8	34	66	45						16		21000					85
86 Princess Anne: Antioch	29	39	27	35	130	100						67	1456	290000	45500	150000			86
87 Cokesbury	8	12	8	15	43	20						25	691	56000	13000				87
88 Friendship														22500					88
89 Princess Anne: Metropolitan	12	15	20	15	62	40	12	12		30	1400	30	1500	75000	45000		3000		89
90 Marumsco: Ebenezer	12	30	26	80	148	60	20	12	20	20	900	35	900	125000		5000	500		90
91 Princess Anne, Mt. Vernon: St. Paul										10		20		22000	20000	11000			91
92 Mt. Zion										12		20		25000	3000		884	100	92
93 Venton: Grace										15		30	800	25000	35000				93
94 Quantico: First	5	3		12	20	20			1			14		10000		2400			94
95 Rockawalkin: Ebenezer	11	60	15	35	121	75						6	55	80700	42000	4500	5700		95
96 Salisbury: Asbury	66	452	168	250	936	190	337	230	25			175		2449351	150000	133580	98000		96
97 Salisbury: Bethesda	35	165	93	175	468	130	290	334	16	46	984	315	8499	1579701	148253	19709	82482		97
98 Salisbury: Christ	17	41	37	45	140	70	30	71	5	15	370	25	710	159000	26000	1500	6880		98
99 Mt. Hermon	7	18	5		30	20	10	24	2			22	465	40000	20000				99
100 Salisbury: Grace	27	78	36	130	271	170	52	82	4			103	805	541900	68900	4650			100
101 Salisbury, Quantico: Mt. Zion	4	28	12		44	32			2					120000	11130		11544		101
102 Hebron: St. Luke	5	21	13		39	25	4		6					100000	11130		9523		102
103 White Haven: Friendship	5	39	12		56									100000	11130		9523		103
104 Salisbury: Riverside	10	27	17	29	83	50	14					28	65	100000					104
105 St. Martins	8	11	4	14	37	36	6					10	25	60000					105
106 Salisbury: St. Andrews	13	45	20	55	133	100	90			35	668	30	245	120000	47000	37000	5325		106
107 Salisbury: Trinity	28	48	32	64	172	125	10	35	13			158	1075	350000	50000	30000			107
108 Salisbury: Wesley Temple	21	30	27	10	88	41		10		11	810	48	3020	160000	65000	9500	20672		108
109 Sharptown: Asbury	12	36	28	61	137	48						31	49	171000	45300				109
110 Cokesbury	8	26	11	23	68	25						18	58	17000					110
111 Riverton												12	41	27030		3000			111
112 Sharptown: Mt. Vernon	18	44	26	79	167	89	40	70				34	353	285000	48000		9900		112
113 Galestown	4	22	5	6	37	19						20	1175	25000		8000			113
114 Mt. Hermon	10	10	13	37	70	35	15	3				22	2500	7500	20000		4800		114
115 Wheatley's	2	2		16	20	10						14		9500		7500			115
116 Sharptown: Zion	10	10	15	11	46	31				15			111	36000	25000	10000			116
117 Mardela: John Wesley	3	2	8		13	5						10		25000		15000			117
118 Mt. Nebo	5	5	16	10	36	20							100	40000		46000			118
119 Snow Hill: Bates Memorial	25	38	28	25	116	46	48	48	8			85	1338	220000	50000	6000	11000		119
120 Snow Hill: Ebenezer	10	31	19	12	72	37	18	60	8	24		58		92000	42000	6000			120
121 Friendship												11		16000					121
122 Hutt's Memorial	2	10			12		15					8		30000					122
123 Snow Hill: Whatcoat	20	46	20	63	149	81	74		2			104	2915	612775	70500	204782	15750	5000	123
124 Stockton: St. Paul's	5	25	12	42	84							16		25000	11000		2200		124
125 Shiloh	6	14	10	30	60					10		12		16000					125
126 Tyaskin, Oakville: St. Mark's	4	40	15	10	69				3			16	12000	150000					126
127 Flower Hill	2			8	10	10						8	250	50000					127
128 John Wesley	3		10	8	21									85000					128
129 St. James	3	4	9		16	6								80000					129
130 Upper Fairmount: Christ	8	19	4	16	47	21	10	44	3	27	977	53	691	120000	40000				130
131 Mt. Olive	7	4	4	11	26	17								30000					131
132 Rehoboth														22000					132
133 Upper Hill: St. Andrew's	2	15	9		26	18				12	200	15		30000	20000		3100		133
134 Centennial	1	6	4		11	8						10		20000					134
135 Marion Station: J. Wesley										18	1000	23	1000	30000					135
136 Samuel Wesley	2	12	8		22	16								33000					136
137 Whaleysville	9	14	8	37	68	49	14					40	676	45000	32500				137
138 New Hope	8	23	21	57	109	48	4							60000					138
139 Whaleysville: Pullett's	3	10	7	11	31	15				6		12		19000	10000				139
140 Bishopville: Curtis	4	20	18	20	62	30				15		20		20000	5000				140
141 Parsonburg: Bishop Memorial	3	12	5	5	25	16				6		10		20000					141
Total	1248	3788	2131	3646	10813	5397	1965	2462	238	680	11629	3789	87607	17422241	2218793	1368542	482323	5950	
Total Last Year	1334	3893	2438	3698	11363	5862	2018	2211	286			4331	74223	16580771	1897850	1149461	623707	15196	
Increase								251					13384	841470	320943	219081			
Decrease	86	105	307	52	550	465	53		48			542					141384	9246	

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Church and Charge	Name of Pastor	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP: Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	Received: This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored	Received: from Other United Methodist Churches	Received: from Other Denominations	Removed: Charge Conference Action or Withdrawn	Removed: Transfer to Other United Methodist Churches	Removed: Transfer to Other Denominations	Removed: Death	Total Full Members at Close of This Year	Av. Attendance Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number Persons Baptized This Year (all ages)	Prep. Members Now on Roll (all baptized children under 16)	Number of Persons on Constituency Roll	Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes This Year
1 Bear: Red Lion	Irvin R. Pusey	884	68	22	12	6	6	4	4	966	700	76	82	200	
2 Cecilton, Md.: Zion	Jonothan Baker	298	9				2		1	304	135	13	109	39	9
3 St. Paul's	Jonothan Baker	84		3					2	85	90	1	17		
4 Charlestown, Md.: St. John's	Samuel M. Smith, Sr.	78							1	77	65		25	30	
5 Hart's Chapel	Samuel M. Smith, Sr.	28								28	35	1	4		
6 Chesapeake City, Md.: Trinity	Frank O. Baynard	253		1			1	1	1	251	80	7	75	95	
7 Town Point	Frank O. Baynard	40	2	1	2					45	29		15		
8 Christiana-Kirkwood: St. Paul	William H. Black	39							1	38	25		7	24	
9 Mt. Pleasant	William H. Black	25								25			23		
10 Christiana	Donald J. Hurst	226	48	27	1	6	3		4	289	146	17	143	369	43
11 Salem	Donald J. Hurst	101	17	5	3					115	60	11	62	150	20
12 Claymont: Atonement	Donald O. Clendaniel, Jr.	1433	40	17	4		6	3	2	1471	410	31	266		8
13 Colora, Md.: Hopewell	Dilio E. Mariotti	199					14	1	8	196	101	2	86		
14 Mt. Pleasant	Dilio E. Mariotti	215					3		3	209	80		41		
15 Elkton, Md.	Charles E. Barton, Jr.	917	15	9		3	9		19	910	223	26	218	252	9
16 Providence	Charles E. Barton, Jr.	31								31	29	3	14	16	
17 Elkton, Md.: Cherry Hill	S. Willard Crossan, III	165	3				2	2	2	162	55	6	78		3
18 Baldwin	S. Willard Crossan, III	138	3				2		3	136	50	2	54		3
19 Elkton, Md., E. Cecil Ct.: Leeds	James B. Jones	75		3						78	50	4			
20 Union	James B. Jones	84			1			1		84	51	1			
21 Glasgow Ecumenical Ministry	James C. Blackburn	73	4		19	12		5		79	65	8	45		6
22 Hockessin	C. Edwin Lasbury	609	24	24	19	32	7	7	3	627	183	10	202	80	11
23 Kirkwood	Robert E. Simpson, Sr.	120	14	6					2	138	77	18	26	38	14
24 Lewisville, Pa.: St. John's	Greg W. Hill	103		2	2				2	105	48	4	25	80	1
25 Moore's Chapel	Greg W. Hill	91	2	3	2		1		2	95	60	3	30	80	2
26 Middletown-Summit: Bethesda	Harold E. Walton	372	2	4		1	4	1	3	369	78	6	12		
27 Summit	Harold E. Walton	142	2	1	1		4			142	30	6			
28 Dale's Memorial	Harold E. Walton	57							3	54	28	1	23	1	
29 Warwick, Md.: Mt. Olivet	Harold E. Walton	145	3						1	147	25				
30 New Castle: Asbury	Thomas Crawford Short	1993	31	13	4	236	24	7	10	1764	359	37	410	145	28
31 Minquadale	Thomas Crawford Short	150	4				1		1	152	30	1	30	30	4
32 New Castle	C. J. Robinson	591	5		1	12	9	4	5	567	108	9	87	26	5
33 Mt. Salem	C. J. Robinson	72							1	71					
34 Newark: Ebenezer	Robert W. Helms	597	20	37	16	17	8	5	4	636	315	13	204	48	14
35 Newark: Kingswood	Edward B. Blevins	556	11		2	11	15	1		542	166	11	88	25	10
36 Newark	Paul E. McCoy	2421	51	41	11	11	46	11	14	2442	540	26	433	594	
37 Northeast, Md.	Conrad M. Cohen	686	15	11	3		8		6	701	224	31	116	110	21
38 Northeast-Bayview: Shelemiah	Kenneth S. Valentine	134		1	1			3		133	55	3	57	12	
39 Bethel	Kenneth S. Valentine	51			2					53	27		5	5	
40 Northeast, Md., Calvert: Rosebank	William J. E. Apsley	98			2		1		2	97	40		49	50	
41 Zion	William J. E. Apsley	129								129	45	2	43	25	
42 Ebenezer	William J. E. Apsley	105							1	104	50		48	22	
43 Odessa: St. Paul's	Thomas Donnachie	236	7	2		5	1		1	238	95	12	45		
44 Blackbird: Scott	Thomas Donnachie	43	8	5						56	20	8	30		
45 Lee's Chapel	Thomas Donnachie	35							1	34	20	4	36		
46 Perryville, Md.	Edward C. Goodley	354					7		6	341	75	3	78		
47 Principio	Edward C. Goodley	70			1					71	32	2			
48 Port Deposit, Md.: Tome Mem.	Payton M. Zimmerman	236				5	17	1	22	191	40	1	20		
49 Asbury	Payton M. Zimmerman	44								44	35				
50 Cokesbury	Payton M. Zimmerman	64				5			21	38	18	1	20		
51 Rising Sun, Md.: Janes	Harold E. Owens	440	18	2	4	1		1	9	453	160	9	10	28	15
52 St. Georges, Del. City: Ebenezer	Eleanor A. Kendall	151							5	146	30	5	17		
53 Port Penn: St. Daniels	Eleanor A. Kendall	38							2	36	15	1	3		
54 St. Georges	Eleanor A. Kendall	221							2	219	65	2	98		
55 Delaware City: St. Peter's	Eleanor A. Kendall	29	1						1	29	15		17		

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
62	232	145	103	542	455	385	186	11			24	70	385000	70000	3658			1
54	78	17	40	189	78		18	9			47	2600	280000	70000	45000	2400		2
43	40	10	6	99	35		8				29	1700	62000		4500			3
5	15	20	10	50	15						15	150	56500	23500	1100			4
2	10	3	5	20	15						10	50	57000	4200				5
9	69	8	40	126	60	17	35				30		240000	60000	1000	8229		6
4	5	4		13	7						15	1258	50000		4351			7
4	10			14							20		255000					8
4	9	8		21	23				7		15	45	255000					9
37	90	33	20	180	73		10	4	27	1214	22	329	500000	50000		33807		10
9	18	9	15	51	34	23	8	4					164000	20000	8950	5591		11
27	100	5	10	142	100		88	8			148	1411	1342576	125485		22366		12
16	45	29	38	128	82				25		25		130000	25000				13
14	57	15	36	122	53		23		16		17		235000	50000	45000	86000		14
32	125	33	57	247	139	72	91	9			101	2216	725000	52000	30000	44816		15
2				2		16	21				12	766	44000	7500	9000	1236		16
11	32	13	10	66	32	8		3	4		18		90000	15000	26000			17
7	10	18	4	39	22	3			3		13	60	90000		6150	10888		18
7	26	21	14	68	35				1		17	500	75000	17250				19
7	20	9	18	54	46				8		12	70	100000	1250				20
15	40	9	57	121	60			4										21
21	176	131	42	370	122	12	23	6			45	2348	680000	85000	21241	197178		22
10	38	12	15	75	56		6	4			10	215	95000			8540		23
8	21	6	10	45	25		2				14	1992	109000	41000	6800			24
12	32	13		57	42		8				29	1152	52000	33000	2800			25
10	35	20	8	73	43		7				40		401000	53000	6000	5000		26
8	36	8	9	61	40						24	50	90705					27
2	14	11		27	19						14	66	31000	8000				28
6	36	4	5	51	30		4		10		34		60500	10250				29
30	190	41	29	290	120	8	147	9			110	1441	1031422	127000	197000	23218		30
4	12			16	14		4	4			25	1150	126000					31
17	39	15	21	92	46	6		3	25	50	45	1797	390000	90000	29600	13407		32
42	137	47	130	356	228	72		14			90	4886	859188	64050	35426	332797		33
15	36	15	35	101	77	85	50	11			53	300	385000	33000				34
108	395	52	61	616	293	370	597	25			170	3048	1455000	227000	68000	86419		35
30	150	30	28	238	173	25	175	14	18	258	80	368	451000	50000	541680			36
13	38	17	12	80	50	12	25				20	260	80000	28000	15000			7
8	5	5	5	23	8	10	10				14	10	23000		2000			38
11	36	12	27	86	40	3	6		10		26	100	45000		40216			39
12	62	17	25	116	65		10		12		22	13	79500	35000	23700			40
12	34	12	16	74	60	5	20		12		20	25	45000		2000			41
15	40	20	15	90	65		12	7			20	150	125000	60000	3000	400		42
5	15	10	5	35	8						10	75	12000					43
5	25	15	8	53	30						11	75	60000		14400			44
20	68	20		108	44	8	8				20		157000	21000	25000	6100		45
6	12	8	14	40	27						18		83000		8600			46
7	20	2	6	35	25						25		417000	35000	41100			47
											11		32000					48
											11		5000					49
22	80	33	30	165	102	75	32	15	35	500	70	2000	370000	75000	16909	22000		50
13	65	16	4	98	17						8	894	180000					51
											12	192	50000			3068		52
13	50	18	35	116	52		70				41	1079	125000	35000	43000			53
											7	192	28678					54
																		55

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			CHURCH MEMBERSHIP																	
				Received			Removed													
Church and Charge	Name of Pastor	Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored	from Other United Methodist Churches	from Other Denominations	Charge Conference Action or Withdrawn	Transfer to Other United Methodist Churches	Transfer to Other Denominations	Death	Total Full Members at Close of This Year	Av. Attendance Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number Persons Baptized This Year (all ages)	Prep. Members Now on Roll (all baptized children under 16)	Number of Persons on Constituency Roll	Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes This Year					
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
56 Townsend: Immanuel	Robert L. Thomas	263	19	3	3		1		3	284	90	22	166	128		11	60	50	25	146
57 Friendship	Robert L. Thomas	62	1						2	61	25	6	11	23						3
58 Haven	Robert L. Thomas	41								41	30		35			4	35	4		43
59 Middletown: Ebenezer	Robert L. Thomas	8	1							9	8									
60 Wilmington: Aldersgate	Olin J. Shockley, Jr.	2413	47	23	9	96	31	15	3	2347	705	25	522	275	105	81	300	105	125	611
61 Wilmington: Brandywine-Trinity	*	161					4		1	157	60	1	35	95						
62 Wilmington: Calvary	Edward M. Gladden	149	6	1					1	155	55	3	15	42		8	21	10	16	55
63 Eastlake	Edward M. Gladden	179						2	7	170	63			28		9	37	17	45	108
64 Wilmington: Chester-Bethel	Walter H. Beckwith	537	18	18	5	5	21	2	5	545	125	4	139	55	15	9	2	1	40	52
65 Wilmington: Christ	Arley B. Golden	588	8	5	3	6	4	2	3	589	173	42	161	48	8	35	76	31	73	215
66 Wilmington: Coleman Memorial	Paul R. Hilton	232	4	2	1			1	1	237	100	30	50			15	47	33	54	149
67 Wilmington: Ezion-Mt. Carmel	John L. Bryan	768	19	1	3		1		13	777	300	10	81	31	19	10	65	25	22	122
68 Wilmington: Grace	Kenneth R. Rose	1433	23	5	8	6	23	5	26	1409	293	5	80		14	16	53	44	23	136
69 Wilmington: Harrison Street	Harvey G. Chase, Jr.	220	6				3		1	222	58	10	17	47	3	50	65	50	160	325
70 Wilmington: Hillcrest-Bellefonte	G. Wayne Cuff	626	14	5	1	4	13	4	4	621	186	19	104	50	27	8	18	18	11	55
71 Wilmington: Holly Oak	Frederick C. Seyfert, Jr.	339	19	2	1	6	3	2	4	346	80	5	51	57		14	48	25	34	121
72 Wilmington: Marshallton	Joseph V. Holliday, Jr.	647	4	6		2	10	1	5	639	140	8	17		4	35	101	23	7	166
73 Cedars	Joseph V. Holliday, Jr.	147							1	146	46	1	1	17		35	10	14	95	75
74 Wilmington: Mt. Joy	Jessie H. Walker	373	3			2			10	364	150	5	20		3	9	3	5	7	24
75 New Castle: Buttonwood	Jessie H. Walker	64							1	63	35	15				12	28	29	20	89
76 Wilmington: Mt. Lebanon	Dorothy E. White	182	14	3	2		1		2	198	55	3	26		17	5	19	15	16	55
77 Mt. Salem	Dorothy E. White	266	7				1		6	266	44	8	63		2	9	34	22	26	91
78 Wilmington: Peniel	Gerald M. Henderson	730	9	1		8	6	4	8	714	189	12	92	30		10	58	16	26	110
79 Wilmington: Peninsula-McCabe	Donzel Clayton Wildey	1077	18	6	2	8	11	1	17	1066	250	15	156	120	11	17	78	14	50	159
80 Wilmington: Richardson Park	Harold P. Spedden	826	14	5		4	9		9	823	222	12	239	51	12	41	83	27	147	298
81 Wilmington: St. Mark's	J. Gordon Stapleton	1137	29	35	6	2	30	3	2	1170	420	26	355	300	16	55	77	41	55	228
82 Wilmington: St. Paul's	Robert P. Whitlock	1404	48	55	24	31	56	21	6	1417	539	25	313	85	25	38	247	158	60	503
83 Wilmington: Silverbrook	William B. Hitchens	531	5	4	1	2	14		9	516	122	13	123	141	5	93	481	173	531	1278
84 Haven	William B. Hitchens	113	16	1	4				1	133	85	8	11	10		19	21	21	12	73
85 Wilmington: Simpson	William E. Russell	136					1	15	1	119	150	13	90	90		15	30	12		57
86 Wilmington: Skyline	Ronald W. Bergman	262	12	3	1		10	1		267	135	6	92		5	6	35	10		51
87 Wilmington: Union	Charles E. Covington	360	5	2	3	3	4	4	4	355	118	7	105	70	2	20	88	30	60	198
	Total	32843	796	426	190	548	458	141	339	32769	10618	797	6796	4367	519	19	31	13	50	113
	Total Last Year	32843	725	420	215	442	408	164	306	32843	10335	651	6615	4165	509					
	Increase		71	6		106	50		33		283	146	181	202	10	1565	5204	2051	2787	11607
	Decrease				25			23		74						1482	5452	2198	2780	11912
																83			7	
																	248	147		305

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CHURCH SCHOOL									U.M.M.		U.M.W.		PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS					
					Average Attendance													
Number of Leaders	Children (birth — sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups	Youth in All Classes and Groups	Adults in All Classes and Groups	Total Church School Membership	in the Sunday Church School (all ages)	in other on-going classes and groups for learning	in short-term classes and groups for learning	Members Joining Church on Confession of Faith	Membership in Chartered United Methodist Men	Amount Paid for Projects	Membership in United Methodist Women	Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work	Value of Church, Land, Buildings and Equipment	Value of Church Owned Parsonages and Furniture	Value of Other Assets (cash, securities, other property, etc.)	Indebtedness on Items 28, 29, 30 at End of Year	Other Indebtedness (current expenses, etc.)	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	
11	60	50	25	146	65	17	22	2			23	243	174097	30000	74900			56
							3				14	128	33000		18000			57
4	35	4		43	20		10						32500		5000	6000		58
													6000					59
81	300	105	125	611	180	145	150	35	45		153	1875	2405000	145000	10000	125000		60
8	21	10	16	55	35						43	374	230000	17250	9000			61
9	37	17	45	108	49	6	22	4			20	1955	210000	31000				62
9	2	1	40	52	32	26	13				48	475	197000	26000	34000			63
35	76	31	73	215	110	5	28	15	50	150	53	4159	625000	50000	2500	222517		64
15	47	33	54	149	85	136	145	3			36	139	875000	68000	11943		9813	65
10	65	25	22	122	45	15	50		20		38		135000	25000				66
16	53	44	23	136	40	15	10	3			56	945	1286904	70000	48202	434262	2500	67
50	65	50	160	325	95	125	250	17			250		3708000	218512	1600000		16000	68
8	18	18	11	55	32			3			54	386	475000	44000	26200			69
14	48	25	34	121	80	38	42	7			115	1000	999150	73000	13676	15691	1461	70
35	101	23	7	166	20	106	88		30		50	897	286600	35500	5066	59919		71
36	35	10	14	95	75	14	7	4			67	405	350900	80000	30000	20000		72
9	3	5	7	24	10	6	8				21	230	135000					73
12	28	29	20	89	35	25	15				25	215	230000	25000		68000	2200	74
5	19	15	16	55	25	35	16	1	10		12	100	28000		200			75
9	34	22	26	91	23		10	3					200000		3000	6000		76
10	58	16	26	110	43		10				35	400	349000	44000				77
17	78	14	50	159	87			4	33		108	1991	584000	90000	7000	15000		78
41	83	27	147	298	134	56	107	11			200	4400	1431000	223000	1004500	234954		79
55	77	41	55	228	101	46	105	5	30	240	97	3406	700000	70000	18000	1750		80
38	247	158	60	503	190	20	40	16	75	150	115	2125	653400	58900	1980	226900		81
93	481	173	531	1278	436	220	410	18	45	800	123	2060	1490000	135000	11900	81950		82
19	21	21	12	73	39	15	50	5			51	2287	674020	45800	15000			83
15	30	12		57	22	15		14			24	230	75000	12500	3638	2000	1250	84
6	35	10		51	35				15		20	100	300000			15000		85
20	88	30	60	198	100	8	18	9					270000	105000	23145	77352		86
19	31	13	50	113	55	66	30	2	28	1155	60	2112	295000	25000	47000		1750	87
1565	5204	2051	2787	11607	5583	2875	3363	345	594	4517	3630	67740	32713640	3448947	4352031	2525735	34974	
1482	5452	2198	2780	11912	5659	2064	3263	345			3383	66414	30779021	3139162	4319845	2746207	15916	
83			7			811	100				247	1326	1934619	309785	32186		19058	
	248	147		305	76											220472		

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1	Bethel			305	2190	45	80	2981		500	3946	2328	2328
2	Mt. Zion			610	2494	125		3180		500	3946	2023	2023
3	Portsville			430	1750	88	35	1450		500	2226	1245	1245
4	Blades			516	1712		60	4620			4620	1598	850
5	Asbury			331	1379	45	75	3084			3084	1100	1100
6	Bridgeville: Union			4376	12661	8834		13240		2113	15236	14641	12000
7	Bridgeville: Mt. Calvary			392	3750	536		2492			3400	2081	2081
8	Bethel	1130	153	526	4118	122	75	2188		298	3414	1525	1525
9	Trinity		606	75	1603		125	2125		254	3414	1414	1414
10	Camden: Whatcoat			6325	12846	285	380	9540		1000	10540	11528	11528
11	Woodside	1726	2649	917	1621		50	1600			1600	1273	1273
12	Cannon				2074			4566			5200	2298	2298
13	Cokesbury			83	602			1500			1500	750	600
14	Trinity			166	1616			2354			2500	1258	1258
15	Cheswold			514	4343		250	3121		1295	4800	3936	3936
16	Down's Chapel			432	1076			1464		100	1700	900	900
17	Immanuel Union			386	2547		100	2792		428	3500	2390	1793
18	Clarksville: St. George's		8704	3822	8615	100	250	9200		2500	12280	8667	8667
19	Clarksville: Union Wesley	662	685	728	1910		91	4760		250	5716	1441	1441
20	Selbyville: Zoar	6162		668	1346		216	4760		623	5716	2272	2272
21	Clayton: Ewell's-St. Paul's	5414	391	2354	8592	203	320	7152		1537	9769	8036	8036
22	Kenton		1066	1067	1860	53		2400		275	3058	2042	2042
23	Dagsboro: Bethel	2065		2584	10132		200	9300		1362	11506	7922	7922
24	Dover: Wesley	30988	8882	21767	52056		2582	15350	10821	4300	37905	39031	39031
25	Dover: Whatcoat	15000		2750	11087	1400	400	12528		4400	16928	7116	7116
26	Ellendale			457	3391		85	3512			4100	2154	1300
27	Chaplain's Chapel		500	169	1064	555	10	1716			2050	892	892
28	St. Johnstown			469	1058			2308			2050	1090	1090
29	Felton	1367	3932	1253	9156		125	4699		144	6510	4871	4871
30	Manship		778	250	794		40	1198			1395	894	894
31	Viola			223	602			1200		36	1395	904	904
32	Frankford	11300	2500	930	3674			6500		700	7700	5625	3332
33	Hickory Hill		3817	1536	2827			2500		800	3800	2621	2385
34	Frederica: Trinity	556		160	5276			7322			7822	4437	5037
35	Bower's Beach: Saxton			25	189			1215			1465	616	624
36	Sardis	600		148	143			1215			1465	614	614
37	Georgetown: Bethesda	2000		362	1875	75		2833		166	3250	1322	1322
38	Providence			288	1276	35		2833		166	3252	1353	1353
39	St. John's	2124		423	1732	35	38	2833		166	3249	1637	1637
40	Georgetown: Grace	9716	2334	4525	23105	73	425	9300		1560	11631	12527	12527
41	McColley's Chapel			472	790			1000		620	1690	932	932
42	Georgetown: Wesley	9351	2730	3695	23254	200	1350	10432		2103	12838	15218	15218
43	Indian Mission			673	2027	317		2568		440	3208	1783	1783
44	Greenwood	6386	3708	1437	4927		150	5000		926	6353	4792	4792
45	Epworth		1933	410	1979			2000		370	2541	1417	1417
46	Todd's Chapel			281	2504		55	3000		555	3812	1862	1862
47	Gumboro: Line			1150	1720		15	2324			2890	1477	1476
48	Bethel			406	2408			1221			1360	497	497
49	Gumboro			1033	2084			2324			2890	1960	1960
50	Bethany			201	947			1245			1360	526	526
51	Harrington-Houston: Asbury		336	4085	8963	1378	758	8540		1611	9780	10096	10096
52	Houston		369	1033	3012	231	100	5237		540	5777	3675	3677
53	Harrington (West): Trinity		1080	1525	5866		200	4600		61	4940	5000	4000
54	Prospect		1384	1027	1845		35	2680		61	2905	1223	1223
55	Salem		460	141	746			1010		61	1135	705	705
56	Bethel			277	730			1010		61	1135	776	776
57	Hartly		230	658	3951			2600			2600	2345	2345
58	Laurel: Centenary	21498	3985	5665	21393	3132	1277	12500		3500	16640	10013	10013
59	Laurel: Christ	1382		1737	7085		353	8240		1000	9817	6004	5004
60	Woodland Ferry			572	2816		45	1785		964	2754	1542	1542

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1				35	15			15		15	336		25				8870	1
2				12	8			8	2				10				8972	2
3	42			30				10		15	390	130	20			15	6150	3
4																	7758	4
5											726		20				6760	5
6	30				62						4325	58	48			55	57802	6
7				14	19		18	10			20	20					9352	7
8				16	25		30				415					10	10625	8
9	14			15	20	10	10	15				5	20			25	6336	9
10	33			83	69	31	23	80				104	94			45	42466	10
11				8	6	9	4	6			300	27	12			8	10216	11
12				16							931						9885	12
13																	2785	13
14											465						5859	14
15	150			89			10				134	55	15			10	13922	15
16				47							345	55	25				4444	16
17				37			13	17				69	13				8195	17
18					60	11						48	23				42000	18
19	22	8		10	35	10	13	15	10	10	300	5	35	5	5		11010	19
20	29	5		28		15	20	23	32	8	700	5	48		2		16962	20
21	334			358	36	31	9	26			1726	123	31			12	36685	21
22	70			96		15		18		12	1620	24				5	10623	22
23											1080	8					34653	23
24						64				13	5110	85	333				191382	24
25				58	69		80									250	55138	25
26					10	20		14									8789	26
27				5	7												4906	27
28																	4937	28
29					4			12				25					25547	29
30																8	4003	30
31				17				7			55	9					3036	31
32				25							73	172					29198	32
33					20	10	20				250	25	46				14261	33
34	107				35						1100		15				19608	34
35											155						2208	35
36											150	22					2870	36
37																	8655	37
38											300					20	6271	38
39	154			20		18	25	18		7		12	20			36	8988	39
40																	63875	40
41	779			309	10	12					150					9	3995	41
42	19			34	42	65		86	100	24		69	67			167	70041	42
43	68					30		31			500	15	13				8450	43
44	19			2	21	1	5			5	396	68	19				27911	44
45					5			11			385	32	3				8564	45
46	7				24		5	3				43				9	8348	46
47											428						7113	47
48											175						4707	48
49					9						468						7869	49
50											143						3071	50
51	75			155	26			35			1815	210	33				38116	51
52	71				10			14				125	19				14438	52
53	228			14	20	18	7	18			1000	62	47			36	18782	53
54				39	26	21	21	27			442	25	28			26	8910	54
55				10		6					325		5			4	3473	55
56				5	5	6	5	10			119		13			7	3024	56
57	20			22	13			16			320	10					10185	57
58				50	75	75		90			945	90	90				84378	58
59	180				19			20			498	58	19				25595	59
60												21					7745	60

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61	Laurel: St. Paul's	738	1100	667	2225			2803			2910	1464	1020
62	Shiloh			175	1711		16	2684			3367	1387	694
63	Trinity			845	5355			2684		568	2910	1730	1730
64	Laurel: New Zion	33500			3124		226	5607		300	5907	2791	2791
65	Delmar: Union	4669		289	2169		126	3732		200	3932	1967	1967
66	Laurel: Mt. Pleasant		148	529	2416			3333		335	3951	2576	2576
67	King's		4000	395	4118			3333		333	3951	2753	2753
68	St. George's		370	1098	4185	1920	200	3333		333	3954	2750	2750
69	Lewes: Bethel			4690	13343	100	901	8510		1760	10270	11707	11707
70	Groome	144	71	719	4322	30	150	1820		400	2407	2064	2064
71	Lewes: St. Paul			450	3201		120	2750		275	2875	1130	1130
72	Israel			255	2923			2750		275	2875	1186	1186
73	John Wesley			925	4198			2750		275	2875	1293	1293
74	Rehoboth: Mt. Pleasant			410	4828		110	2750		175	2875	1099	1099
75	Lincoln	2556		1461	10468		40	4808		1040	5948	5492	2746
76	Cedar Neck			44	241			759		180	939	408	408
77	Slaughter Neck		2080	621	1873			2867		680	3547	2162	2162
78	Lincoln: Wesley Chapel	433	75	347	4757		180	5460		400	5860	3926	3926
79	Harrington: Metropolitan		760	162	1262		50	2341		200	2541	1634	1634
80	Milford: St. Paul			165	1813			3146		200	3346	2191	1469
81	Magnolia		589	1327	6956	355		4352			4826	3922	3922
82	Leipsic		312	78	1716			2436			2436	826	826
83	Little Creek			625	1956			2435		60	2499	1099	1102
84	Milford: Avenue	1772		10438	48920	11312	1516	15750	9430	486	25666	25528	25528
85	Milford: Calvary	3000	3284	5175	21356	250	1129	10150		3708	14828	16419	12500
86	Millsboro: Grace	3717	25049	3496	9754	200		11000		477	12281	10379	10379
87	Carey's		185	1420	4045	170		2500		669	3391	2399	2399
88	Millsboro: Harmony			1067	4528	160	124	4066		468	4449	2742	2742
89	Firnedship	1226	355	70	1628			2134		517	2451	1233	1233
90	Millsboro: Zoar			3219	8429		148	8925		1543	15863	2493	2493
91	Milton: Goshen	5278	900	3131	14919		425	9000		1250	11000	8544	8544
92	Harbeson		1600	512	4969		100	4600			4830	2960	2960
93	Milton-Nassau Ct.: Zion		6589	507	1759		35	1151		234	2040	638	638
94	Conley's Chapel			575	2256			3452		679	4080	1851	1851
95	White's Chapel			429	2276		75	3068		608	4080	1906	1906
96	Ocean View-Mariner's: Bethel			3117	11897		125	8650		500	9550	7498	6500
97	Millville		1133	88	482	75		1350			1450	853	750
98	Rehoboth Beach: Epworth	27365		2852	15966	500	1222	12000		2000	15000	11483	11483
99	Roxanna: Zion	2166		1134	6493			4600		121	4850	3267	3267
100	Sound			842	3431			4600		60	4850	3143	3143
101	Seaford: Bethel		794	401	2144		99	3066			3220	1756	1596
102	Concord		420	886	2795		50	2900		167	3220	2561	2478
103	Wesley		3693	694	2434	206		3067			3220	2127	2127
104	Seaford: John Wesley		6500	1514	3845		115	4045		385	4430	2589	2133
105	Cokesbury			139	1218			1625		125	1750	692	400
106	Mt. Hope	948	368	140	1936		55	2444		206	2650	894	894
107	Seaford: Mt. Olivet	6819	27498	8981	21718			12570		1363	14933	19818	17726
108	Seaford-Reliance: Gethsemane	16746		3022	13508	16567	75	10000		2582	13699	7796	1279
109	Seaford: St. John's	39588	1375	10393	30118	9715	1950	15500	10200	3587	31480	23640	23640
110	Selbyville: Salem	6500	3828	13347	14855	7904	1402	12230		3499	14942	15190	15192
111	Smyrna: Asbury	13354	1530	7851	23908	2345	600	9500		1500	12000	15843	9965
112	Centennial	2240		1215	2489	200	60	1500			1500	1346	1346
113	Wyoming			3212	16535			10450		1507	12846	10264	10264
	Total	302186	147818	195964	698960	69876	21774	531583	30451	75076	682613	507624	473616

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							23									8576	61
							14									5294	62
										636						11818	63
20			13	16	22	13			6	882	13				119	46652	64
10		5	10	10	15	10	10		20		10	20			50	13322	65
			26				5			396	13	15			10	9802	66
			18				4				18	30			10	15012	67
15			61	17	28		5		1	1331	94	16			10	15767	68
			52	55	59	37	56			2206	197	55				43728	69
			5	21	8	5	9			333	25	5				10131	70
										100						8026	71
																7389	72
																9441	73
																9372	74
186				10	2							4				23321	75
				5						145						1782	76
				5						325		5				10618	77
65			25	25	35	15	25		40	600	15	10			20	16453	78
				13	20	15	10		10	133		15				8625	79
				36	21	10	9		14	453		6			13	7374	80
			48		21		22	105				17			20	17734	81
		3														5371	82
										180						6358	83
809			146	79	80	69	95			2500		200			102	129232	84
87			115	88	70	59	87		20	4044	119	141			34	65416	85
500			83	79			74	700			265	72				65845	86
				18	20		21				18	14				11479	87
			33	14	17	13				126					15	13373	88
										200	6	10				7379	89
60			40	20		10	10			500	30	40			20	25487	90
311			97	6	10	9	25				113					44018	91
5			11	3	3	5	3			1000						15771	92
74			30	21			22			188	19				5	11272	93
70			62	43			25		3	560	15				3	9594	94
74			49	18			32		1	1200	29				1	9766	95
																30789	96
										204						4082	97
91			50	139	104		50			4892	612	198				79524	98
											30					17811	99
																12076	100
											46					8146	101
										316						10012	102
																12221	103
				13								30				18757	104
				13						177						3520	105
25		10	5	13	10	10			11	130	10	21				7236	106
			35	56	35	35	35	35	25		122				91	97144	107
412				10						2215	326					66742	108
										5945	31				150	152192	109
55			756	89	37		95		123	3842	246				65	84065	110
			48	47		98		36			18	156			36	70992	111
			5	5	15	10				500						9585	112
600				41	72	19	46		2		15	51			37	42851	113
5939		31	3476	1833	1182	760	1467	1020	385	65374	4369	2340	5	7	1568	2637060	

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1	Cambridge-Aireys: Christ			19	813			1900		600	2500	822	822	1
2	Waters				1099			1870		530	2400	876	876	2
3	Cambridge-Vienna: St. Luke	2200		1736	4554	978	224	7667		600	8817	3784	3784	3
4	Vienna: Wesley	2600	1268	540	2648		200	3072		200	3272	1497	1497	4
5	Reid's Grove: Zoar	500	656	401	1479			2059		200	2259	848	848	5
6	Cambridge-Choptank: Antioch				858	24		2100		210	2310	1038	1038	6
7	Beckwith		8392	462	3656	108	113	3400		350	3750	2072	2072	7
8	Spedden	5173	516	1423	3768		148	4400		440	5340	2495	2495	8
9	Cambridge: Grace		10000	5679	19745	3351	1563	13000		2592	16892	15735	15735	9
10	Cambridge: St. Paul's			3584	25384		1063	12962		1366	15760	11204	11204	10
11	Cambridge: Waugh	1620	1112	1194	3531	1600	400	11000		2437	13437	6772	6772	11
12	Cambridge: Zion		4334	5006	19555	743	1925	16000		2200	19320	16203	16203	12
13	Centreville	5456		3723	18696	77	1000	13000		1200	15200	13443	13443	13
14	Centreville-Newtown: C. Wesley	533	3733		789		228	2550		301	2936	1587	1587	14
15	Corsica Neck: Earle's Chapel	2312			1127		35	2550		320	2936	1602	1602	15
16	Newtown: New Zion		1482	444	2595		60	2550		320	2936	1786	1786	16
17	Starr: Richard Asbury				220			1550		104	1695	630	630	17
18	Chester: Kent Island	7999	45172	6473	20289	3450	564	11500		4788	16288	11964	11964	18
19	Chester: Union Wesley	2529	337	2966	4223		150	4879			5622	2712	2712	19
20	Ezion	750		39	2897		78	2828			3578	1141	1141	20
21	Chestertown: Christ	6741	2928	3458	12944		898	11000		1896	13676	10367	10367	21
22	Chestertown: First		7717	5167	14649		630	12500		1500	15000	13280	13280	22
23	Chestertown: Janes			285	4265	222	150	4100		500	5000	3508	3508	23
24	Pomona: Emmanuel	3204	372	769	4101	258	151	4100		500	5000	3223	3223	24
25	Church Creek: White Haven		300	342	1247		50	1550		375	2000	1381	1381	25
26	Madison		250	65	916		25	1550		375	2000	1205	1205	26
27	Milton		1800	454	1599		210	1550		375	2000	1460	1460	27
28	Taylor's Island		550	20	717		30	1550		375	2000	1136	1136	28
29	Church Creek-Golden Hill: J. Wesley		1725		768			3927		500	4500	800	800	29
30	Church Hill			953	4569		230	6326			6000	5401	5401	30
31	Price: Bethany		416	534	1685	269	194	3407			3200	2367	2367	31
32	Church Hill-Burrsville: Mt. Zion	176		49	1532		110	2783			3428	1519	1519	32
33	Mt. Olive	176		300	1490			1968			2452	1134	1134	33
34	Mt. Vernon	176		135	2887		61	1968			2620	1221	1221	34
35	St. Daniels	1424	306	94	3363		65	1907			2634	1202	1202	35
36	Crape: Ebenezer	2659	419	171	1331		5	2574		81	2835	1478	1478	36
37	Bounds			57	1016			1284		44	1415	649	649	37
38	St. John's			182	1314			2567			2827	1012	1012	38
39	Wesley			28	456			1401		59	1414	718	718	39
40	Denton: St. Luke's	32256	2276	6380	21092	1560	1200	11621		2000	16452	14977	14977	40
41	Ames	1924		448	737			1360				976	976	41
42	East New Market: Trinity		2093	769	4975	41		4800		168	5491	2638	2638	42
43	Brookview		454	399	808		35	2400		84	2745	1045	1045	43
44	Eldorado		2151	265	1228		30	2400		92	2745	988	988	44
45	E. New Market-Linkwood: Mt. Zion		97	292	1996		150	2701		500	3201	1374	1374	45
46	Mt. Pleasant			70	1083		40	2000		340	2340	942	942	46
47	St. James		476	116	310			1018		340	1358	320	320	47
48	St. Paul		397	104	377			650		126	776	295	295	48
49	Thompson Chapel		250	90	908		80	1630		310	1940	817	817	49
50	Easton-Bellevue: Asbury		3650	1694	5327	75	335	4634		514	8000	1597	1597	50
51	St. Luke			539	3772	178	150	2744		280		1302	1302	51
52	Easton-Miles River: McGee		600	35	1025			2423		52	2475	1100	1100	52
53	Deshields		400	210	1608			3286		155	3441	1241	1241	53
54	John Wesley		400	40	547			1552		85	1437	606	606	54
55	Staten Chapel		255	30	546		34	1562		85	1647	757	757	55

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1					10						144						4308	1
2					10						232						4617	2
3										39							21782	3
4	30				22												12077	4
5																	6143	5
6	61			11							333						4635	6
7	81			21				27									18682	7
8	169			99	30						1520						20181	8
9	288			197	100	121					2900	150	215			170	75806	9
10	1914			55							2031	341					59904	10
11	36			12	20	32	16				728						30510	11
12	345			125	115	25		100	140			750	250				67816	12
13	583			73	62	33	41	90		16		178				12	57683	13
14			10	20	25	25	15	50		10		75	10		15		9976	14
15																	7946	15
16			5	10	6	5	10			5		9					9287	16
17			4	10	10	6	5					10					2549	17
18	119				63						2437	313					115131	18
19																	17796	19
20																	7733	20
21	79			81	24	15	25	63			20	14	5				50558	21
22	53					44		31			1596	77	101				57345	22
23					28	21							14				13093	23
24																	16678	24
25					13			18			332	30	25			21	5684	25
26					13						299	10				10	4718	26
27					13						400	15	15			25	7916	27
28					13						275		10			10	4686	28
29	10		4	5	10	5	5	9		10	156	6	12		4	8	7964	29
30	53			11	34	23	12	16			653	5	26			11	18323	30
31	43			8	17	6	6	17			410	25					9404	31
32				13	19	37		7					10				6255	32
33				4	19			7			50		10				5158	33
34	10			5	19	10	15	17			39		22			20	6805	34
35	10				19			7			25		10				8432	35
36				16	7			2			145		8				8896	36
37				8			5	5			163		10				3241	37
38				10	8			11			55		22				5181	38
39				6	5						49					3	2725	39
40	208			419	85	82		45		59	343	65	157				94825	40
41	4			6	16			2					5				5478	41
42				26		31					952	50	30			30	16603	42
43				25	15	17					325	64	20			18	5709	43
44				12	14	10					40					15	7245	44
45											200						7310	45
46			3	6	4	3	4	8	10	6	125	2	8				4654	46
47	2										95						2677	47
48				2	2	2	2			2	80	2					2041	48
49			3	3	4	4	4	3		5	115	5	4				4235	49
50	53						18						50				17947	50
51			50		37	35	25	10		50	325	10	48				9555	51
52																	5235	52
53																	6900	53
54																	3230	54
55																	3269	55

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56	Easton: St. Mark's	21276		6982	29550	2220	2071	14750	9700	3966	29716	25131	25131	
57	Federalsburg: Christ			970	8832		321	9783			14164	7305	7305	
58	Bloomery			550	674		20	1688				1117	1117	
59	Chestnut Grove			148	522		10	1618				949	949	
60	Federalsburg: Union	32690	1896	2916	13895		830	9915		1000	11440	10776	10776	
61	Concord			211	1077			3150			3319	1835	1835	
62	Federalsburg-Denton: Zion		800	360	3699	100	120	3896			3997	2300	2300	
63	Denton: Metropolitan			626	2340		80	2453		50	2927	1564	1564	
64	John Wesley			179	631			1555		37	1618	776	776	
65	Harrisville: St. Paul		60	15	325			1317			1357	718	718	
66	Fishing Creek: Hosier Memorial		2485	352	2747	112		5136			5469	3189	3189	
67	Hooper's Memorial		1269	184	2213			2600			2731	1758	1758	
68	Galena: Olivet		3428	847	4234	573	300	6600		100	7096	4275	4275	
69	Kennedyville		5090	636	5208		50	4400			4664	2926	2926	
70	Goldsboro: Trinity		860	1121	3215		162	3120		681	3830	3244	3244	
71	Henderson			170	564		120	900		206	1180	582	582	
72	Marydel: Calvary			1906	3968	720	239	3920		857	4780	3022	3022	
73	Golts-Sassafras: John Wesley		200	13	735			2340		412	2725	1030	1050	
74	Galena: Olivet Hill			257	947			2340		426	2725	934	934	
75	Warwick: Johnson's Chapel			286	74			1820		406	2205	500	500	
76	Greensboro: St. Paul's	1100	860	1320	3315		300	8070		500	8960	5808	5808	
77	Burrsville: Union		1753	722	1925		75	1903		500	2540	1759	1759	
78	Hurlock: Unity-Washington		700	4156	8724	2162	400	10290		1710	12360	10021	10021	
79	Wesley		800	1170	2192	200		2150		543	2693	1614	1614	
80	Millington: Asbury			1303	4950		522	5766		1063	7340	4194	4194	
81	Crumpton		350	458	1511			2185		390	2767	1528	1528	
82	Double Creek		151	240	930		61	1513		278	1925	1219	1219	
83	Millington: John Wesley			228	2405		70	2040		300	2640	1180	1180	
84	Chesterville: Asbury			45	463		68	1984		300	2484	1234	1250	
85	Crumpton: Mt. Pleasant			238	1608		60	2460		400	3260	1529	1529	
86	Morgnec: Joshua Chapel				721			1304		100	1404	399	399	
87	Neavitt-Bozman: Neavitt			438	2231		176	2910		50	2960	2241	2241	
88	Bozman			341	1378	70	65	2230		67	2297	1110	1110	
89	Oxford: Waters	586		234	1932			2415		200	2615	1618	1618	
90	John Wesley			33	123			527			527	313	313	
91	Trappe: Scott			630	4791		137	4314		400	4714	2589	2589	
92	Williamsburg				2106		22	2415		200	2615	1580	1580	
93	Oxford		5405	1844	4686	125	405	12000		243	12260	5084	5084	
94	Preston: Bethesda			1815	8734		225	8970			8970	6131	6131	
95	Grove			120	330			965			965	602	602	
96	Preston: Harmony		4018	1040	9850			4720			8300	2495	2495	
97	Preston: Mt. Calvary	5400	1313	853	4522	831	230	3489		510	4168	4755	4755	
98	Hurlock: Union Grove		5000	374	1780	8	80	1700		352	2316	1056	1056	
99	Hurlock: Washington			162	2535	148		1876		256	2116	1226	1226	
100	Hurlock: Zorah			202	1341		77	1800		248	2116	1034	1034	
101	Queen Anne: Hillsboro	12108	2722	362	3752		140	5500		646	6146	4316	4316	
102	Wye Mills		75	437	2013	235	82	3500		597	4097	2061	2061	
103	Queenstown: Calvary			1115	2529		60	3317		754	3812	2679	2679	
104	Grasonville: Immanuel	3500	1453	1059	4974		65	3815		867	5146	3257	3257	
105	Wye of Carmichael			757	2790		75	2820		641	3541	1971	1971	
106	Queenstown-Carmichael: J. Wesley	2000		480	2672			3796			3796	1987	1987	
107	Centreville: Metropolitan				1368			1550			1550	382	382	
108	Grasonville: Bryan's	2458	512	236	3867	448	100	3796			3796	2261	2261	
109	Ridgely		900	185	6483		210	5683			6872	4965	4965	
110	Bridgetown				274			780		174	1048	637	637	

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			20	20			20			2300	550					118496	56	
										2000		20				29291	57	
																4049	58	
			34													3247	59	
										300		77				74329	60	
			4	2	8					37		2				6326	61	
5		4	5	26	5	5	15		3	300	5	5		3		11656	62	
							10									7123	63	
				12			10			218						3418	64	
		2	2	2	2	2	13		2		2	6		2		2470	65	
								25								14046	66	
26				25	23					1000		46				8024	67	
26				12	5						10	8				21477	68	
39			7	9	8	10	6			820		19			17	18371	69	
23			10	5	2	3				155	15	6				13338	70	
133				22	34	20	25		7	742	41	55			27	2761	71	
										112		10				15738	72	
										191						4872	73	
										106					10	5095	74	
			10				15	25	3	18	37	18				3202	75	
83			12				6	25		237	18					21399	76	
299				83							210					9018	77	
64				9												38755	78	
559			411							532						9274	79	
										1185	61					20014	80	
				13						308						6743	81	
				4						312						4708	82	
8			10	10	10	7				400	5	24				6697	83	
9		19	4													4142	84	
9			21	19		21	10				34					6431	85	
9										200		4				2737	86	
		10			15	5	30	10		800	10	20				8946	87	
		10			10		25			501	35	12				5910	88	
			56		10		25			150	10	25			10	7262	89	
			15	22	20	10	15			75						1071	90	
25		10	12	10	20	12	15		15	734	15	30			15	13774	91	
		5	10	10	10	10	10	10	15	447	10	10			10	6880	92	
85			65	55			40			1000	100	75			10	31222	93	
												5				25881	94	
											15					2032	95	
										350	313	25				22811	96	
25			36	31	41	36			27							22099	97	
20			17	10		22	10		10	100	10	15				10564	98	
10			17	10	12		10		10	100	10					6382	99	
			16	9	11	10	3		5		12					4768	100	
		5		10		5	41		10	52	38				5	29641	101	
										768	41	8			11	9899	102	
										700						11154	103	
39			15			19				400	18				9	19490	104	
			3	7		3				70						9137	105	
15			25							500						11475	106	
																3300	107	
			67	18			10								10	13678	108	
																18531	109	
																1865	110	

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111	Thawley's			421	2892		130	2100		700	3080	1708	1708
112	Ridgely: Replanted Zion			51	1311		100	1946			10809	1443	1443
113	Goldsboro: Union			46	956		95	1715				1225	1225
114	Greensboro: Mt. Pleasant			29	762		125	1592				1074	1074
115	Lockerman			40	813			1027				824	824
116	Mt. Zion			46	853			2921				1527	1527
117	Rock Hall	131	17353	879	5915		700	4518		290	5045	4631	4631
118	Raum Chapel			498	2115		202	2240		244	2553	2160	2160
119	Wesley Chapel		27236	1558	6406			4518		290	5045	4827	4827
120	Rock Hall-Fairlee: Asbury			300	1929			2444			2444	1714	1714
121	Aaron Chapel			60	5088			3463		580	4043	2142	2142
122	Mt. Pisgah			275	1503			845			845	553	553
123	Mt. Pleasant		2206	100	1612			897			897	448	448
124	Royal Oak	2834	8500	1441	11014	250	146	7700			7700	3639	3639
125	St. Michaels: St. Luke	11500	1090	3490	11319	355	733	12000		1779	14400	8504	8504
126	St. Michaels: Union	3136	415	1176	4943	204	269	6186		361	6508	2707	2707
127	Royal Oak: St. Paul		125	892	2083		160	3068		876	3232	1525	1525
128	Secretary: (Dorchester Ct.)		3400	664	2105		111	3400		200	9800	1923	1923
129	Bucktown		1613	596	1690		45	1315		125		850	850
130	Friendship			440	1813	600	75	3089		175		2070	2070
131	Salem			305	1050		20	1196		100		748	748
132	Still Pond	3287		706	3432			3080		648	3731	1744	1000
133	Betterton	1416		262	4298		151	3465		728	4198	2226	2226
134	Lynch	300		56	981			1155		243	1399	505	505
135	Still Pond: Mt. Zion			272	2280		86	1685		122	1785	1418	1418
136	Coleman: Union			530	2619		269	3656		250	3906	1890	1890
137	Fountain	2033	249	325	3012			1689		100	1789	882	882
138	St. George's			66	711			1011			1011	541	541
139	Sudlersville: Calvary-Asbury		3452	1086	6978	2148	425	5614		885	6499	4971	4971
140	Barclay: Marvin Memorial		139	220	1206	125	45	1475		233	1708	993	993
141	Ingleside: St. Paul's		248	216	1682	264	75	2427		382	2809	1448	1448
142	Taylor's Island: Lane	500	1294	61	779		80	1515		257	1878	1108	1108
143	Jefferson	1891	581	71	1488		66	1515		257	1878	1129	1129
144	Malone			70	853		59	1515		257	1878	1094	1094
145	St. Paul's		510	61	739		70	1515		257	1878	1048	1048
146	Christ Rock	637		120	1017			1660		637	2398	1188	1188
147	Tilghman: Claiborne		463		224	25		756			801	512	612
148	St. John's		240		236			756		200	801	426	426
149	Sherwood		319		737			1432			1518	789	789
150	Tilghman		10424	1256	4706	1144	75	7379			7822	5308	5308
151	Wittman: Asbury		500		1229		25	1433		80	1520	933	933
152	Trappe-Bruceville: Faith Chapel			75	345			700		116	816	426	426
153	Trappe	500		866	4623		130	8700		1074	10040	4037	4037
154	Vienna-Elliotts: Vienna			646	5718	35	98	5580		1427	7007	4500	4500
155	Elliotts				433		20	1113			1113	710	710
156	Reid's Grove	934	1610	875	1531			2600		420	3400	1507	1507
157	Williamsburg				372			900			900	473	473
158	Wingate-St. Thomas: Wingate			292	988		30	2566			2566	1220	1226
159	Bethany			112	634			1284			1284	840	660
160	St. Thomas			453	1406	40	25	1283			1283	802	802
161	Zion		1226	209	1197		50	2568			2566	1480	1480
162	Wittman: St. John's	740	4511	98	1200		60	2466		100	2566	774	774
163	McDaniel: John Wesley	1280	640	134	2615		50	2533		34	2567	878	878
164	Sherwood: St. James	300	730	134	1274			2533		34	2567	677	677
165	Worton-St. James: Worton		1148	42	1192	117	95	1656			1656	799	799
166	Fairlee: Salem	1301	563	1005	3222	139		3104			3104	2616	2616
167	St. James	2015	280	1149	5323	126	150	4940			4940	3108	3108
	Total	196261	240449	124336	575821	26458	25687	600923	9700	65360	708339	444055	443474

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				30				16					12			169	8178	111
			5	5	16	5	5				346						5213	112
					5						57		25			25	4169	113
					14						118						3700	114
													14			28	2760	115
400				43	14			21			424						5785	116
				7	28							119	47				35075	117
				40	12	7						140	18				7644	118
					30			49	100			100	55				45210	119
						17											6404	120
				35	25						108						11501	121
																	3176	122
				53				50			1644						5263	123
				55	24	16	44	22		5	1024	33	39	11		18	37289	124
																9	52052	125
140				35	28	4	27						12			60	19563	126
					25	25		25					26				8970	127
				15	15	16	15			15	294	50	15			15	12253	128
				15	15	16	15			15	175		15			15	6515	129
				25	25	25	25	25	24	25	332	285	24		24	33	9134	130
				7	7	8	7	7			118	8				7	3588	131
				17		2	6			6		68	8			5	12265	132
28				13	16	7		17				7	22			3	12659	133
					8	4	3	13			50	8	13			5	3344	134
7			10	7	8	6	8	8	7			11	14				5949	135
7				7	14		18	12									9286	136
7				15	10		7	13		17		14					8359	137
7				4			6	7		6			13				2372	138
				82	19		17	9		15	743	286	35				26765	139
				12	5			10			175	5	7				4650	140
36				28	2		2	20			527	7	9			2	7339	141
16				5	5	5	5	5		5	300	5	5				5970	142
36					7						150		5				7176	143
36				5	5	5	5	5			150	5	5				4069	144
46				5	13		5				300						4386	145
																	5628	146
											79						2080	147
											200						1937	148
											223						3477	149
					9												30515	150
											196		52				4457	151
25					20						138						1800	152
35				90				30			232	40	28				20275	153
25				5	6			5					45				18204	154
7					19								11				2328	155
													19				9522	156
					20												1745	157
											335	20	10			53	5540	158
																	2690	159
					7												4009	160
				5		5	10	5		5	385	12	10				7144	161
				5	33	5	5	5		5	250	15				5	10249	162
											150					5	8377	163
					3												5682	164
					21												5052	165
					21												11971	166
																	17112	167
6520		159	2873	1930	1006	643	1263	376	428	45207	5069	2235	11	48	944	2377181		

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	Church and Charge	LOCAL CHURCH EXPENDITURES												
		Principal and Interest on Indebtedness, Loans, Mortgages, etc.	Buildings and Improvements (not including funds borrowed)	Current Expenses for Program (including Church School)	Other Current Operating Expenses (not including program expenses)	Benevolences Paid Directly by Local Church	United Methodist Women	Pastor's Salary	Associate's(s') Salary	Travel and All Fringe Benefits	Total Pastoral Support 1978	Conference Apportionment	Paid on Apportionment
		33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	55a	55b
1	Allen: Asbury		2955	647	4879	42	104	3578		437	4238	2543	2543
2	Mt. Vernon: Asbury		8472	866	3040	30	100	1764		255	2149	2369	2369
3	Mt. Vernon: John Wesley		2054	272	1698	25		1002		200	1254	1276	1276
4	Siloam			527	1744		137	1814		217	2149	1619	1619
5	Washington			441	2687		67	1816		216	2149	1422	1422
6	Berlin: St. Paul's		5309	3466	7733		250	5250		1055	8905	5441	5441
7	New Bethel	1922	274	758	3842	100	100	3150		633	5343	1852	1852
8	St. John's	1044		52	837		55	2100		422	3562	1481	1481
9	Berlin: Stevenson		14378	2021	8494		605	9400		1150	11080	5718	5718
10	Friendship		5407	416	2164		65	2170		330	2625	1637	1637
11	Bishopville: Wilson			375	2206		50	2833		493	3326	1779	1779
12	Showell			430	1019			2833		493	3326	1535	1535
13	Zion			435	1868			2833		493	3326	1779	1179
14	Chrisfield: Asbury	7085	2701	2850	14554	1754	319	9417		1229	12756	12232	12232
15	Chrisfield: Immanuel	17985	10400	3309	18610		150	10200		1738	13500	12239	12239
16	Chrisfield: Mt. Pleasant	1600	511	1178	4582		325	7400		1877	8500	5239	5239
17	Crisfield: Shiloh			612	4343	564	250	3900		200	5602	2124	2124
18	Crisfield: Union Asbury	654		76	963		125	1955		125	2418	466	466
19	Kingston: Waters Chapel	792			1111	40	65	2002		300	2640	1268	1268
20	Deal Island: St. John's	1393		1989	5580	575		3700		500	4200	2630	2630
21	Chance: Rock Creek		2572	691	5819			2800		500	3200	1861	1861
22	Winona: St. Paul's		1500	1574	5000	1584	105	3700		500	4200	2666	2666
23	Deal Is.-Dames Quarter: Macedonia	1449			919			2833		167	3000	948	395
24	Chance: St. Charles		2693	212	2401			2833		167	3000	2053	2053
25	Deal Island: John Wesley	2884	1001	341	1648	300	50	2833		167	3000	1487	1487
26	Delmar, Del.: St. Stephen's		12002	5324	18632	1590	1050	10922		1500	13257	16500	16500
27	Delmar, Del.: Melson	10132	24846	714	3541		112	6764		630	9200	3632	3496
28	Ewell (Smith Island)			1058	6069		100	4079			4079	4949	4949
29	Rhodes Point: Calvary			183	3081		10	1679			1679	2343	2343
30	Tyerton: Union			706	4376		75	2240			2240	3205	3205
31	Fruitland: Mt. Calvary	1671		978	3076	45	70	3850			4100	1932	1932
32	Allen: Friendship	1068	710	217	1893		139	3850			4100	1895	1895
33	Fruitland: St. John's	6023		3484	10831	200	475	11000			11660	9620	9620
34	Union		562	98	1112	15		1800			1980	769	769
35	Girdletree: Cool Spring			380	667	127	150	2922		300	3362	1394	1394
36	Mt. Wesley			232	1307			2916		300	3356	1403	1403
37	St. Matthew			196	1058		42	2141		200	2481	1032	1038
38	Girdletree			1376	1509		53	3246		400	3646	1731	1731
39	Porterville		1155	203	683		33	1015		58	1190	608	608
40	Remson			267	1314		55	2050			2050	1319	1319
41	Stockton: Wesley		350	401	1153	463	42	1666			1666	1092	1092
42	Hebron: St. Paul's	2322	1233	2269	4957		173	3627		630	4736	4299	4299
43	Charity	4875		433	1977		205	1674		424	2030	1462	1462
44	Nelson Memorial		3255	3741	9301	100	219	3998			5535	3377	3377
45	Mardela Springs: Emmanuel			720	5250		88	3910			4250	3379	3379
46	Mt. Pleasant			99	1047	6	28	1380			1380	645	645
47	Snethen		1789	566	2009			3910			3910	1893	1893
48	Marion Station: Phoenix				128	162		650			650	341	341
49	Quindocqua		440		354	280	13	1500			1500	749	749
50	Marion Station: Handys Memorial		980	39	1827			1820		200	2020	1300	1320
51	Liberia		446	931	1241		24	1820		120	1960	650	650
52	Mt. Peer		539	1198	924		100	1820		200	2020	1000	1000
53	Marion Station: Trinity			12	413			1850			1850	740	684
54	Mariner's			120	1939			3650			3650	1428	1320
55	Nanticoke			704	1261			3280			3280	2234	2234
56	Bivalve		4197	1528	1867			3280			3280	2285	2232
57	Tyaskin		2250	704	1208			1645			1640	994	1021
58	Nanticoke: Asbury		3796	132	3318		125	3772		100	3872	2332	1802
59	Elzey		492	237	1086		50	2576		100	2676	1504	900
60	Newton: Grace		988	72	366			1104		100	1204	492	481
61	Wetipquin: John Wesley		216	15	630			1748		30	1848	899	456
62	Newark: Bowen			578	2487	110	42	2890		581	3475	2776	2776
63	Calvary			468	2270		85	1950		631	2581	1653	1656
64	Sinepunxent: Bethany			729	2514		55	2020		671	2695	1827	1827
65	Trinity		355	535	2603	132	112	2850		531	3385	2520	2520
66	Ocean City: Atlantic	17450	9120	3745	10431	4547	300	11250		1880	14648	8859	8859
67	Taylorsville		3526	248	728			1500		150	1830	747	748
68	Oriole: St. Peter's		754	1058	4832	1245	60	6527		110	6440	3061	3061
69	Dames Quarter		1365	97	655	195		1900			1840	1029	1029
70	St. Stephen		279	249	483	179		950			920	486	488
71	Parsonsburg: Jerusalem			762	4213		50	3680			4080	2899	2899
72	Bethel			304	1465	14	40	1839			1839	866	866

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	BENEVOLENCES																		
	General Advance Specials	World Service Special Gifts	Youth Service Fund	One Great Hour of Sharing	World Communion Offering	United Methodist Student Day	Human Relations Sunday	Christian Education Sunday (Camp Pecomeih)	Neighborhood House	Higher Education	Pension Crusade Fund	Board of Child Care	Homes for the Aged	Wilmington District Office	Methodist Action Program	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total Paid (Lines 33-71)	
	60a	60b	61	62a	62b	62c	62d	63	65	66	67	68a	68b	69	70	71	72	
	35			41	7	36	18				720	16	8				16066	1
	39			35			10					56					17036	2
	10			17	1		1	5			335	19	3				6918	3
	22			8	11	15	5				550	19	6			7	6701	4
	7			3	6	4	21				403	10	5				7108	5
				18	58	71					900		123				29656	6
					32	31					690		48				13450	7
																	5991	8
											2000	159					43925	9
			10	50	40	10	10	20	10	10	756	30			10		13145	10
																	7736	11
																	6310	12
												25					6833	13
	480				5			24			899	42	51			7	53649	14
				47													74678	15
				41	36			17		8		66	23				22903	16
				7	10						50		10			15	12085	17
				10	10	10	10	10		10	300	10	10		10	35	4789	18
																	5578	19
											514	100					16981	20
				32								50					14293	21
											350	100	50				17161	22
																	5763	23
													30				10389	24
				13					10				15				10749	25
	63			75	86	19				9	3569	73	266				71617	26
								50									50298	27
								30				100				17	16422	28
	500											30				17	7373	29
																17	11119	30
				15	12						200		34				11634	31
				50	12		13	50	50		2000	50	50			25	10046	32
									40		254						43908	33
				40	40	40	40				200	55	40				4650	34
																	6395	35
			15	8	11	12						19	22				6245	36
				10	13	22	4	10		30	100		28				4892	37
											300		30				8645	38
					10						182		20				3967	39
											332						5337	40
					12												5179	41
	100			23	25	22						71	29				19780	42
				52	29	28						96	25				11280	43
				20	40	30					1461	96	45			90	25773	44
												84	44				13475	45
	10										201	13					3419	46
												87	16				10280	47
											100	5	10				1396	48
											547	5	10				3898	49
				10		15					135		22				6368	50
					10			5			52						5299	51
					10			10			78						5879	52
																	2959	53
																	7029	54
											264						7743	55
																	13104	56
	6				14						5	5	20				6828	57
						5					7	5	5				13095	58
						4					5	5					5463	59
																	3125	60
											7	5	5				3112	61
				15	7												9486	62
				18							540						7060	63
				16	17							80					8374	64
	437			77	17	52	62	101	10	25							9751	65
	35										250	71	121			43	68598	66
					11	7		4				30					7215	67
												12					17681	68
					7			6									5241	69
																	2641	70
				28	11	27				4		9	24			12	11719	71
				10	4	4		3			311		2			3	4865	72

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Church and Charge	Principal and Interest on Indebtedness, Loans, Mortgages, etc. 33	Buildings and Improvements (not including funds borrowed) 34	Current Expenses for Program (including Church School) 35	Other Current Operating Expenses (not including program expenses) 36	Benevolences Paid Directly by Local Church 37	United Methodist Women 38	Pastor's Salary 39	Associate's(s') Salary 40	Travel and All Fringe Benefits 41	Total Pastoral Support 1978 42	Conference Apportionment 55a	Paid on Apportionment 55b
73 Zion	3442	3175	2560	3910	81	140	3680		147	3827	3212	3212
74 Pittsville-Willards: Ayres	3300	1967	1938	4153			4300		400	4850	4077	4077
75 Eden			1587	2974		10	3300		150	3550	2891	2892
76 Grace		561	697	829		55	3350		150	3600	1991	1991
77 Pocomoke City: Bethany		2343	548	5557		240	4515		700	5500	4058	4058
78 Salem	18145	2550	3128	10119		417	6500		970	8000	8186	8186
79 Pocomoke City: Mt. Zion	6700	3132	1826	3825	190	300	3890		270	4150	3426	3426
80 St. James		4500	1793	3690	500	20	2576		180	3640	1778	1778
81 Trinity	1100		585	2229	175	100	2188		100	2600	1263	1263
82 Powellville			519	2944			3723		10	4150	2052	2052
83 Friendship			133	530		5	1170		15	1200	587	587
84 Mt. Olive			127	773		15	984			984	773	500
85 Mt. Pleasant			360	2844		9	3878			4150	997	997
86 Princess Anne: Antioch			979	11915		557	8296		500	8796	8408	8408
87 Cokesbury			434	974		50	2040			2040	1305	1186
88 Friendship				212			600			600	406	406
89 Princess Anne: Metropolitan	449	735	904	5085		160	5454		595	6049	4183	4183
90 Marumsco: Ebenezer	100	2370	824	4353		160	3056		446	3502	1536	1536
91 Princess Anne-Mt. Vernon: St. Paul	1837		205	1891			2567			2667	1586	1300
92 Mt. Zion	884	300	1170	3476			2567			2666	1183	554
93 Venton: Grace			510	2527		100	2560			2666	1540	1540
94 Quantico: First			70	758		35	1654		350	2004	914	914
95 Rockawalkin: Ebenezer	1000	3700	2575	4297	15	115	6831		1169	8500	3952	3952
96 Salisbury: Asbury	13160	20404	18773	69117	1259	3063	15000	9500	2900	29980	48087	48087
97 Salisbury: Bethesda	13932	7500	11902	50305	1804	2637	16500	11300	1000	30090	40640	40640
98 Salisbury: Christ	1719	12350	2000	9598	49	310	8316		668	9374	5394	5388
99 Mt. Hermon			801	1876		155	2754		755	3686	2145	2145
100 Salisbury: Grace	4628	8515	3933	14711	2105	542	10000		1500	12500	11939	11939
101 Salisbury-Quantico: Mt. Zion	1701		243	3381			2718		167	3067	1126	1126
102 Hebron: St. Luke	1200	3752	424	790		101	2900		166	3067	1126	1126
103 White Haven: Friendship			93	2780		20	2833		233	3067	1126	1126
104 Salisbury: Riverside		1888	1096	3451	215	112	4140			5300	2097	2097
105 St. Martin's			197	856		25	3700		300	4000	1849	1849
106 Salisbury: St. Andrews	13946	8142	1565	16198	4122	65	11375		1854	15056	6024	6024
107 Salisbury: Trinity			13348	27859	500	2645	13500		1110	15360	22135	22135
108 Salisbury: Wesley Temple	2328	951	3154	10605	283	329	9600		1053	13500	6492	6492
109 Sharptown: Asbury	1240	535	756	3384		205	6900		129	7067	4819	4819
110 Cokesbury			396	912		30	2160		43	2213	1284	1284
111 Riverton		1586	41	972		50	1500		30	1536	805	805
112 Sharptown: Mt. Vernon	13811	458	1010	6413	47	265	5616		573	6418	5122	5122
113 Galestown			561	840			1666		217	1955	1203	1203
114 Mt. Hermon	4845		218	1588		25	1649		132	1847	1251	1251
115 Wheatley's			176	726		76	753		93	879	585	585
116 Sharptown: Zion	3450	1160	602	4450		112	3706		250	3956	3383	2883
117 Mardela: John Wesley			40	1124		13	1506		100	1606	909	500
118 Mt. Nebo			40	1477		99	2159		150	2309	1394	1394
119 Snow Hill: Bates Memorial	2843	11341	2883	7417	30	1002	10000		1243	12250	7909	7909
120 Snow Hill: Ebenezer		1529	1460	5373	244	311	6772		768	8400	4471	4471
121 Friendship			20	404			897		103	1100	508	508
122 Hutt's Memorial		85	87	649			1316		154	1500	770	770
123 Snow Hill: Whatcoat	10178	5549	2679	8895	460	660	12000		2000	14872	7691	7691
124 Stockton: St. Paul's	612		25	375		70	2350		150	2500	1470	1470
125 Shiloh		385		1552		135	2350		150	2500	1484	1484
126 Tyaskin-Oakville: St. Mark's		9554	620	1120		154	3160		168	3328	1419	1419
127 Flower Hill		250	120	718			1500		168	1668	678	678
128 John Wesley		1600	1270	246			3160		167	3327	1154	1154
129 St. James		700		1095			1500		168	1668	590	590
130 Upper Fairmount: Christ		310	863	2545	224	40	4620		69	4658	3083	3084
131 Mt. Olive			628	1465	1260		1540		23	1553	934	934
132 Rehoboth			10	519	230		1540		23	1553	873	873
133 Upper Hill: St. Andrew's	900	3677	590	2172	340		1742		125	2418	1638	500
134 Centennial	300		18	1280	134	50	1858		125	2340	1343	1128
135 Marion Station: John Wesley	975	894	535	1868	767	175	1794		125	2496	1741	1450
136 Samuel Wesley	275			1420	66		1640		125	2360	1343	1128
137 Whaleysville		8970	743	2218		90	3650			4000	1935	1935
138 New Hope			282	2939			3250		220	4000	2038	2038
139 Whaleysville: Pullett's		285	270	1539		37	2619		150	2769	1316	1316
140 Bishopville: Curtis		1000	100	2583			2619		150	2873	1552	1552
141 Parsonburg: Bishop Memorial		500	40	1020		21	2619		150	2873	1114	1114
Total	209349	275075	159532	604517	29524	23209	527752	20800	49809	641042	466107	458993

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General Advance Specials 60a	World Service Special Gifts 60b	Youth Service Fund 61	One Great Hour of Sharing 62a	World Communion Offering 62b	United Methodist Student Day 62c	Human Relations Sunday 62d	Christian Education Sunday (Camp Pecomeih) 63	Neighborhood House 65	Higher Education 66	Pension Crusade Fund 67	Board of Child Care 68a	Homes for the Aged 68b	Wilmington District Office 69	Methodist Action Program 70	All Other Benevolences 71	Grand Total Paid (Lines 33-71) 72	
			68	15		4					54	11			8	20507	73
			47	45						750	63	38			10	21088	74
			38	15							40	19			10	11035	75
			28	15							36	10			10	7732	76
34			5		15	5	14				11	15				18060	77
56			18	28	21	12	55			2000	47	38			30	52320	78
				25												23584	79
				15												15052	80
				10												7740	81
				10								10				9258	82
																2460	83
																2399	84
																8088	85
							3			1802	63					32520	86
										453						5140	87
				25	25											1218	88
				50	14											17615	89
																12909	90
				10												7800	91
																8961	92
			10	7	25											7237	93
17																	
145			69	22	51					313	141	13			4	4170	94
6800			1682	125	119	82	64	120		8360	731	55		100	12	24149	95
600			200	83	115					6286	316	134			400	219980	96
21			10	21	10		10		10		33	302				165422	97
19				42								50			10	40573	98
874							24					62				8409	99
										2334	40	41			4	61190	100
				18	10											9346	101
										511		41				11029	102
300				45												7085	103
100				13				50		665	168	36			7	14220	104
72										250	44	4			10	7398	105
1300			100	37		100			300	2572	53					65988	106
115		10	20	20	25	43	20		30	3500	56	100				86590	107
										100	10				10	35198	108
7												5				17968	109
																4837	110
58			6	5		32	40			114	51	5				5165	111
7			50	42		3			6	307	50	29			83	34012	112
																4497	113
																9708	114
																2409	115
35			10	10					15	114	100					16897	116
										52		15				3350	117
100			50	52			25				60	14				5333	118
54			31	60	27	27	46		25			60				45040	119
										885		24			100	22182	120
			5							260						2197	121
										275						3336	122
230		10	123	131	20	30		20	50	1901		139		20	120	52906	123
		10	10	21	10	10	10	10	20	200	10	10		10	10	5052	124
																6397	125
										300						16495	126
		10		10		10			10	120			10			3434	127
										100						7767	128
			14	5	4	12				150	63	9				4153	129
144			41	5	10	9	5			266		3			5	12012	130
			32	20			8			21						6338	131
																3276	132
											25					10046	133
																4893	134
																8608	135
							1			600						4654	136
					29											18207	137
																8758	138
																6216	139
																8004	140
																5464	141
12832		65	3448	1668	993	585	670	320	562	55128	3973	2542	10	150	1131	2442637	

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		LOCAL CHURCH EXPENDITURES												
	Church and Charge	Principal and Interest on Indebtedness, Loans, Mortgages, etc.	Buildings and Improvements (not including funds borrowed)	Current Expenses for Program (including Church School)	Other Current Operating Expenses (not including program expenses)	Benevolences Paid Directly by Local Church	United Methodist Women	Pastor's Salary	Associate's(s') Salary	Travel and All Fringe Benefits	Total Pastoral Support 1978	Conference Apportionment	Paid on Apportionment	
	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	55a	55b	
1	Bear: Red Lion		2900	9805	43655	37175		19500	11500	3600	40000	12975	13200	1
2	Cecilton, Maryland: Zion	11735	317	1630	7159	870	255	7080		1658	8738	6936	6936	2
3	St. Paul's			381	1766	75	30	2360		553	2913	1227	1227	3
4	Charlestown, Md.: St. John's			50	2630	150	135	1800		600	2640	2231	1831	4
5	Hart's Chapel			50	1380	150		1000		500	1500	837	837	5
6	Chesapeake City, Md.: Trinity	1826		456	7374		436	5955		1787	7742	5851	4700	6
7	Town Point			38	2129			3224		300	3850	1547	1536	7
8	Christiana-Kirkwood: St. Paul's			200	533			936		364	1300	787	200	8
9	Mt. Pleasant		110		1032		35	936		364	1300	895	895	9
10	Christiana	13456	1246	1536	12612	2475	162	7733		784	8837	6729	6729	10
11	Salem	1710	1280	724	7225		162	3867		416	4483	3138	3138	11
12	Claymont: Atonement	3529	8145	7333	35665	210	2150	12650	2520	2683	20050	21846	21846	12
13	Colora, Md.: Hopewell		2916	661	6913		210	4087		789	5300	5029	5029	13
14	Mt. Pleasant	169	27338	3831	5877		76	5254		500	6000	5740	5740	14
15	Elkton, Md.	18838	8865	3949	24635	2742	1065	10000		1786	14650	16376	16376	15
16	Providence	900	384		1225			1351			1300	1098	1098	16
17	Elkton, Md.: Cherry Hill		1500	315	5489	75	250	3728		892	4674	4308	2126	17
18	Baldwin	3986	763	750	4029	18	60	3728		892	4620	3109	2215	18
19	Elkton, Md.-E. Cecil: Leeds			480	3593			3375			7710	1200	1200	19
20	Union		16937	729	2745		35	3375				2303	2303	20
21	Glasgow Ecumenical Parish													21
22	Hockessin	22614	3525	1089	12121	750		10411		5841	16252	550		22
23	Kirkwood			8826	18874	7535	508	13100		2150	15650	10075	10075	23
24	Lewisville, Pa.: St. John's			2063	3657	394	215	5000		2040	7040	2267	2267	24
25	Moore's Chapel		1489	1133	3107	100	91	3500			3500	3180	3180	25
26	Middletown-Summit: Bethesda	3551	1200	742	1496		180	4350		250	4600	2129	2129	26
27	Summit			1906	12253			6500		1070	7792	9061	4286	27
28	Dale's Memorial		7536	722	3384	157	215	2301		465	2942	2924	2924	28
29	Warwick: Mt. Olivet		3000	56	2166		50	268	981			1199	400	29
30	New Castle: Asbury	14062	12621	319	3471	52	25	5116			4516	3441	2321	30
31	Minquadale			14909	36958	12200	1420	16757	10911	2000	31963	29332	29332	31
32	New Castle			517	2184	15	40	3720			4000	2581	2581	32
33	Mt. Salem	9880	1458	3836	13323	160	640	10700		1157	12550	12026	12033	33
34	Newark: Ebenezer			476	2364			2040			2040	1627	700	34
35	Newark: Kingswood	34506	40397	11994	34912	3566	712	13754		2540	17361	15514	15514	35
36	Newark	8510	2531	3030	16165	67	680	11600		1500	13100	11402	5700	36
37	North East, Maryland		4246	32392	66141	897	4047	16800	12000	3120	33970	54000	54000	37
38	North East, Md.-Shelemiah			5217	21251	100	370	10846		2054	13636	12327	12327	38
39	Bethel			756	2824		260	5340			5340	3475	3475	39
40	North East, Md.-Calvert: Rosebank			184	1018		10	2360			2360	1097	1097	40
41	Zion			359	3308	304	160	2600		500	3100	2940	2000	41
42	Ebenezer		2565	643	3564	13	180	2600		500	3100	3118	3118	42
43	Odessa: St. Paul's	2315	2500	638	3176	170	185	2600		500	3100	2058	1400	43
44	Blackbird: Scott			1433	7277		194	9650		125	10335	6810	4850	44
45	Townsend: Lee's Chapel		115	188	538			900		120	1065	615	615	45
46	Perryville, Maryland	1251	1142	158	3246		80	720		105	890	1304	1080	46
47	Principio		2376	1452	8880		250	7100		395	7550	8055	4355	47
48	Port Deposit, Md.: Tome Memorial			869	2487			2400		100	2500	2035	2035	48
49	Asbury			1782	10922		236	4871		642	5513	5962	1235	49
50	Cokesbury			390	2939		160	1243		225	1740	1873	1873	50
51	Rising Sun, Md.: Janes	4757	7553	211	2506			642		142	784	1560	700	51
52	St. Georges-Del. City: Ebenezer			4643	8025	410	944	10000		2443	13456	9804	9804	52
53	Port Penn: St. Daniels	1359	50	324	3657		50	3000		275	3475	2957	2957	53
54	St. Georges		2973	737	3754		25	600			600	1169	1169	54
55	Delaware City: St. Peter's			2275	5673	125	359	5000		275	5275	5240	5240	55
					519		25	600			600	599	599	

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	General Advance Specials	World Service Special Gifts	Youth Service Fund	One Great Hour of Sharing	World Communion Offering	United Methodist Student Day	Human Relations Sunday	Christian Education Sunday (Camp Pecomeih)	Neighborhood House	Higher Education	Pension Crusade Fund	Board of Child Care	Homes for the Aged	Wilmington District Office	Methodist Action Program	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total Paid (Lines 33-71)	
	60a	60b	61	62a	62b	62c	62d	63	65	66	67	68a	68b	69	70	71	72	
	1320								50	100	504		35	162	100		142917	1
	230										150			57	235		38851	2
									25		300			15			6557	3
				10	10			10	17		271	10		26	25		7572	4
	65			30	28				21			37	20	5	10		4260	5
											280				17		22752	6
														20			7527	7
														8			2241	8
											100		9	5	10		3496	9
	43			28	17	49	20	17	100		2664	239	71	57	10		50048	10
					20	18		5			850	103	19	28		5	19570	11
				136	231	100	50	200	1720	100		150	150	281	270	100	100219	12
	80			9	14		8					25	9	45			20795	13
				32	20	8	6				100	122	25	41		25	49164	14
					45	25		25				50	95	182			88678	15
														6			4964	16
														33			14408	17
				53								20	14	54			16582	18
												13		15			8676	19
												50		17			26191	20
	50			90	48						3493	132		112	199	57	30212	21
				5	10					10	1100	35	5	25	35		91388	22
				94	45						209	32	50	20	33		16861	23
				10	50	16					331	25	12	17	32		13083	24
				72	10	26	5	38		7	1742	120		76		23	10840	25
	131			27	26	56		15		15	549	50		28	25	14	31685	26
												11		11			18640	27
					3	4		24		6		30		29		20	6943	28
	238			5		73		58	300				155	396	225	119	11420	29
	19												30	32		19	152739	30
				42	37	28		30		15	2000		87	117	150	51	9157	31
														28			55744	32
	594			368	208	150	126	200	450		3752	43	343	113	3318	340	5608	33
				80							1820	10	5	138	260		167900	34
	757			819	159	222	312	189	1120		8977	412	375	476	2303		43586	35
			29	25	46		89	14				65	41	136			218274	36
				58	10	20	9					80	19	27		4	52610	37
				12	5	9	11				100	15	8			6	12882	38
					25	6		26				112	27	20			4835	39
	150				9	10		20	40			45	10	26			9447	40
					6			4				55				8	13493	41
					31		7	42			5		28	50			11242	42
											152		6	9			26007	43
				15	15	25	15			15				7	15		2643	44
				35			30	35				25	65	69			5496	45
				50	15	35	10	20			650	75	10	14		5	25084	46
	20																11151	47
	10		5	10	10	10	5	5	10	10	449	10	20	9	10	5	19708	48
																	7408	49
	610																4201	50
					11	15	3				509	21	25	90			49279	51
					5		5				260			7		3	10880	52
	330			35	31	26		38			1000	125	38	44		10	7971	53
	14				16	22		21						12		20	23597	54
																	1848	55

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56	Townsend: Immanuel		782	1016	8291	514	150	6909		1608	8524	6236	3745
57	Friendship			5	737	106	45	1959		54	2016	1172	1172
58	Haven		108	667	3064	61	50	495		54	1844	1464	1464
59	Middletown: Ebenezer				1092	28		375		72	1153	795	795
60	Wilmington: Aldersgate	41782	12278	15603	58956		4009	19500	26000	6000	53786	51373	51373
61	Wilmington: Brandywine-Trinity		5270	1345	18658		675	10500			6500	3661	3661
62	Wilmington: Calvary		384	1675	6285	64	285	4862		500	5819	2600	2600
63	Eastlake			2362	11414	174	300	6080		537	6825	5000	5000
64	Wilmington: Chester-Bethel	33593		7674	25362		540	15000		2000	17300	13258	13258
65	Wilmington: Christ	4465	1235	8077	16489	40	714	10500		1777	12950	12738	12738
66	Wilmington: Coleman Memorial		2200	1600	10565		225	9750		1020	11235	7448	7448
67	Wilmington: Ezion-Mt. Carmel	61042	694	4422	48861	1047	625	12456		1912	15500	24977	11878
68	Wilmington: Grace	10023	23175	33466	102058	16390	4366	19800	25120	4524	51948	73376	73376
69	Wilmington: Harrison Street			2664	10194	225	1473	10050		1000	6500	1000	2285
70	Wilmington: Hillcrest-Bellefonte	1798		9223	40903	600	1644	16740	8784	5026	32280	23159	18000
71	Wilmington: Holly Oak	12659	466	2346	10204	4732	365	10700		2183	12683	7700	3850
72	Wilmington: Marshallton	2388		3026	12810		1040	8700		1050	10050	11212	8594
73	Cedars			2333	4462		285	2800		350	3450	4474	4474
74	Wilmington: Mt. Joy	8022	700	1360	7322	68	215	8250		660	9910	5049	4187
75	New Castle: Buttonwood		3000	255	1379	120	100	2750		220	2970	1642	1642
76	Wilmington: Mt. Lebanon	3496	1000	2316	11097			4500		500	5840	6679	2463
77	Mt. Salem	1314	235	2554	8159	50	400	4500		500	5360	7277	3335
78	Wilmington: Peniel	5780	1187	5976	27296		1478	12316		1750	15866	18217	16000
79	Wilmington: Peninsula-McCabe	30555	15108	7368	38163	8206	4316	14730	12000	2500	31082	28673	28673
80	Wilmington: Richardson Park	4823	2949	5152	23059	6681	2356	14500		1500	17000	17888	15089
81	Wilmington: St. Mark's	27424	650	15470	30786	1200	2422	17600		1020	20350	27287	27287
82	Wilmington: St. Paul's	41806	14636	22903	75164	3370	2671	18250	9225	4290	33440	31945	31945
83	Wilmington: Silverbrook		13359	4102	20834		510	12500		2240	15585	16729	7950
84	Haven	885	1000	1111	3115		218	5800		500	6840	4200	4200
85	Wilmington: Simpson	2280		1900	3150		100	6000		520	7020	3170	3045
86	Wilmington: Skyline	14177	342	2908	7426	1655		11500		2250	15750	3295	3295
87	Wilmington: Union			4635	22576		605	12650		1075	14225	8252	8252
	Total	467266	270746	314701	1175737	116286	49554	613950	119041	98194	870903	770414	689607

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110			36	38	6	8				250	72	30	51		25	23641	56
17			18	10	12	13				250	37	19	12			4466	57
													8			5971	58
				4						200			4			2570	59
			500					1900		25	83		473	1117		239599	60
				5						1065	69	5	31	952		42236	61
			22	17	10					445	10	20	38	109	25	17351	62
			64	72	12					281	45		38			26379	63
24			35	98	14		16		13		141	67	107	275	3	98220	64
			23	31	15		31		5	2172	325	32	120	11	65	58865	65
50			63	75	100	50		100		500		50	46	300	50	34192	66
								20						152		143109	67
2629								5000					286	2906		323119	68
287							31			380	50		44	225		28908	69
113			5	144	75		55	550	116	2937	40	200	131	1184	100	108368	70
			3	43	11	26	12		20	856	5	34		25	25	48565	71
151			115	72	20		154	100	27	2235	364	65	129	60	25	41125	72
10			47	28	6		31			820	44	39	29	60	10	15828	73
				22											45	30851	74
								55					8		333	9862	75
			57	27	25						43	20	74			25618	76
			17	25	15							19	55			21178	77
			133	91	47		64	10		3509	128	100	148	262		76285	78
			180	120	65	80	100			6406	250	232	220	1610	250	173023	79
1891			72	66	29		76	210		3184	55	64	165	103		80333	80
200			211	152	72		120	160			261	108	228	570		125944	81
203			590	494	26	129	221	1525	127	7000	1413	560	273	3682	2000	245574	82
3274			91	47	43	74	55		27	1585	114	151	110	157	1	63993	83
43			58	44	59	50	53			264	41	37	22	320		17807	84
30													25			17020	85
			100	25	75	50	125	225		1400	402	125	44	730	225	47722	86
643				74	6	2	13		4	1453	126	19	75	126	15	51706	87
14336		34	4590	3040	1696	1193	2193	13708	617	69534	6465	3802	6219	22218	4031	4068758	

Recapitulation Table No. 1

DISTRICT	SUPERINTENDENT	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP: Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year 1	Received: This Year on Confession of Faith or Restored 2	Received: from Other United Methodist Churches 3	Received: from Other Denominations 4	Removed: Charge Conference Action or Withdrawn 5	Removed: Transfer to Other United Methodist Churches 6	Removed: Transfer to Other Denominations 7	Removed: Death 8	Total Full Members at Close of This Year 9	Av. Attendance Principal Weekly Worship Service(s) 10	Number Persons Baptized This Year (all ages) 11	Prep. Members Now on Roll (all baptized children under 16) 12	Number of Persons on Constituency Roll 13	Total Enrolled in Confirmation Classes This Year 14
1 Dover	William H. Revelle, Jr.	23344	551	218	72	293	197	78	313	23304	8966	618	4146	2137	275
2 Easton	Felton E. May	22916	536	155	52	163	149	42	383	22922	8723	474	4032	3022	308
3 Salisbury	Edwin C. Thomas	22413	482	232	73	277	139	45	310	22429	9218	500	3689	2708	349
4 Wilmington	William Hemphill, Jr.	32843	796	426	190	548	458	141	339	32769	10618	797	6796	4367	519
Total		101516	2365	1031	387	1281	943	306	1345	101424	37525	2389	18663	12234	1451
Total Last Year		101516	2386	1125	431	1022	861	319	1227	101516	37428	2237	19256	12792	1708
Increase						259	82		118		97	152			
Decrease			21	94	44			13		92			593	558	257

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1 Dover	302186	147818	195964	698960	69876	21774	531583	30451	75076	682613	507624	473616
2 Easton	196261	240449	124336	575821	26458	25687	600923	9700	65360	708339	444055	443474
3 Salisbury	209349	275075	159532	604517	29524	23209	527752	20800	49809	641042	466107	458993
4 Wilmington	467266	270746	314701	1175737	116286	49554	613950	119041	98194	870903	770414	689607
Total	1175062	934088	794533	3055035	242144	120224	2274208	179992	288439	2902897	2188200	2065690
Total Last Year	1246421	1292953	323820	3327480	193732	121437	2157646	147319	263658	2728403	2036722	1946275
Increase			470713		48412		116562	32673	24781	174494	151478	119415
Decrease	71359	358865		272445		1213						

CHURCH SCHOOL: Number of Leaders 15	Children (birth — sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups 16	Youth in All Classes and Groups 17	Adults in All Classes and Groups 18	Total Church School Membership 19	Average Attendance: in the Sunday Church School (all ages) 20	Average Attendance: in other on-going classes and groups for learning 21	Average Attendance: in short-term classes and groups for learning 22	Members Joining Church on Confession of Faith 23	U.M.M.: Membership in Chartered United Methodist Men 24	U.M.M.: Amount Paid for Projects 25	U.M.W.: Membership in United Methodist Women 26	U.M.W.: Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work 27	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS: Value of Church, Land, Buildings and Equipment 28	Value of Church Owned Parsonages and Furniture 29	Value of Other Assets (cash, securities, other property, etc.) 30	Indebtedness on Items 28, 29, 30 at End of Year 31	Other Indebtedness (current expenses, etc.) 32	
1440	4148	2001	3978	11567	6450	1573	2132	281	650	8129	3685	71365	21314885	2356498	1496065	1213398	10191	1
1213	3756	1798	2462	9229	5310	1195	3754	263	762	12799	3874	77251	17784710	2634850	1328411	602267	41820	2
1248	3788	2131	3646	10813	5397	1965	2462	238	680	11629	3789	87607	17422241	2218793	1368542	482323	5950	3
1565	5204	2051	2787	11607	5583	2875	3363	345	594	4517	3630	67740	32713640	3448947	4352031	2525735	34974	4
5466	16896	7981	12873	43216	22740	7608	11711	1127	2686	37076	14978	303963	89235476	10659088	8545049	4823723	92934	
5591	17647	8758	13116	45112	23767	6937	10179	1196			15700	277775	83819258	9857426	8124149	5090122	46043	
						671	1532					26188					46891	
125	751	777	243	1896	1027			69			722		5416218	801662	420900	266399		

BENEVOLENCES: General Advance Specials 60a	World Service Special Gifts 60b	Youth Service Fund 61	One Great Hour of Sharing 62a	World Communion Offering 62b	United Methodist Student Day 62c	Human Relations Sunday 62d	Christian Education Sunday (Camp Pecometh) 63	Neighborhood House 65	Higher Education 66	Pension Crusade Fund 67	Board of Child Care 68a	Homes for the Aged 68b	Wilmington District Office 69	Methodist Action Program 70	All Other Benevolences 71	Grand Total Paid (Lines 33-71) 72	
5939		31	3476	1833	1182	760	1467	1020	385	65374	4369	2340	5	7	1568	2637060	1
6520		159	2873	1930	1006	643	1263	376	428	45207	5069	2235	11	48	944	2377181	2
12832		65	3448	1668	993	585	670	320	562	55128	3973	2542	10	150	1131	2442637	3
14336		34	4590	3040	1696	1193	2193	13708	617	69534	6465	3802	6219	22218	4031	4068758	4
39627		289	14387	8471	4877	3181	5593	15424	1992	235243	19876	10919	6245	22423	7674	11525636	
53255	50	482	14712	6928	4258	3603	6053	13167	1631		22285	13734	6317	25101	11280	11203597	
				1543	619			2257	361	235243						322039	
13628	50	193	325			422	460				2409	2815	72	2678	3606		

PENINSULA CONFERENCE PENSION CRUSADE
DOVER DISTRICT

CHURCH	PASTOR	FAIR SHARE GOAL	ACCEPT-ANCE	PAID	PER-CENT
Bethel	Rash, R.	1712	1712	538	31
Mt. Zion	Rash, R.	1462	1462	0	0
Portsville	Rash, R.	1171	1171	390	33
Asbury	Lyburn, G.	2179	2179	726	33
Blades	Lyburn, G.	2485	1864	0	0
Mt. Calvary	Shockley, J. R.	1589	1589	20	1
Bethel	Shockley, J. R.	2293	2293	415	18
Trinity	Shockley, J. R.	1540	1540	0	0
Union	Foster, G. A.	12325	12325	8825	72
Whatcoat	Moyer, C. M.	9879	9879	0	0
Woodside	Moyer, C. M.	1130	1130	300	27
Cannon	Patterson, J. D.	2795	2795	931	33
Cokesbury	Patterson, J. D.	744	0	0	0
Trinity	Patterson, J. D.	1393	1393	930	67
Cheswold	Hall, R. P.	3065	3065	134	4
Downs Chapel	Hall, R. P.	1037	1037	345	33
Immanuel Union	Hall, R. P.	1830	1830	0	0
Union Wesley	Jackson, E. H.	2415	2415	300	12
Zoar	Jackson, E. H.	2423	2423	700	29
St. Georges	Downing, I. P.	8274	2758	0	0
Ewell St. Pauls	Harris, R. L.	5884	5884	2434	41
Kenton	Harris, R. L.	1620	1620	1620	100
Bethel	Paul, D. G.	6471	6471	1619	25
Wesley	Godfrey, G. C.	28516	30000	7884	26
Whatcoat	Hammond, C. E.	6314	6314	2114	33
Chaplains Chapel	Higby, T. D.	828	0	0	0
Ellendale	Higby, T. D.	1649	0	0	0
St. Johnstown	Higby, T. D.	1445	0	0	0
Felton	Berry, L.	4741	4741	365	8
Manship	Berry, L.	846	846	0	0
Viola	Berry, L.	755	755	55	7
Frankford	Turner, W. A.	4275	0	73	0
Hickory Hill	Turner, W. A.	3066	250	250	100
Trinity	Benjamin, N. B.	3322	3322	1100	33
Saxton	Benjamin, N. B.	464	464	309	67
Sardis	Benjamin, N. B.	462	462	150	32
Bethesda	Brittingham, A.	1545	1545	500	32
Providence	Brittingham, A.	1493	1493	500	33
St. Johns	Brittingham, A.	1618	1618	0	0
McColleys Chapel	Fitzhugh, Jr., W. M.	1298	450	150	33
Grace	Fitzhugh, Jr., W. M.	12478	12478	4200	34
Wesley	Green, H. S.	10937	10937	3646	33
Indian Mission	Green, H. S.	1417	1417	500	35
Epworth	Doughten, Jr., J. B.	2158	2158	919	43
Greenwood	Doughten, Jr., J. B.	4276	4276	563	13
Todds Chapel	Hope, C.	2244	2244	575	26
Gumboro	Hope, C.	1409	1409	939	67
Bethel	Hope, C.	526	526	175	33

Bethany	Hope, C.	429	429	143	33
Vine	Hope, C.	1284	1284	856	67
Asbury	Willink, A. J.	7255	7255	1815	25
Houston	Willink, A. J.	3101	3101	1000	32
Trinity	Grier, K. W.	3594	3594	1200	33
Salem	Grier, K. W.	520	520	375	72
Bethel	Grier, K. W.	571	571	230	40
Prospect	Grier, K. W.	1342	1342	792	59
Hartly	Garrett, W. J.	1905	1905	666	35
Centenary	Brewer, Jr., O. G.	13652	13652	2508	18
Shiloh	Issacs, P. E.	1311	0	0	0
St. Pauls	Issacs, P. E.	1750	0	0	0
Trinity	Issacs, P. E.	1909	636	636	100
Christ	Payne, Jr., R. H.	5241	5241	1221	23
Woodland Ferry	Payne, Jr., R. H.	1423	1423	400	28
New Zion	Dredden, A. J.	2245	2245	882	39
Union	Dredden, A. J.	1562	1562	500	32
Kings	Kelly, R.	2602	2602	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	Kelly, R.	2377	2377	792	33
St. Georges	Kelly, R.	3993	3993	1331	33
Bethel	Bundick, W. B.	9066	5000	3000	60
Groome	Bundick, W. B.	2488	1000	408	41
Israel	Meekins, G. L.	2254	2254	300	13
John Wesley	Meekins, G. L.	2340	2340	800	34
Mt. Pleasant	Meekins, G. L.	1940	1940	0	0
St. Pauls	Meekins, G. L.	1976	1976	100	5
Lincoln	Given, R. G.	4692	4692	0	0
Slaughter Neck	Given, R. G.	1759	1759	450	26
Cedar Neck	Given, R. G.	434	434	145	33
Metropolitan	Staten, W. M.	1543	1543	163	11
St. Pauls	Staten, W. M.	1267	1267	453	36
Wesley Chapel	Staten, W. M.	3322	3322	600	18
Leipsic	Ledbetter, P. G.	1030	0	0	0
Little Creek	Ledbetter, P. G.	1098	0	255	0
Magnolia	Ledbetter, P. G.	3572	1800	0	0
Avenue	Lucia, F.	20340	20340	4966	24
Calvary	Smith, K. N.	12422	12422	5410	44
Friendship	Caulk, J.	1431	1431	200	14
Harmony	Caulk, J.	2612	653	216	33
Grace	Hudson, W. H.	8637	8637	959	11
Careys	Hudson, W. H.	2372	2400	800	33
Zoar	Jicha, Jr., H. F.	5658	5658	500	9
Harbeson	Evans, H. E.	3301	3301	1000	30
Goshen	Evans, H. E.	6468	6468	1200	19
Conleys Chapel	Hurd, R. C.	1682	1682	560	33
Whites Chapel	Hurd, R. C.	1506	1506	1506	100
Zion	Hurd, R. C.	564	564	188	33
Mariners Bethel	Magill, E. L.	6823	6900	2300	33
Millville	Magill, E. L.	613	613	409	67
Epworth	Ruth, D. R.	9796	9796	5450	56
Zion	Clendaniel II, D. O.	3313	3313	0	0
Sound	Clendaniel II, D. O.	3006	3006	0	0
Bethel	Caldwell, J. M.	1609	1000	0	0
Concord	Caldwell, J. M.	1899	1899	316	17
Wesley	Caldwell, J. M.	2435	2435	0	0

Mt. Olivet	Irwin, J. A.	15345	15345	0	0
St. Johns	Ellis, Jr., R. A.	20635	20635	5945	29
Cokesbury	Radway, G. H.	886	886	0	0
John Wesley	Radway, G. H.	3252	0	270	0
Mt. Hope	Radway, G. H.	1222	1222	200	16
Gethsemane	Walz, C. W.	11171	11171	2330	21
Salem	Hurley, T. W.	11527	11527	3842	33
Asbury	Steckman, I. D.	11616	11616	0	0
Centennial	Steckman, I. D.	1495	1495	500	33
Wyoming	Randolph, J. T.	9660	9660	3220	33
	District Totals	453941	417180	109492	26

EASTON DISTRICT

CHURCH	PASTOR	FAIR SHARE GOAL	ACCEPT-ANCE	PAID	PER-CENT
Christ	Brown, R.	432	432	192	44
Waters	Brown, R.	697	697	232	33
Antioch	Poultney, N. L.	953	953	333	35
Beckwith	Poultney, N. L.	2009	2009	0	0
Spedden	Poultney, N. L.	2293	2293	1520	66
Grace	Isaacs, E. C.	11660	11660	2900	25
St. Paul	Painter, B. E.	8541	8541	3031	35
St. Luke	Dennis, R. W.	3436	3436	500	15
Wesley	Dennis, R. W.	1409	1409	0	0
Zoar	Dennis, R. W.	841	841	0	0
Waugh	Commodore, G. O.	5122	5122	896	17
Zion	Owens, W. H.	12794	13794	6897	50
Centreville	Hays, C. H.	12807	12807	0	0
Charles Wesley	Stanley, G. L.	1141	1141	100	9
Earles Chapel	Stanley, G. L.	1151	1151	0	0
New Zion	Stanley, G. L.	1283	1283	0	0
Richard Asbury	Stanley, G. L.	679	679	0	0
Kent Island	Phillips, R. B.	12537	12537	3833	31
Ezion	Jones, L. R.	1102	1102	0	0
Union Wesley	Jones, L. R.	3574	3574	0	0
Christ	Ridley, D. M.	7662	7662	657	9
First	Wimbrow, Jr., L. E.	9720	9720	1613	17
Janes	Williams, Jr., J. W.	4454	4454	0	0
Emmanuel	Williams, Jr., J. W.	3776	3776	0	0
White Haven	English, K.	996	996	664	67
Madison	English, K.	897	897	299	33
Milton	English, K.	1250	1250	612	49
Taylors Island	English, K.	820	820	550	67
John Wesley		1889	1889	156	8
Mt. Olive	Greer, H. W.	945	450	50	11
Mt. Vernon	Greer, H. W.	1301	1301	39	3
Mt. Zion	Greer, H. W.	2212	0	0	0
St. Daniels	Greer, H. W.	2335	0	25	0
Bethany	Littleton, D.	2165	2165	510	24
Church Hill	Littleton, D.	4164	4164	1212	29

Bounds	Riddleberger, R. L.	489	489	163	33
Wesley	Riddleberger, R. L.	537	537	49	9
Ebenezer	Riddleberger, R. L.	1073	1073	234	22
St. Johns	Riddleberger, R. L.	856	856	55	6
Ames	Wilkins, E. R.	809	809	0	0
St. Lukes	Wilkins, E. R.	11156	11156	2204	20
Trinity	Vroman, D. L.	2856	2856	1904	67
Brookview	Vroman, D. L.	925	925	625	68
Eldorado	Vroman, D. L.	1082	1082	360	33
Mt. Pleasant	Stanley, N. C.	986	986	125	13
Mt. Zion	Stanley, N. C.	1587	1587	200	13
St. James	Stanley, N. C.	280	280	95	34
St. Paul	Stanley, N. C.	241	241	80	33
Thompson	Stanley, N. C.	814	814	115	14
Asbury	Matthews, G.	1884	1884	0	0
St. Luke	Matthews, G.	1677	1677	325	19
De Shields	Johnson, H. P.	1009	1009	0	0
McGee	Johnson, H. P.	991	991	0	0
Staten Chapel	Johnson, H. P.	578	578	0	0
John Wesley	Johnson, H. P.	626	626	0	0
St. Marks	Davis, H. M.	19566	19566	3569	18
Christ	Armstrong, T. W.	5963	6000	2000	33
Bloomery	Armstrong, T. W.	837	0	0	0
Chestnut Grove	Armstrong, T. W.	717	0	0	0
Union	Huffman, C. C.	8018	8018	300	4
Concord	Huffman, C. C.	1319	1319	37	3
Zion	Middlebrooks, W. L.	1792	1792	450	25
John Wesley	Middlebrooks, W. L.	649	649	218	34
St. Pauls	Middlebrooks, W. L.	549	549	0	0
Metropolitan	Middlebrooks, W. L.	1596	1596	532	33
Hosier Memorial	Downing, C. J.	3035	0	0	0
Hoopers Memorial	Downing, C. J.	1780	0	0	0
Kennedyville	O'Dell, J. C.	2817	2817	0	0
Olivet	O'Dell, J. C.	4471	4471	1000	22
Trinity	Behm, Jr., Irvin	2456	2456	820	33
Calvary	Behm, Jr., Irvin	2224	2224	742	33
Henderson	Behm, Jr., Irvin	466	466	155	33
Johnsons Chapel	Ross, W.	712	712	106	15
John Wesley	Ross, W.	951	951	112	12
Olivet Hill	Ross, W.	975	975	191	20
Union	Dickey, K. M.	1743	0	354	0
St. Pauls	Dickey, K. M.	4174	4174	568	14
Wesley	Trail, G. W.	1596	1596	532	33
Unity-Washington	Trail, G. W.	7546	7546	1500	20
Asbury	Donophan, C. A.	3555	3555	1585	45
Crumpton	Donophan, C. A.	1569	1569	396	25
Double Creek	Donophan, C. A.	1244	1244	414	33
Asbury	Henry, P. A.	1131	1131	0	0
John Wesley	Henry, P. A.	1291	1291	600	46
Joshua Chapel	Henry, P. A.	641	641	200	31
Mt. Pleasant	Henry, P. A.	1190	1190	22	2
Bozman	Zampier, J. E.	1501	1501	501	33
Neavitt	Zampier, J. E.	2201	2201	933	42
Oxford	Tingle, M. E.	5788	5788	2000	35
Scotts	Roberts, J. H.	2202	2202	734	33

Williamsburg	Roberts, J. H.	1342	1342	547	41
Waters	Roberts, J. H.	1528	1528	150	10
John Wesley	Roberts, J. H.	225	225	75	33
Harmony	Wheatley, L.	2123	0	0	0
Bethesda	Mott, J. A.	4721	0	0	0
Grove	Mott, J. A.	433	433	0	0
Mt. Calvary	Scott, C.	4518	0	0	0
Union Grove	Scott, C.	784	0	100	0
Zorah	Scott, C.	812	812	0	0
Washington	Scott, C.	881	0	100	0
Hillsboro	Van Tine, J.	3366	3366	52	2
Wye Mills	Van Tine, J.	1870	1870	768	41
Metropolitan	Lee, J. R.	1271	1271	0	0
Bryans	Lee, J. R.	1885	1885	600	32
John Wesley	Lee, J. R.	1571	1571	500	32
Calvary	Kester, E. E.	2183	2183	700	32
Immanuel	Kester, E. E.	2517	2517	839	33
Wye of Carmichael	Kester, E. E.	1653	1653	0	0
Ridgely	Walseman, H. G.	3732	0	0	0
Thawleys	Walseman, H. G.	1257	0	0	0
Bridgetown	Walseman, H. G.	468	0	0	0
Replanted Zion	Beckett, N. L.	1037	1037	519	50
Union	Beckett, N. L.	880	880	57	6
Mt. Pleasant	Beckett, N. L.	772	772	118	15
Lockerman	Beckett, N. L.	592	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Beckett, N. L.	1273	1273	424	33
Raum Chapel	Walker, D. E.	1657	0	51	0
Rock Hall	Walker, D. E.	3590	3590	0	0
Wesley Chapel	Walker, D. E.	3772	3772	1258	33
Aaron Chapel	Boney, H.	2072	2072	108	5
Asbury	Boney, H.	1372	1372	0	0
Mt. Pisgah	Boney, H.	467	467	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	Boney, H.	496	496	0	0
Royal Oak	Price, R. M.	4931	4931	1644	33
Union	Butler, W.	2651	2651	0	0
St. Paul	Butler, W.	2249	2249	250	11
St. Lukes	Staton, L. E.	10448	10448	2535	24
Bucktown	Short, T. C.	904	904	477	53
Friendship	Short, T. C.	1710	1710	332	19
Salem	Short, T. C.	604	604	319	53
Secretary	Short, T. C.	1513	1513	462	31
Betterton	Martin, L. A.	1629	1629	0	0
Lynch	Martin, L. A.	425	425	50	12
Still Pond	Martin, L. A.	1610	1610	0	0
Fountain	Brown, C.	678	678	0	0
Mt. Zion	Brown, C.	1187	1187	0	0
St. Georges	Brown, C.	474	474	0	0
Union	Brown, C.	1914	1914	0	0
Calvary-Asbury	Sterling, Jr., W. T.	3987	3987	743	19
Marvin Memorial	Sterling, Jr., W. T.	799	799	200	25
St. Pauls	Sterling, Jr., W. T.	1581	1581	527	33
Christ Rock	Greene, Sr., W. L.	1092	1092	300	27
Lane	Greene, Sr., W. L.	947	947	300	32
St. Pauls	Greene, Sr., W. L.	815	815	150	18
Jefferson	Greene, Sr., W. L.	1036	1036	150	14

Malone	Greene, Sr., W. L.	848	848	150	18
Claiborne	Boda, A. L.	498	0	0	0
Sherwood	Boda, A. L.	622	0	200	0
Asbury	Boda, A. L.	1002	1002	336	34
Tilghman	Boda, A. L.	4276	4276	223	5
St. Johns	Boda, A. L.	470	470	79	17
Faith Chapel	Graham, R. F.	414	414	138	33
Trappe	Graham, R. F.	4491	4491	301	7
Vienna	Lewis, C. A.	3710	0	0	0
Elliott	Lewis, C. A.	531	0	0	0
Reids Grove	Lewis, C. A.	1591	0	0	0
Williamsburg	Wheedleton, J. R.	540	0	0	0
Bethany	Clawson, E. J.	498	498	0	0
St. Thomas	Clawson, E. J.	612	612	215	35
Wingate	Clawson, E. J.	935	935	335	36
Zion	Clawson, E. J.	1156	1156	385	33
St. James	Robinson, F. W.	1360	0	0	0
St. Johns	Robinson, F. W.	1669	774	250	32
John Wesley	Robinson, F. W.	1589	878	150	17
Salem	Woodruff, E. P.	2074	0	0	0
Saint James	Woodruff, E. P.	2871	0	0	0
Worton	Woodruff, E. P.	847	0	0	0
	District Totals	390676	341576	72093	21

SALISBURY DISTRICT

CHURCH	PASTOR	FAIR SHARE GOAL	ACCEPT-ANCE	PAID	PER-CENT
Asbury	Smith, C. W.	2143	2143	720	34
Siloam	Smith, C. W.	1652	550	550	100
Washington	Smith, C. W.	1209	1209	403	33
John Wesley	Smith, C. W.	945	315	650	206
Asbury-Mt. Vernon	Smith, C. W.	1831	1831	0	0
New Bethel	Hackshaw, E. C.	2371	2371	690	29
St. Johns	Hackshaw, E. C.	1336	1336	445	33
St. Pauls	Hackshaw, E. C.	3953	3953	900	23
Stevenson	Hornung, D. O.	5935	5935	3000	51
Friendship	Hornung, D. O.	1456	1456	1106	76
Showell	Taylor, J. E.	1428	0	0	0
Wilson	Taylor, J. E.	1568	0	0	0
Zion	Taylor, J. E.	1686	0	0	0
Asbury	Ketterman, H. P.	10070	10070	1559	15
Immanuel	Butler, D. W.	9214	9214	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	McIntyre, Sr., R. B.	4496	0	0	0
Shiloh	Dennis, E. N.	4412	4412	50	1
Waters	Dennis, E. N.	1047	1047	0	0
Union Asbury	Dennis, E. N.	1296	1296	300	23
John Wesley	Barclay, H. F.	1644	0	0	0
Macedonia	Barclay, H. F.	1766	300	0	0
St. Carhles	Barclay, H. F.	1824	912	0	0
St. Johns	Crockett, D.	3080	1540	514	33
St. Pauls	Crockett, D.	3006	1800	600	33
Rock Creek	Crockett, D.	2030	0	0	0

St. Stephens	Poukish, C. H.	15090	15090	4506	30
Melson	Burbage, J. D.	3962	3962	0	0
Ewell	Zollenhoffer, H.	3935	3935	300	8
Union	Zollenhoffer, H.	2564	2564	0	0
Calvary	Zollenhoffer, H.	1751	0	0	0
Mt. Calvary	Wallace, W. T.	2169	2169	0	0
Friendship	Wallace, W. T.	1664	1664	200	12
St. Johns	Bostick, J. C.	7949	7949	2000	25
Union	Bostick, J. C.	761	761	382	50
Coolspring	Lewis, D. T.	1294	1294	200	15
Mt. Wesley	Lewis, D. T.	1443	1443	0	0
St. Matthew	Lewis, D. T.	936	936	100	11
Girdletree	Downing, W. S.	1754	585	400	68
Porterville	Downing, W. S.	545	181	182	101
Remson	Downing, W. S.	996	332	332	100
Wesley	Downing, W. S.	1098	366	0	0
Charity	Gladden, H. H.	1692	1692	0	0
Nelson Memorial	Gladden, H. H.	3461	3461	1461	42
St. Pauls	Gladden, H. H.	3711	3711	173	5
Emmanuel	Hartman, J. L.	3053	0	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	Hartman, J. L.	604	604	201	33
Snethen	Hartman, J. L.	1949	0	0	0
Phoenix	Turkington, A. A.	303	303	100	33
Quindocqua	Turkington, A. A.	547	547	547	100
Handys Memorial	Mills, W. J.	1286	429	270	63
Liberia	Mills, W. J.	700	233	52	22
Mt. Peer	Mills, W. J.	1493	498	143	29
Mariners	Bishop, G. W.	1696	0	0	0
Trinity	Bishop, G. W.	852	0	0	0
Nanticoke	Mitchell, J.	1606	1606	440	27
Bivalve	Mitchell, J.	1686	1686	0	0
Tyaskin	Mitchell, J.	790	263	0	0
Asbury	Sanders, S. P.	2769	0	5	0
Elzey	Sanders, S. P.	1393	0	7	0
Grace	Sanders, S. P.	354	0	5	0
John Wesley	Sanders, S. P.	903	0	7	0
Bethany	Foard, L. R.	1613	1613	540	33
Bowen	Foard, L. R.	2091	2091	0	0
Calvary	Foard, L. R.	1679	1679	0	0
Trinity	Foard, L. R.	1955	1955	0	0
Atlantic	Armour, Jr., C. A.	8226	8226	0	0
Taylorsville	Armour, Jr., C. A.	558	558	250	45
Dames Quarter	Krause, H. H.	1100	550	0	0
St. Peters	Krause, H. H.	3845	1923	0	0
St. Stephen	Krause, H. H.	464	225	0	0
Bethel	Twilley, Jr., F. A.	933	467	311	67
Jerusalem	Twilley, Jr., F. A.	2407	2407	0	0
Zion	Twilley, Jr., F. A.	2811	2811	0	0
Ayres	Wilson, G. F.	3029	3029	750	25
Grace	Wilson, G. F.	1466	1466	400	27
Eden	Wilson, G. F.	1856	1856	600	32
Bethany	Wall, T. J.	2951	2951	336	11
Salem	Wall, T. J.	5919	5919	2000	34
Mt. Zion	Simon, J. A.	2574	2574	0	0
St. James	Simon, J. A.	1560	1560	0	0

Trinity	Simon, J. A.	1488	1000	0	0
Powellville	Moore, J. F.	1955	0	0	0
Friendship	Moore, J. F.	490	0	0	0
Mt. Olive	Cooke, B. E.	758	0	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	Moore, J. F.	1741	1741	600	34
Grace	Brackeen, J.	1847	1000	0	0
Mt. Zion	Brackeen, J.	1069	0	0	0
St. Paul	Brackeen, J.	1839	0	0	0
Antioch	Archer, Jr., W. T.	6181	6181	1871	30
Cokesbury	Archer, Jr., W. T.	1412	1412	453	32
Friendship	Archer, Jr., W. T.	292	0	0	0
Metropolitan	Johnson, V.	3354	0	0	0
Ebenezer	Johnson, V.	1436	0	0	0
First	Moore, G. L.	937	937	626	67
Ebenezer	Moore, G. L.	3801	3000	0	0
Asbury	Wilkins, H. O.	40632	40632	11341	28
Bethesda	Reynolds, B. E.	32322	32322	6286	19
Christ	Stellges, G. L.	6773	0	0	0
Mt. Hermon	Stellges, G. L.	1933	0	0	0
Grace	Riley, J. W.	8890	9000	2694	30
Friendship	Lee, E. W.	1674	0	0	0
Mt. Zion	Lee, E. W.	1765	1765	0	0
St. Luke	Lee, E. W.	1647	1647	511	31
Riverside	Ford, W. J.	2659	2659	1330	50
St. Martins	Ford, W. J.	1841	1000	250	25
St. Andrews		7717	7717	5145	67
Trinity	Gordy, Jr., H. L.	17656	17656	6000	34
Wesley Temple	Greene, W. H.	6523	6523	100	2
Asbury	Brown, C. C.	3516	1000	0	0
Riverton	Brown, C. C.	613	79	114	144
Cokesbury	Brown, C. C.	1085	0	0	0
Mt. Vernon	Taylor, A. E.	4323	4323	644	15
Mt. Hermon	Taylor, A. E.	1089	0	36	0
Wheatleys	Taylor, A. E.	558	558	0	0
Galestown	Taylor, A. E.	1021	0	0	0
Zion	Mudede, E.	2979	780	154	20
Mt. Nebo	Mudede, E.	1171	535	0	0
John Wesley	Mudede, E.	703	703	52	7
Bates Memorial	Cooke, B. E.	6066	6066	0	0
Ebenezer	Seymour, J. T.	3259	3259	1156	35
Friendship	Seymour, J. T.	365	365	260	71
Hutts Memorial	Seymour, J. T.	563	563	275	49
Whatcoat	Dore, W.	5703	5703	3802	67
Shiloh	Burke, C. R.	1232	1232	200	16
St. Pauls	Burke, C. R.	1197	0	0	0
Flower Hill	Handy, C. E.	607	607	0	0
John Wesley	Handy, C. E.	1263	1263	170	13
St. James	Handy, C. E.	736	300	100	33
St. Mark	Handy, C. E.	1135	1135	300	26
Christ	Green, R. E.	2834	2834	150	5
Mt. Olive	Green, R. E.	1367	1367	494	36
Rehoboth	Green, R. E.	766	0	21	0
St. Andrews	Hodge, S. W.	1565	0	0	0
Centennial	Hodge, S. W.	1178	0	0	0
John Wesley	Hodge, S. W.	1401	0	0	0

Samuel Wesley	Hodge, S. W.	1248	0	0	0
New Hope	Lehman, R.	1802	901	0	0
Whaleysville	Lehman, R.	1852	1852	600	32
Bishop Memorial	Sye, H.	1277	0	0	0
Curtis	Sye, H.	1669	0	0	0
Pullets	Sye, H.	1502	0	0	0
	District Totals	415471	325431	74422	23

WILMINGTON DISTRICT

CHURCH	PASTOR	FAIR SHARE GOAL	ACCEPT-ANCE	PAID	PER-CENT
Red Lion	Pusey, I. R.	25038	25038	0	0
St. Pauls	Black, W. H.	603	0	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	Black, W. H.	862	300	100	33
Christiana	Hurst, D. J.	5430	5430	3437	63
Salem	Hurst, D. J.	2974	2974	850	29
Atonement	Clendaniel, Sr., D. O.	16052	16052	5400	34
Glasgow Ecu. Par.	Blackburn, J.	3612	0	0	0
Hockessin	Lasbury, C. E.	8706	8706	4524	52
Kirkwood	Simpson, Sr., R. E.	6623	6623	1100	17
Moores Chapel		1859	1859	331	18
St. Johns		3025	1000	388	39
Ebenezer	Helms, R. W.	18053	18053	5268	29
Kingswood	Blevins, E. B.	8335	8335	2420	29
Newark	McCoy, P. E.	39411	39411	15522	39
Asbury	Short, T. C.	27487	27487	0	0
Minquadale	Short, T. C.	2132	2132	350	16
New Castle	Robinson, C. J.	9383	9383	2000	21
Mt. Salem	Robinson, C. J.	1268	0	0	0
St. Peters	Kendall, E.	375	375	0	0
St. Daniels	Kendall, E.	1305	780	260	33
St. Georges	Kendall, E.	3954	3000	1400	47
Ebenezer	Kendall, E.	2504	2504	509	20
Mt. Olivet	Walton, H. E.	2754	0	0	0
Bethesda	Walton, H. E.	7082	7082	2377	34
Summit	Walton, H. E.	2101	2101	627	30
Dales Memorial	Walton, H. E.	1506	1506	0	0
St. Pauls	Donnachie, T.	5243	5243	5	0
Scott	Donnachie, T.	457	457	152	33
Lees Chapel	Donnachie, T.	1114	0	0	0
Immanuel	Thomas, R. L.	6690	6690	250	4
Friendship	Thomas, R. L.	1117	1117	250	22
Ebenezer	Thomas, R. L.	672	672	300	45
Haven	Thomas, R. L.	1453	1453	300	21
Aldersgate	Shockley, Jr., O. J.	45062	45076	525	1
Brandywine-Trinity	Chase, Jr., H. G.	11033	3000	1065	35
Calvary	Gladden, E. M.	3688	3688	445	12
Eastlake	Gladden, E. M.	5009	5009	386	8
Chester-Bethel	Beckwith, W. H.	14088	5855	0	0
Christ	Golden, A. B.	10369	10369	2562	25
Coleman Memorial	Hilton, P. R.	6446	6446	500	8
Ezion-Mt. Carmel	Bryan, J.	25329	9000	0	0

Grace	Rose, K. R.	59791	59791	18680	31
Harrison St.	Chase, Jr., H. G.	4220	4220	380	9
Hillcrest-Bellefonte	Cuff, G. W.	24040	24040	4062	17
Holly Oak	Seyfert, Jr., F. C.	10124	6500	1630	25
Cedars	Holliday, J. V.	3440	3440	1238	36
Marshallton	Holliday, J. V.	8609	8609	2750	32
Mt. Joy	Walker, J. H.	4097	4097	0	0
Buttonwood	Walker, J. H.	1092	1092	333	30
Mt. Lebanon	White, D. E.	5273	5273	0	0
Mt. Salem	White, D. E.	5414	0	0	0
Peniel	Henderson, G. M.	14772	14772	4039	27
Peninsula-McCabe	Wildey, D. C.	21233	21233	9076	43
Richardson Park	Spedden, H. P.	13245	13245	3927	30
St. Marks	Stapleton, J. G.	22932	22932	5360	23
St. Pauls	Whitlock, R. P.	33401	33401	10000	30
Haven	Hitchens, W. B.	3222	1611	550	34
Silverbrook	Hitchens, W. B.	13212	6500	1877	29
Simpson	Russell, W. E.	2701	2701	800	30
Skyline	Bergman, R. W.	6968	6968	2600	37
Union	Covington, C. E.	15333	9000	2160	24
St. Pauls	Baker, J. E.	1430	1430	150	10
Zion	Baker, J. E.	4985	4985	679	14
Harts Chapel	Smith, S. M.	813	813	271	33
St. Johns	Smith, S. M.	1338	1338	300	22
Trinity	Baynard, F. O.	4323	0	0	0
Town Point	Baynard, F. O.	1400	0	440	0
Leeds	Jones, J. B.	1725	0	0	0
Union	Jones, J. B.	1655	1655	0	0
Elkton	Barton, Jr., C. E.	11769	11769	4500	38
Providence	Barton, Jr., C. E.	789	789	0	0
Baldwin	Crossan III, S. W.	2845	1200	400	33
Cherry Hill	Crossan III, S. W.	3283	1560	0	0
Shelemiah	Valentine, K. S.	2522	2522	0	0
Bethel	Valentine, K. S.	893	893	250	28
North East	Cohen, C. M.	12438	12438	4438	36
Principio	Goodley, E. C.	1951	1951	650	33
Perryville	Goodley, E. C.	5788	5788	2000	35
Cokesbury	Zimmerman, P.	1126	0	0	0
Asbury	Zimmerman, P.	1346	1346	449	33
Tome Memorial	Zimmerman, P.	4284	0	0	0
Mt. Pleasant	Mariotti, D.	4596	4596	100	2
Hopewell	Mariotti, D.	3614	3614	0	0
Rosebank	Apsley, W.	2113	0	0	0
Zion	Apsley, W.	2241	0	0	0
Ebenezer	Apsley, W.	1612	0	0	0
Janes	Owens, H. E.	7396	7396	0	0
	District Totals	701598	609714	137692	23

INDIVIDUAL PENSION ASSESSMENTS THAT ARE DELINQUENT

	1977 Unpaid M.R.P.F.	Conference Unpaid	1977 Total Unpaid
C. A. Armour, Jr.		897.45	897.45
Ronald P. Arms		45.78	45.78
David W. Baker		1,211.08	1,211.08
Jonathan E. Baker	20.25	71.52	91.77
Howard F. Barclay		196.81	196.81
Frank O. Baynard		2,664.65	2,664.65
Noah L. Beckett		301.20	301.20
W. H. Beckwith		869.98	869.98
Ronald W. Bergman		170.59	170.59
William H. Black		169.00	169.00
Edwin Blevin	141.75	1,346.44	1,488.19
Alexander L. Boda		448.45	448.45
Hanson Boney	80.96	145.82	226.78
Otho G. Brewer, Jr.		1,007.39	1,007.39
Claude C. Brown		1,051.21	1,051.21
Robert Brown		68.46	68.46
Dallas W. Butler	243.00	1,466.89	1,709.89
Harvey G. Chase	20.25	1,523.84	1,544.09
Edgar Clawson	203.53	1,612.61	1,816.14
D. O. Clendaniel, II		1,173.93	1,173.93
G. O. Commodore		875.42	875.42
Bruce E. Cooke		370.66	370.66
C. E. Covington		3,242.23	3,242.23
V. T. Crawford, Jr.		93.50	93.50
Samuel Crossan, III	80.96		80.96
G. Wayne Cuff		370.38	370.38
Edgar N. Dennis	182.25	1,944.97	2,127.22
Roland W. Dennis		1,669.26	1,669.26
Kenneth M. Dickey		400.00	400.00
Thomas P. Connachie, II		43.95	43.95
Charles A. Donophan		682.80	682.80
Charles Downing	222.64		222.64
William Downing		395.72	395.72
H. E. Evans		266.00	266.00
Kenneth Fansler		185.40	185.40
Lloyd R. Foard	60.75	1,627.47	1,688.22
Gordon R. Given		732.61	732.61
Edward M. Gladden	243.00	170.40	413.40
Herbert Gladden		694.93	694.93
George C. Godfrey		280.00	280.00
Arley B. Golden	20.25		20.25
Henry S. Green		99.02	99.02
C. R. Greene, III		555.06	555.06
Walter H. Greene		2,850.14	2,850.14
Wallace L. Greene	182.25	1,828.08	2,010.33
Harvey W. Greer		96.92	96.92
E. C. Hackshaw	243.00	2,480.98	2,723.98
Robert P. Hall		124.00	124.00
Donald Hamilton		176.62	176.62
R. L. Hamilton		1,409.82	1,409.82

	1977 Unpaid M.R.P.F.	Conference Unpaid	1977 Total Unpaid
C. E. Hammond		1,231.32	1,231.32
Gerald Henderson		2,750.08	2,750.08
Phillip A. Henry		176.08	176.08
Paul R. Hilton		1,648.26	1,648.26
Raymond Hopkins		30.00	30.00
Robert D. Howell		1,217.07	1,217.07
William H. Hudson		500.50	500.50
Charles C. Hoffman		2,883.77	2,883.77
Thomas W. Hurley		182.60	182.60
Vernon Hurley	222.64	222.76	445.40
Charles G. Hurlock		1,041.97	1,041.97
J. A. Irwin	182.25	1,107.96	1,290.21
Edward H. Jackson		223.40	223.40
Herbert F. Jicha		1,984.60	1,984.60
Vaughn Johnson	243.00	259.32	502.32
Lewis R. Jones		581.51	581.51
D. W. Kauber		145.01	145.01
Robert G. Kelly		1,515.78	1,515.78
Edward E. Kester		144.70	144.70
Howard P. Kettering		1,380.72	1,380.72
George P. Kirk		766.30	766.30
J. W. Knotts		309.43	309.43
Harry K. Krams		837.01	837.01
C. E. Lasbury		62.00	62.00
Pam Ledbetter	70.00	74.52	144.52
Edward W. Lee	201.99	3,029.52	3,231.51
Jermiah R. Lee	243.00	1,378.07	1,621.07
Cevert A. Lewis	60.75	1,204.66	1,265.41
David T. Lewis	243.00	2,192.81	2,435.81
Glenn Lyburn	222.64		222.64
Earl L. Magill		1,566.20	1,566.20
H. Manchester, Jr.		90.11	90.11
Dilia E. Mariotti	51.20		51.20
Lewis A. Martin		89.20	89.20
Gonzelee Matthews		286.51	286.51
Felton E. May		834.32	834.32
Wayne McCoy		364.41	364.41
Ralph McIntyre		435.09	435.09
Paul T. McKelvey		235.00	235.00
Gary L. Meekins	40.50	979.70	1,020.20
Thomas R. Merrill		73.60	73.60
N. L. Miller		832.78	832.78
John F. Mitchell		241.66	241.66
Gary L. Moore		319.39	319.39
Charles Moyer		754.44	754.44
Ebenezer B. Mudede	101.20		101.20
H. J. C. O'Dell		6.92	6.92
Hester R. Opher		1,531.28	1,531.28
Buford E. Painter	222.75		222.75
Gary O. Parker		292.12	292.12
David G. Paul		2,338.88	2,338.88
Kevin H. Payne, Jr.		2,003.09	2,003.09

	1977 Unpaid M.R.P.F.	Conference Unpaid	1977 Total Unpaid
H. W. Pitsenbarger		2,645.94	2,645.94
William Pittman		159.00	159.00
Norman L. Poultney		201.60	201.60
Robert M. Price		27.66	27.66
Dale R. Pruett	60.75		60.75
George Radway		61.21	61.21
Brooks E. Reynolds		272.50	272.50
Tobert Riddleberger		75.00	75.00
D. M. Ridley		484.33	484.33
James W. Riley	20.25	816.04	836.29
John W. Ringold		1,073.87	1,073.87
James H. Roberts		1,585.30	1,585.30
C. Jackson Robinson		276.24	276.24
Frank W. Robinson		2,568.70	2,568.70
Ken. R. Rose	243.00	3,871.28	4,114.28
S. P. Sanders		3,690.01	3,690.01
Carrol Scott		1,117.00	1,117.00
James T. Seymour		37.80	37.80
Samuel M. Smith		207.00	207.00
George L. Stanley		368.30	368.30
Nelson C. Stanley		1,455.86	1,455.86
J. Gordon Stapleton		848.00	848.00
Ronald Starnes		535.17	535.17
Robert W. Starrett	243.00	1,301.99	1,544.99
William N. Stayton		1,692.01	1,692.01
George L. Stellges		1,005.07	1,005.07
William T. Sterling		445.25	445.25
Charles Strickler		2,605.72	2,605.72
Simon N. Stubbs		164.44	164.44
Herbert Sye	222.64	216.92	439.56
John E. Taylor	243.00	1,742.31	1,985.31
Daily Thompson		48.00	48.00
Frank E. Tulak		378.12	378.12
John W. VanTine	101.25		101.25
K. R. Varrell, Jr.		114.40	114.40
Dan E. Walker		1,726.86	1,726.86
Jessie H. Walker	202.50	1,340.00	1,542.50
William T. Wallace		277.07	277.07
Howard G. Walseman	3.21		3.21
James P. Walz		75.00	75.00
Robert L. Warner		234.86	234.86
David F. Weber	60.75	901.48	962.23
Dorothy E. White	242.96	180.00	422.96
Donzel C. Wildey		1,445.23	1,445.23
Joseph W. Williams		513.60	513.60
L. E. Wimbrow	243.00	3,044.91	3,287.91
Elsworth P. Woodruff		305.43	305.43
Haswell G. Young		908.93	908.93
Total	5,936.07	125,511.28	131,447.35

PENSION PAID MINISTERS
1977

RETIRED

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Amos, Howard M.		1,650.00
Bailey, Franklin B.		3,327.60
Bailey, Harry N.		2,557.56
Bailey, Howard A.		2,310.00
Beckwith, Walter L.		4,757.52
Bennett, Elmer L.		4,207.56
Bishop, George W.		1,650.00
Bryant, Commander R.		2,860.08
Buckley, Frank G.		3,987.60
Caldwell, Henry T.		3,657.60
Carpenter, Charles I.		1,320.00
Caulk, Jacob. C.		2,310.00
Chancy, Augustus		2,117.52
Chandler, Hartwell F.		2,090.04
Coleman, Edward E.		1,760.04
Collins, William Irvin		3,465.00
Conner, Harry H.		2,530.08
Conway, James A.		2,007.60
Crockett, Ewell E.	480.00	1,677.60
Crosse, Stevenson W. C.		623.36
Cursey, Elwood W.		3,987.60
Dennis, Louis R.		797.52
Diehl, John R.		3,547.56
Dise, Waldo Lee		3,547.56
Dix, Seldon G.		3,520.08
Donaway, Walter A.		3,410.04
Elliot, Lee		4,290.00
Flater, Harvey B.		4,510.08
French, John E.		2,770.39
Garrett, William J.		2,970.00
Gerald, Charles D.		2,612.52
Goodley, Jr., George W.		2,450.49
Grattan, Harold N.		660.00
Griffin, James O.		2,970.00
Hackett, Thaddeus B.		3,740.04
Harris, Carlton M.		2,695.08
Hart, Charles B.		1,457.52
Hastinas, Robert W.	2,553.00	1,677.60
Hilbert, James J.		440.04
Hubbard, Richard C.		3,300.00
Jeffers, Harry C.		1,155.00
Jones, John Edward		4.647.60
Kay, James Melvin		3,740.04
Keene, Milton H.		2,578.94
Kincade, Charles E.		1,980.00
Kirwan, Ray. W.		4,977.60
Leister, Guy E.		3,151.06
Link, John N.		1,540.08

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Littleton, Darcy A.		2,392.56
Lyght, William L. D.		2,750.04
Mackey, Jesse Robert		2,970.00
Massimilla, John A.		770.00
McBride, John E.		3,547.56
Milbury, Frank D.		3,987.60
Mills, Walter J.		2,860.08
Minker, Sr., Ralph L.		660.00
Nicklas, Henry N.		3,850.08
O'Neil, James		3,767.52
Parks, Henry N.		4,317.60
Pritchard, Daniel T.		3,630.00
Reiter, Charles L.		935.04
Reynolds, Paul E.		4,290.00
Ridout, Daniel L.		2,447.52
Ross, Gilbert S.		3,547.56
Schauer, Henry H.		3,575.04
Shield, Elmer R.		4,180.08
Shockley, John R.		2,354.66
Shufelt, Vinton D.		2,640.00
Snapp, Albert M. B.		2,145.00
Spence, Preston W.		4,427.52
Spence, Oliver H.		2,860.08
Spencer, Charles P.		3,465.00
Squires, Charles H.		4,183.68
Strickland, Alfred W.		2,117.52
Tasco, William M.		880.08
Tawes, Roy L.		5,197.56
Taylor, George W.		3,080.04
Thomas, Essell P.		4,647.60
Thomas, Paul		1,430.04
Thomas, William O.		3,272.52
Trader, Charles L.		1,980.00
Truitt, Frederick H.		4,317.60
Turkington, Thomas J.		3,437.52
VanCleaf, Robert E.		3,245.04
Vaughn, Joseph B.		4,510.08
Volk, Frank M.		3,327.60
Von Hagel, James J.		3,960.00
Waters, Floyd E.		4,049.76
Wheatley, Grayson H.		3,850.08
Wilcox, Sr., Chester E.		1,760.04
Wilkins, Samuel L.		2,362.36
Williams, Joseph I.		3,125.87
Willis, Charles L.		1,320.00
Wimberly, Edgar V.		1,320.00
Total	3,033.00	269,736.73

MINISTERS RETIRED OUTSIDE CONFERENCE

Anderson, Howard E.		1,347.60
Bagwell, Clarence W.		2,337.60

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Ballard, Marion O.		1,980.00
Bard, James T.		110.04
Bartley, Oler A.		3,657.60
Beasley, William W.		220.08
Brasher, James H.		385.08
Bready, Richard H.		1,897.56
Buckingham, Richard W.		137.52
Budd, Jr., Henry G.		110.04
Charles, Henry B. F.		110.04
Cooke, Raymond W.		550.08
Cromer, Horace E.		220.08
Dawson, Clarence L.		660.00
Derrickson, Cyrus W.		2,475.00
Dickerson, Sr., Joseph B.		1,989.12
Dinkle, Ira M.		385.08
Dunkle, Jr., W. F.		1,952.52
Elder, Curtis A.		1,402.56
Fossett, Clarence L.		330.00
Friedel, Oliver J.		770.04
Geddis, George E.		1,237.56
Gibson, Elmer P.		1,100.04
Gilbert, Benjamin		935.04
Hager, Harry G.		660.00
Hicks, Frank L.		660.00
Holden, Frederic A.		330.00
Hudgins, Herbert E.		110.04
Iglehart, Stuart M.		550.08
Jackson, Arthur J.		2,282.52
Jackson, Cyril M.		275.04
Jackson, Kelly L.		522.60
Jennings, Ellsworth		522.60
Jones, Fitz Donald		1,540.08
Jordan, Conrad Wm.		550.08
Jordan, Lucius E.		467.52
Kirby, Clarence E.		110.04
Kirkley, Edward T.		330.00
Lawrason, Nathaniel B.		660.00
Leach, James A.		1,870.08
Lindhurst, Frank A.		1,320.00
Lowell, C. Stanley		660.00
Mack, Silas J.		82.56
Marker, Joseph Lee		1,760.04
McKay, Herman		660.00
Milburne, O'Connell		2,337.60
Newman, John Wesley		64.19
Parker, Samuel Elliot		1,980.00
Pieplow, Frederic J.		385.08
Pinder, Jr., R. Edward		990.00
Prince, Owen W.		907.56
Read, Charles Edgar		36.30
Redhund, Jr., John B.		2,392.56
Richcreek, Lee Holiday		440.04

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Roberts, W. Arnem		220.08
Ross, Leon W.		2,640.00
Sapp, Russell W.		1,182.60
Snyder, Wilbur M.		220.08
Stanley, Walter E.		3,410.04
Stephens, Robert Ralph		123.78
Strother, Jr., William C.		178.80
Trader, Crawford Leroy		1,402.56
Ward, Alfred Dudley		143.58
Wareheim, Karl H.		742.56
Waters, Harris M.		550.08
Werner, Sr., Leslie E.		2,007.60
Woodward, Eugene C.		550.08
Wunder, G. Ernest		330.00
Yow, Ralph Johnston		330.00
Total		65,788.73

SURVIVING SPOUSES

Andrews, Zoe H.		1,753.20
Atkins, Minnie P.		3,485.64
Baker, Louise S.		2,908.20
Bicking, Lucile H.		3,733.20
Blundon, Doris		2,248.20
Bolden, Anna		330.00
Bradley, Catherine G.		2,413.20
Branford, Ruth M.		2,928.84
Brinton, Anna L.		701.28
Brown, Emma J.		2,021.28
Butler, Katie S.		3,630.00
Byrd, Marie E.		712.32
Caudell, Sadie E.		309.48
Clarkson, Edith P.		2,536.92
Collis, Emma		391.92
Connelly, Gertrude		4,063.20
Covington, Lula M.		2,392.56
Crosse, Iris		935.04
Crum, Mildred E.		2,083.20
Culhane, Charlotte		2,454.48
Davis, Esther S.		2,990.64
Davis, Elizabeth M.		371.28
Elbert, Marjorie H.		2,000.64
Ferry, Lillian A.	127.08	1,691.28
Fordham, Mabel G.		2,227.56
Frye, Cora E.		3,073.20
George, Amelia M.		2,413.20
Goodhand, Charlotte B.		1,113.84
Gould, Katherine W.		247.56
Grant, Mary L.		825.00
Green, Cora M.		3,650.64
Hall, Carolyn P.		283.62
Hamblin, Edith P.		3,073.20

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Hanby, Bessie M.		2,495.64
Harris, Eura S.		3,052.56
Herson, Jennie		2,495.64
Holdway, Grace E.		886.92
Hubbard, Goolie E.		2,145.00
Hughes, Betty L.		1,773.84
Ingram, Juanita		495.00
Jackson, Odelle M.		1,526.28
Jefferson, Bertha C.		3,073.20
Jolly, Sarah		1,485.00
Jones, Carrie M.		3,300.00
Jones, Velma L.		721.92
Kiah, Catherine B.		825.00
Kniceley, Janet		1,051.92
Leister, Ruth K.		214.85
Lockerman, Jaal L.		3,465.00
Loss, Olive B.		866.28
Marks, Mary A.		2,640.00
McDowell, Ida E.		3,403.20
Mills, Frances W.		825.00
Mills, Pauline J.		825.00
Mulligan, Nellie E.		3,073.20
Nichols, Laura W.		1,650.00
Pettus, Ruth C.		1,608.84
Pigueron, Margaret H.		2,165.64
Price, Blanche N.		1,650.00
Pruitt, Willie J.		825.00
Randall, Lillian P.		3,155.64
Randall, Mary E.		350.64
Reid, Annie L.		3,217.56
Schauer, Mary F.		2,310.00
Shockley, H. Julia		2,495.64
Smith, Ursa L. (Bailey)		1,196.28
Snead, Catherine L.	238.08	1,835.64
Spry, Nellie N.		3,217.56
Stafford, Mary V.		1,237.56
Stevenson, Ella M.		2,021.28
Thawley, Mary E.		3,444.48
Thomas, Selena P.		2,330.64
Tomlinson, Julia S.		1,216.92
Trader, Ruth M.		1,732.56
Turner, Mae W.		1,980.00
Wallace, Mabel W.		1,815.00
Waters, Celeste L.		825.00
Waters, Hettie M.		1,650.00
Watson, Marie C.		1,072.56
Wells, Madeline D.	232.08	1,093.20
Whedbee, Hattie H.		825.00
Williams, Anna M.		213.13
Wimbrow, Audrey B.		2,454.48
Wootten, Reba C.		3,320.64
Zimmerman, Helen B.	408.00	1,876.92
Total	1,005.24	161,422.08

SURVIVING SPOUSES RETIRED OUTSIDE CONFERENCE

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Alderson, Laura H.		350.64
Bishop, Eunice M.		1,546.92
Black, Elizabeth		721.92
Bunce, Beulah M.		1,320.00
Butt, Carolyn		165.00
Collins, Isabelle M.		907.56
Diehl, Ruth P.		1,897.56
Crampton, Frances W.		660.00
Davis, Sara H.		907.56
Deal, Nettie A.		123.84
Dean, Dorothy J.		639.48
Dudley, Elsie R.		495.00
Dulaney, Cora A.		577.56
Dunn, Alberta L.		1,010.64
Durham, Eva H.		82.56
Easley, Edna M.		330.00
Eckhart, Elsie		2,186.28
Ellmore, Lena G.		82.56
Elzey, Anna M.		990.00
Ewell, Mary L.		660.00
Fletcher, Jane C.		536.28
Fox, Louise S.		1,588.20
Grande, Gertrude A.		206.28
Green, Susie B.		275.04
Haddaway, A. Estella		1,402.56
Handy, Eliz. C.		536.28
Harewood, Inez C.		2,021.28
Herson, Grace A.		577.56
Hoffman, Frances G.		825.00
Hudson, Mary D.		412.56
Humphreys, Alma		350.64
Hurley, Eleanor		165.00
Jester, May S.		495.00
Jones, Bertha E.		61.92
Jones, Mary E.		495.00
Kesmodel, Frances R.		2,227.56
King, Grayce		330.00
Knopp, Wilhelmina		17.20
Latshaw, Delia C.		412.50
Leland, Mildred R.		165.00
Loar, Katie I.		495.00
Marsh, Alice M.		350.64
Martin, Oliva, H.		1,546.92
McArthur, Camilla G.		185.64
McGuire, Minnie E.		1,031.28
McIntyre, Elsie G.		330.00
McKenzie, Reta		495.00
McNeer, Gertrude A.		82.56
Miles, Eunice M.		433.20
Moore, Lillian W.		536.28
Nelson, Fannie W.		1,093.20

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Parker, Ladye H.		433.20
Pierce, Helen M.		309.48
Prettyman, Helen M.		412.56
Price, Ella S.		1,567.56
Proud, Sarah		577.56
Robey, Blanche V.		330.00
Samuelson, Hulda A.		330.00
Schwartz, Frances E.		433.20
Spencer, Evella D.		577.56
Stewart, Linda H.		330.00
Thompson, Daisy B.		2,289.48
Turpeau, Ila		61.92
White, Mildred		1,134.48
Withey, Philippa M.		165.00
Total		44,287.66

LOCAL PASTORS IN CONFERENCE

Abbott, Wilmer E.		2,200.08
Elliott, Milton R.		2,722.50
Fox, Clarence J.		2,530.08
Hughes, Ralph H. D.		1,650.00
James, Ophelia C.		2,090.04
Jones, Grover N.		1,870.08
Milliner, Milton C.		1,430.04
Ralph, Harlan McK.		1,210.08
Roberts, Maxwell J.		2,420.04
Smith, Muriel C.		1,760.04
Steen, Sr., James C.		4,180.08
Turkengton, Albert		2,090.04
White, Isaac H.		1,870.08
Wilkins, Clarence E.		1,237.50
Wilson, George B.		1,650.00

LOCAL PASTORS OUTSIDE CONFERENCE

Brooks, Milton D.		660.00
Young, Charles Isaac		1,375.08
Total Local Pastors		32,945.76

SURVIVING LOCAL PASTOR'S SPOUSES

Brown, Esther P.		1,072.56
Browne, Kay	218.04	1,155.00
Caldwell, Blanche V.		1,650.00
Collins, Estella		825.00
Cottingham, Ann P.		1,237.56
Foster, Hazel		825.00
Guyer, Minnie L.		948.84
Hall, Lillie M.		1,897.56
Henry, Rosie	429.00	907.56

Name	Relief	Annual Annuity To Be Paid By Peninsula
Hill, Juanita D.		2,062.56
Hodges, Eliz.		990.00
Holden, Lois R.		825.00
Hughes, Mary E.		1,608.84
Hyland, Mary V.		412.50
Johnson, Minnie H.		660.00
Kirby, Ella		2,475.00
Layton, Elsie G.		2,887.56
McWilliams, Mary		1,051.92
Molock, Leah P.		474.48
Murray, Bertha P.		1,485.00
Prettyman, Eliz.		1,650.00
Townsend, Maude E.	627.00	1,815.00
Travers, Cora		1,815.00
Washington, Natalie D.		82.56
Wilkins, Ruth		185.64

SURVIVING LOCAL PASTOR'S SPOUSES OUTSIDE CONFERENCE

Webster, Marie N.	825.00
Total	31,825.14

CHILDREN IN CONFERENCE

Blundon, Jay	694.44
Blundon, Faith	462.96
Bunting, Philip J.	48.13
George, Eric	275.04
Hall, Cynthia	378.12
Randall, Mark L.	1,051.92

OUTSIDE CONFERENCE

Jones, Francis R.	165.00
Jones, Marcus	165.00
Parker, Jr., Carlton H.	247.56
Parker, Clara	247.56
Total	3,735.73

SUMMARY

Ministers	3,033.00	$269,736.73
Ministers Outside of Conference		65,788.73
Widows	1,005.24	161,422.08
Widows Outside of Conference		44,287.66
Supply Ministers		32,945.76
Supply Widows		31,825.14
Children		3,735.73
Total	4,038.24	$609,741.83

1977 Salaries — Special Appointments

Name	77 Salary	Utilities	Travel	Housing	Total
Bruner, Fred M.	$ 15,000.00				$ 15,000.00
		subsistence			
Burge, Charles	22,702.00	714.36		4,800.00	28,217.16
Carter, William T.	19,490.00			3,621.00	23,111.00
Cox, C. Richard	16,100.00				16,100.00
Gammon, Garland Sterling	16,485.94				16,485.94
Geoghegan, Wm. D.	24,352.00		3,344.00		27,696.00
Glass, Walter A.	18,683.00				18,683.00
Hackett, William O.	17,254.00				17,254.00
Hamilton, Richard L.	34,000.00				34,000.00
Herrman, Charles C. Jr.	12,550.00			3,200.00	15,750.00
Holden, John F.	15,750.00		12¢/mile		15,750.00
Horney, Edwin Joseph	13,500.00	3,500.00			17,000.00
Howell, Robert D.	22,330.00				22,330.00
		BAS			
Merrill, Thomas R.	21,567.60	714.36		4,057.20	26,339.16
Miller, Alton S.	19,030.00				19,030.00
Pitsenbarger, Harrel W.	15,700.00		unlimited		15,700.00
Roberts, D. Bruce	15,500.00			2,000.00	17,500.00
Starrett, Robert W.	13,100.00	1,554.00		provided	14,654.00
Stazesky, Richard	15,984.43			4,892.33	20,876.76
Stookey, Laurence	9,853.87	1,614.58		7,706.55	19,175.00
Todd, Omro M.	28,190.00		all		28,190.00
Tubbs, Joseph J.	3,000.00				3,000.00
Wallace, Robert O'Kelley	16,000.00		provided		16,000.00
Walters, Marlene	5,087.00				5,087.00
Young, James M.	15,000.00		3,000.00		18,000.00

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Peninsula Conference of the
United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your instructions we have made an audit of the cash received and disbursed by the Treasurer of the

**PENINSULA CONFERENCE
OF THE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1977 and present herewith your report in the following:

	Auditors' Report
Exhibit "A"	**Balance Sheet**
Exhibit "B"	**Statement of Changes in Operating Fund Balance**
Exhibit "C"	**Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements – Operating Fund**
Exhibit "D"	**Statement of Changes in Division of Missions Fund Balance**
Exhibit "E"	**Statement of Changes in Capital Fund Balance**
Exhibit "F"	**Statement of Changes in Commission on Archives and History Endowment Fund Balance**
Exhibit "G"	**Statement of Changes in Parsonage Endowment Fund Balance**
Schedule No. 1	**Details of Balance Sheet Amounts**
Schedule No. 2	**Council on Ministries – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 3	**Division of Education – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 4	**Wesley Foundation at the University of Maryland – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 5	**Wesley Foundation at Washington College – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 6	**Wesley Foundation at Delaware State College – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 7	**Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministries – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 8	**Board of Church and Society – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 9	**Division of Evangelism – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 10	**Division of Health and Welfare Ministries – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 11	**Board of the Laity – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 12	**Division of Missions – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 13	**Division on Career Planning and Counseling – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 14	**Division on Worship – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 15	**Commission on Archives and History – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 16	**Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 17	**Commission on Religion and Race – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 18	**Board of Diaconal Ministry – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 19	**Drayton Methodist Center – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 20	**Camp Pecometh – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 21	**Board of the Ordained Ministry – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 22	**Ministers' Benefits Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 23	**Committee on Scholarships and Loans – Receipts and Expenditures**

Schedule No. 24	**Committee on Education and Cultivation – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 25	**Ministerial Contingent Relief Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 26	**Mutual Relief Association – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 27	**Board of the Ordained Ministries – Riddle Funds – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 28	**Youth Service Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 29	**Support Services – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 30	**Equitable Salary Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 31	**Temporary General Aid Discretion Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 32	**Capital Improvements Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 33	**Pension Crusade Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 34	**Commission on Archives and History Endowment Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 35	**Parsonage Endowment Fund – Receipts and Expenditures**
Schedule No. 36	**Statement of Changes in Other Funds**
Schedule No. 37	**Conference Business Office – Operating Expenditures**
Schedule No. 38	**Contingent Fund Expenditures**
Schedule No. 39	**Division of Missions – Trust Agreements**
Schedule No. 40	**Division of Missions – Contingent Liabilities**
	Notes to Financial Statements

Changes in the following funds are shown in separate audit reports for the twelve months ended December 31, 1977:

Board of Pensions
Board of Trustees
Methodist Mission and Church Extension Society, Inc.
Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
St. Matthews-By-The-Sea, Fenwick Island, Del.
Wesley College, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

AUDITORS' REPORT

Peninsula Conference of the
United Methodist Church

We have examined the balance sheet of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church as of December 31, 1977 and the related statements of cash receipts and disbursements, and change in fund balances for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

As stated in Note 4 of the financial statements, fixed assets were first recorded by the Conference in the capital fund as of December 31, 1969. At that time adequate cost records were not available to substantiate the cost of all real estate owned, so it was recorded at its appraised or estimated value. Generally accepted accounting principles, in our opinion, require that fixed assets be stated at an amount not in excess of cost.

In our opinion, except for the effect of the capitalization of fixed assets at appraised or estimated values as discussed in the preceding paragraph, the aforementioned financial statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church at December 31, 1977, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues and expenditures made by it during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers, & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
May 16, 1978

EXHIBIT "A"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1977

ASSETS

Operating Fund			
Cash on Hand and on Deposit (Schedule No. 1)		227,989.23	
Short-Term Investments		525,016.25	
Notes Receivable – Revolving Loan Fund		7,000.00	760,005.48
Division of Missions			
Cash Held by Operating Fund		9,321.79	
Loans Receivable		12,000.00	
Mortgages Receivable		20,000.00	41,321.79
Capital Fund			
Land	399,577.50		
Buildings	1,379,339.12		
Building Contents	223,274.56		
Total Real Estate (Schedule No. 1)		2,002,191.18	
Automotive Equipment			
Camp Pecometh	9,470.00		
Drayton Methodist Center	2,400.00	11,870.00	
Boating Equipment – Camp Pecometh		4,939.22	2,019,000.40
Commission on Archives and History – Endowment Fund			
Cash Held by Operating Fund			
Income Cash	588.35		
Principal Cash	97.38	685.73	
Investments		34,418.68	35,104.41
Parsonage Endowment Fund			
Cash Held by Operating Fund			
Income Cash	382.80		
Principal Cash	142.00	524.80	
Investments		57,016.70	57,541.50
			2,912,973.58

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Operating Fund			
Cash Balance Held for Boards and Agencies (Schedule No. 1)		317,490.68	
Other Funds (Schedule No. 1)		197,986.18	
Accounts Payable – Miscellaneous		4,457.83	
Fund Balance (Exhibit "B")			
Appropriated	90,000.00		
Unappropriated	150,070.79	240,070.79	760,005.48

Division of Missions			
Mortgage Payable – Board of Global Ministries		120,582.54	
Fund Balance (Exhibit "D")		(79,260.75)	41,321.79
Capital Fund			
Mortgages Payable		20,250.00	
Fund Balance (Exhibit "E")		1,998,750.40	2,019,000.40
Commission on Archives and History – Endowment Fund			
Fund Balance (Exhibit "F")			
Income		588.35	
Principal		34,516.06	35,104.41
Parsonage Endowment Fund			
Fund Balance (Exhibit "G")			
Income		382.80	
Principal		57,158.70	57,541.50
			2,912,973.58

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT "B"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OPERATING FUND BALANCE
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Operating Fund Balance, January 1, 1977		308,895.91
Increases:		
Transfer from Other Funds –		
Escrow 1975 Receipts for 1977 Budget	22,493.27	
Escrow 1976 Receipts for 1977 Budget	36,864.75	59,358.02
		368,253.93
Decreases:		
Excess of Cash Disbursements over Receipts for twelve months ended December 31, 1977 (Exhibit "C")	28,183.14	
Decrease in Prepaid Expense	100,000.00	128,183.14
Operating Fund Balance, December 31, 1977		240,070.79

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

EXHIBIT "C"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS – OPERATING FUND

FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Budget	Received	Disbursed
Ministerial Support			
Pension and Benefits Funding –			
Ministers Reserve Pension Fund	652,420.00	652,420.00	652,420.00
Life and Medical Insurance	155,000.00	155,000.00	155,000.00
Total Pension and Benefits Funding	807,420.00	807,420.00	807,420.00
Other Ministerial Support –			
Episcopal Fund	37,500.00	37,500.00	37,486.00
District Superintendents			
Salaries, Office, Travel, etc.	108,200.00	108,200.00	107,480.42
Maintenance Improvements and Utilities	18,800.00	18,800.00	18,419.39
Equitable Salary Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Contingent Relief	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total Other Ministerial Support	167,500.00	167,500.00	166,385.81
Total Ministerial Support	974,920.00	974,920.00	973,805.81
Administration			
General Conference Apportionments –			
General Administration Fund	14,500.00	14,500.00	13,715.00
Interdenominational Co-op Fund	9,600.00	9,600.00	9,511.00
Jurisdictional Administration	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Area Expense Fund	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Annual Conference Administration –			
Conference Session Expenses	10,500.00	10,500.00	11,783.70
Conference Secretary	600.00	600.00	600.00
Conference Statistician	475.00	475.00	475.00
Conference Journal	7,000.00	7,000.00	10,523.88
Insurance and Bonding	4,000.00	4,000.00	2,615.04
Auditing	11,500.00	11,500.00	13,160.00
Conference Office Building	7,000.00	7,000.00	6,505.32
Business Office (Schedule No. 37)	49,500.00	49,500.00	49,491.01
Contingent Fund (Schedule No. 38)	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,060.37
Total Administration	131,175.00	131.175.00	134,940.32
World Service and Conference Benevolences			
World Service	238,000.00	238,000.00	237,625.00
Conference Benevolences –			
Council on Ministries –			
Staff and Administration	110,820.00	110,820.00	110,820.00
Program	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Housing	22,000.00	22,000.00	19,297.34
Education			
Division Expenses	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Division on Higher Education and Campus Ministry	237.00	237.00	237.00
Wesley College	130,000.00	130,000.00	130,000.00

Wesley Foundations			
University of Maryland	1,450.00	1,450.00	1,450.00
Washington College	1,450.00	1,450.00	1,450.00
Delaware State College	1,450.00	1,450.00	1,450.00
Morgan Christian Center	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
United Campus Ministries	22,000.00	22,000.00	22,000.00
Board of Church and Society	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
Division of Evangelism	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Health and Welfare Ministries			
Division Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00
Homes for the Aged	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Board of the Laity	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Division of Missions	114,141.00	114,141.00	114,141.00
Division on Career Planning and Counseling	600.00	600.00	600.00
Division of Worship	700.00	700.00	700.00
Commission on Archives and History	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Division on Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns–			
Division Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00
Delmarva Ecumenical Agency	14,250.00	14,250.00	14,250.00
Commission on Religion and Race	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00
Division of Diaconal Ministry	50.00	50.00	50.00
Drayton Methodist Center	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Camp Pecometh	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
Conference Newspaper	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
Total Conference Benevolences	523,848.00	523,848.00	521,145.34
Total World Service and Conference Benevolences	761,848.00	761,848.00	758,770.34
Other Approtioned Benevolences			
Other General Church Apportionments –			
Black College Fund	57,200.00	57,200.00	57,072.00
Ministerial Education Fund	102,750.00	102,750.00	113,766.75
Temporary General Aid Fund	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,087.00
Missional Priorities	19,100.00	19,100.00	39,240.00
Mass Communications	–	–	5,708.00
Total Other Apportioned Benevolences	185,550.00	185,550.00	221,873.75
Cash Receipts in Excess of Budget	–	9,881.10	9,881.10
Other Benevolences			
Wilmington District Office	–	6,239.20	6,239.20
Pension Crusade	–	235,459.84	235,459.84
General Advance Specials	–	33,570.82	33,570.82
Missional Priorities	–	7,624.43	7,624.43
Neighborhood House	–	11,739.00	11,739.00
One Great Hour of Sharing	–	14,434.12	14,434.12
World Communion Offering	–	8,663.74	8,663.74
Methodist Student Day	–	4,830.20	4,830.20
Youth Service Fund	–	306.00	306.00
Human Relations Sunday	–	3,186.80	3,186.80
Board of Child Care	–	17,887.18	17,887.18
Homes for the Aged	–	10,604.77	10,604.77
Christian Education Sunday (Pecometh)	–	5,617.25	5,617.25
Higher Education – Wesley College	–	1,996.55	1,996.55
Methodist Action Program	–	6,807.35	6,807.35

Barratt's Chapel	–	2,871.20	2,871.20
Wesley's Chapel	–	1,318.65	1,318.65
Miscellaneous	–	4,475.77	4,475.77
Total Other Benevolences	–	377,632.87	377,632.87
Interest Income	–	42,791.19	42,791.19
Miscellaneous	–	7,714.08	–
	2,053,493.00	2,491,512.24	2,519,695.38
Disbursements		2,519,695.38	
Excess of Cash Disbursements over Receipts		(28,183.14)	

EXHIBIT "D"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN DIVISION OF MISSIONS FUND BALANCE
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Fund Balance, January 1, 1977		41,240.52
Increases:		
Cash Receipts (Schedule No. 12)	114,415.15	
Decrease in Mortgage Payable	4,876.13	119,291.28
		160,531.80
Decreases:		
Cash Disbursements (Schedule No. 12)	128,130.51	
Decrease in Mortgages Receivable	111,662.04	239,792.55
Fund Balance, December 31, 1977		(72,260.75)

EXHIBIT "E"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN CAPITAL FUND BALANCE
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Fund Balance, January 1, 1977		2,029,587.08
Increases:		
Purchase of Capital Assets	18,886.32	
Decrease in Mortgages Payable	5,875.00	24,761.32
		2,054,348.40
Decreases:		
Sale of Associate Program Director's Parsonage, 1119 Westview Terrace, Dover, Del.	48,998.00	
Sale of Office Equipment	3,500.00	
Automotive Equipment Traded in	3,100.00	55,598.00
Fund Balance, December 31, 1977		1,998,750.40

EXHIBIT "F"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN COMMISSION ON ARCHIVES AND HISTORY ENDOWMENT FUND BALANCE
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Income	Principal
Fund Balance, January 1, 1977	–0–	–0–
Increases:		
Cash Receipts (Schedule No. 34)	894.03	34,516.06
Increase in Investments	–0–	34,418.68
	894.03	68,934.74
Decreases:		
Cash Disbursements (Schedule No. 34)	305.68	34,418.68
Fund Balance, December 31, 1977	588.35	34,516.06

EXHIBIT "G"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN PARSONAGE ENDOWMENT FUND BALANCE
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Income	Principal
Balance, January 1, 1977	–0–	–0–
Increases:		
Cash Receipts (Schedule No. 35)	1,347.50	57,158.70
Increase in Investments	–	57,016.70
	1,347.50	114,175.40
Decreases:		
Cash Disbursements (Schedule No. 35)	964.70	57,016.70
Balance, December 31, 1977	382.80	57,158.70

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SCHEDULE NO. 1

DETAILS OF BALANCE SHEET AMOUNTS
DECEMBER 31, 1977

Totals in the following balance sheet captions were comprised of the items specified below on December 31, 1977:

Operating Fund	
Cash on Hand and on Deposit	
Bank of Delaware – Regular 1	500.00
Bank of Delaware – Regular 2	100.00

Bank of Delaware – Payroll	750.00
Wilmington Savings Fund Society – Savings	226,014.23
Centreville National Bank	100.00
Maryland National Bank	50.00
Petty Cash Funds	475.00
	227,989.23

Cash Balances Held for Boards and Agencies

Council on Ministries	7,415.75
Division of Education	853.95
Wesley Foundation – University of Maryland	515.51
Wesley Foundation – Washington College	2,426.55
Wesley Foundation – Delaware State College	512.62
Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministries	257.33
Board of Church and Society	422.68
Division of Evangelism	795.12
Division of Health and Welfare Ministries	503.09
Board of the Laity	2,480.66
Division of Missions	9,321.79
Division on Career Planning and Counseling	359.23
Division on Worship	741.21
Commission on Archives and History	2,465.16
Division of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns	635.95
Commission on Race and Religion	1,062.77
Board of Diaconal Ministry	65.18
Drayton Methodist Center	(11,075.32)
Camp Pecometh	4,890.06
Board of the Ordained Ministry	13,721.04
Board of Trustees	15,265.05
Ministers Benefits Fund	30,958.53
Commission on Education and Cultivation	1,475.75
Ministerial Contingent Relief Fund	760.44
Mutual Relief Association	3,068.91
Board of the Ordained Ministry – Riddle Funds	5,117.80
Youth Service Fund	561.05
Support Services	412.83
Equitable Salary Fund	70,457.52
Temporary General Aid Discretion Fund	3,882.54
Capital Improvements Fund	69,834.05
Pension Crusade Fund	76,115.35
Commission on Archives and History Endowment Fund	685.73
Parsonage Endowment Fund	524.80
	317,490.68

Other Funds

Board of Missions Revolving Loan Fund	18,815.72
Wesley Foundation Property	45,531.73
Self Insurance Fund	20,529.56
Jurisdictional Fund	4,088.36
Methodist Corporation Proceeds	1,645.20
Delaware Conference History Fund	7,794.33
World Communion – Pilot Project Program	304.37
Ethnic Small Church Ministries Workshop	1,000.00
Escrow – 1976 Receipts for 1978 Budget	12,757.32
Escrow – 1977 Receipts for 1979 Budget	9,881.10
Escrow – Pension Funds for 1978 Budget	55,000.00
Baltimore Conference Funds	(14.68)
Conference Newspaper Fund	538.03
Agency Pension Contributions	1,870.00
Parsonage Maintenance and Capital Improvement Fund	12,794.12
Westwoods Methodist Church	202.95
Property – 131 North State Street	2,418.46
Daily Office	2,829.61
	197,986.18

Capital Fund

Land, Buildings and Contents (Note 4)

Conference Board of Trustees	
Drayton Methodist Center	528,279.00
Drayton Methodist Center – Parsonage	36,250.00
Wilmington District Parsonage	76,602.00
Easton District Parsonage	57,286.90
Salisbury District Parsonage	71,414.20
Dover District Parsonage	79,105.00
Program Director's Parsonage, 506 Westwood Drive, Dover	55,846.29
Associate Program Director's Parsonage, 551 Westwood Drive, Dover	53,924.72
Camp Director's Parsonage, Camp Pecometh	35,189.65
Camp Property	469,934.00
Pioneer Camp	15,000.00
Pier Improvements	15,170.45
Division of Missions	
St. Matthews-By-The-Sea Parsonage and Church, Fenwick Island, Delaware	101,707.00
Pike Creek Church and Parsonage, Millcreek (Skyline), Delaware	106,298.00
Land – Asateogue Island	6,210.00
Commission on Archives and History	
Barratt's Chapel Museum and Curator's Residence	132,900.00
Barratt's Chapel Restoration	53,330.69
Conference Offices – 139 N. State St.	92,743.28
131 N. State St.	15,000.00
	2,002,191.18

SCHEDULE NO. 2
COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		2,729.44
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		118,820.00
		121,549.44
Expenditures:		
Salaries –		
Director	17,679.72	
Associate – Communication and Stewardships	8,499.96	
Associate – Black Ministries	12,999.96	
Associate – Education	12,999.96	
Associate – Drayton Methodist Center	8,333.36	
Associate – Camp Pecometh	11,499.96	
Secretary – Director	7,200.00	
Secretary – Office	5,800.08	85,013.00

Social Security Taxes		760.08	
Accident Insurance and Workmen's Compensation		691.00	
Travel –			
Director	2,658.37		
Associate – Communication and Stewardships	1,650.00		
Associate – Black Ministries	2,199.96		
Associate – Education	2,199.96		
Associate – Drayton Methodist Center	825.03		
Associate – Camp Pecometh	1,760.04	11,293.36	
Telephone		4,610.28	
Postage		1,023.11	
Office Supplies		1,130.96	
Printing		1,270.57	
Expenses – Coordinator –			
Children	59.88		
Youth	276.68		
Families	330.73	667.29	
Promotion – Christian Education Sunday Offering		662.74	
Committees and Task Forces – Com		383.33	
Council on Ministries Meetings		83.65	
Training Events and M. A. T. C. Dues		958.80	
Conferences and Convocations		766.53	
Promotional Articles and Events		56.00	
Communications		2,052.30	
Black Ministries –			
Innovative Ministries	964.44		
Leadership Training	1,111.29		
Resources and Materials	24.85	2,100.58	
Equipment		325.50	
Maintenance		284.61	114,133.69
Balance, December 31, 1977			7,415.75

SCHEDULE NO. 3
DIVISION OF EDUCATION

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		1,418.28
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	5,000.00	
Miscellaneous	13.50	5,013.50
		6,431.78
Expenditures:		
Board of Discipleship	562.39	
Division of Stewardship	83.14	
Literature	69.43	
Film Library	47.66	
Leadership Education	2,775.57	
Educational Workshops and Local Church Teacher Training	711.70	
Christian Education Supplies	371.78	

D. E. A. Task Force	200.00	
Christian Education Equipment	501.49	
Miscellaneous	254.67	5,577.83
Balance, December 31, 1977		853.95

SCHEDULE NO. 4
WESLEY FOUNDATION AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		493.98
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		1,450.00
		1,943.98
Expenditures:		
Director's Salary	1,200.00	
Program Expenses	228.47	1,428.47
Balance, December 31, 1977		515.51

SCHEDULE NO. 5
WESLEY FOUNDATION AT WASHINGTON COLLEGE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977	976.55
Receipts:	
Conference Appropriation	1,450.00
	2,426.55
Expenditures:	
None	
Balance, December 31, 1977	2,426.55

SCHEDULE NO. 6
WESLEY FOUNDATION AT DELAWARE STATE COLLEGE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977	312.62
Receipts:	
Conference Appropriation	1,450.00
	1,762.62

Expenditures:		
Director's Salary	1,200.00	
Program Expense	50.00	1,250.00
Balance, December 31, 1977		512.62

SCHEDULE NO. 7
COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND CAMPUS MINISTRIES

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		121.60
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		237.00
		358.60
Expenditures:		
Program Expense		101.27
Balance, December 31, 1977		257.33

SCHEDULE NO. 8
BOARD OF CHURCH AND SOCIETY

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			1,054.84
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation			3,600.00
			4,654.84
Expenditures:			
Secretarial Services		735.03	
Telephone		114.06	
Postage		55.43	
Engage Magazine		210.00	
Training Conferences – Workshops		800.44	
Division Expense –			
World Peace	68.40		
Human Relations	205.72		
General Welfare	659.45		
Emerging Issues	107.50	1,041.07	
District Director – Salisbury		8.30	
Peace and Self Development		11.05	
Pacem in Terris		1,000.00	
Delaware Equal Education Process		200.00	
Maryland Conference for Social Concerns		50.00	
Miscellaneous		6.78	4,232.16
Balance, December 31, 1977			422.68

SCHEDULE NO. 9
DIVISION OF EVANGELISM

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		960.42
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	2,500.00	
Pastors School of Evangelsim	4,560.70	
Miscellaneous	730.52	7,791.22
		8,751.64
Expenditures:		
Board of Discipleship	249.11	
Division of Stewardship	15.28	
Materials	365.07	
Educational Opportunities – General and Jurisdictional	200.00	
Conference Wide Evangelistic Program	2,775.77	
District Secretaries	66.17	
Pastors Schools of Evangelism	4,185.12	
National Council Pledge	100.00	7,956.52
Balance, December 31, 1977		795.12

SCHEDULE NO. 10
DIVISION OF HEALTH AND WELFARE MINISTRIES

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		327.69
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		500.00
		827.69
Expenditures:		
Administration	134.47	
National Health and Welfare Association	145.95	
District Seminars	10.50	
Promotion and Educational Materials	33.68	324.60
Balance, December 31, 1977		503.09

SCHEDULE NO. 11
BOARD OF THE LAITY

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			1,533.75
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		3,000.00	
Laymen's Retreat (see below)		–	
Miscellaneous		21.59	3,021.59
			4,555.34
Expenditures:			
Lay Leader –			
Dover	298.49		
Easton	137.24		
Salisbury	315.87		
Wilmington	127.70		
Associate Conference Lay Life and Work	135.94		
Conference	751.48	1,766.72	
Promotion		198.08	
Miscellaneous		109.88	2,074.68
Balance, December 31, 1977			2,480.66

SPECIAL PROJECT – LAYMEN'S RETREAT – 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			–0–
Receipts:			
Registration Fees		1,738.00	
Offerings		190.00	1,928.00
			1,928.00
Expenditures:			
Camp Pecometh			1,928.00
Balance, December 31, 1977			–0–

SCHEDULE NO. 12
DIVISION OF MISSIONS

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			23,037.15
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		114,141.00	
Board of Trustees –			
Charles Ferguson Estate		274.15	114,415.15
			137,452.30

Expenditures:			
Administrative Expenses		412.21	
Promotion and Cultivation Fund		2,500.00	
Honorarium – St. Matthews-By-The-Sea		500.00	
Mission Aid –			
Urban Work – Wilmington	60,000.00		
DEA – Leisure Ministry	3,000.00		
DEA – Millsboro Long Neck Ministry	1,800.00		
DEA – Rural Ministry	4,000.00		
Ocean City – Atlantic	3,000.00		
Glasgow Project	4,000.00		
Neighborhood House – Wilmington	8,150.00		
Town and Country	203.12	84,153.12	
Mortgage –			
Principal	4,876.13		
Interest	9,860.47	14,736.60	
Loans –			
Epworth U. M. Church	5,000.00		
Whatcoat U.M. Church	5,000.00	10,000.00	
Parsonage Aid		388.12	
Grants for Church Extension and Aid		5,015.55	
Mt. Joy Construction		10,407.41	
Miscellaneous		17.50	128.130.51
Balance, December 31, 1977			9,321.79

SCHEDULE NO. 13
DIVISION ON CAREER PLANNING AND COUNSELING

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			710.41
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation			600.00
			1,310.41
Expenditures:			
Secretarial Services		450.78	
Office Expenses		25.64	
Materials for Local Churches		11.16	
Books, Manuals and Printed Resources		75.60	
Audio-Visual Aids		151.00	
Miscellaneous		237.00	951.18
Balance, December 31, 1977			359.23

SCHEDULE NO. 14
DIVISION ON WORSHIP

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			588.84
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		700.00	
Miscellaneous		446.00	
Music Workshop		306.00	1,452.00
			2,040.84
Expenditures:			
Administrative –			
Board of Discipleship	116.55		
Division of Worship	61.68	178.23	
Program		47.26	
Music Workshop		120.60	
History of Worship Seminar		953.54	1,299.63
Balance, December 31, 1977			741.21

SCHEDULE NO. 15
COMMISSION ON ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			5,571.19
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		2,500.00	
General Church		860.00	
Barratt's Chapel Fund		478.80	
Contributions		309.90	
Sale of Materials		33.51	
Chapel Restoration		3,178.55	7,360.76
			12,931.95
Expenditures:			
Board of Trustees – Barratt's Chapel Fund		250.00	
Telephone		242.02	
Insurance		494.00	
Mortgage Principal		4,375.00	
Mortgage Interest		1,915.93	
Program Expense		137.42	
Promotion		743.88	
Maintenance		335.00	
Utilities		1,963.54	
Miscellaneous		10.00	10,466.79
Balance, December 31, 1977			2,465.16

SCHEDULE NO. 16
DIVISION OF ECUMENICAL AND INTERRELIGIOUS CONCERNS

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		300.37
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		500.00
		800.37
Expenditures:		
Promotion		164.42
Balance, December 31, 1977		635.95

SCHEDULE NO. 17
COMMISSION ON RELIGION AND RACE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		1,418.47
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		1,600.00
		3,018.47
Expenditures:		
Administration	383.44	
Training Conference Leaders	244.95	
District Workshops	677.31	
Worship and Convocation	150.00	
Meetings – Conference Workshops	500.00	1,955.70
Balance, December 31, 1977		1,062.77

SCHEDULE NO. 18
BOARD OF DIACONAL MINISTRY

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		196.39
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		50.00
		246.39
Expenditures:		
Administration	127.29	
Telephone	11.89	
Postage	10.28	
Printing and Promotion	4.63	

Co-ordinated Mailing	27.12	181.21
Balance, December 31, 1977		65.18

SCHEDULE NO. 19
DRAYTON METHODIST CENTER

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			504.72
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		8,000.00	
Supplemental Appropriation – Capital Improvements Fund		13,017.50	
Conference Board of Trustees		6,775.00	
Groups – Day		11,049.57	
Groups – Night		50,425.77	
Duck Blind Rental		1,000.00	
Friends of Drayton		10,342.02	
Swimming Pool Family Memberships		5,855.00	
Miscellaneous		102.80	106,567.66
			107,072.38
Expenditures:			
Secretarial Services – Dover Office		897.68	
Salaries –			
Food Service and Secretary	4,696.00		
Housekeeping and Purchasing	5,841.67		
Cooks	9,791.53		
Waitresses	8,505.49		
Maintenance Man	8,374.75		
Maintenance Men – Part-Time	2,458.75		
Pool Guard	1,263.50	40.931.69	
Social Security Taxes		2,390.40	
Telephone		2,100.79	
Office Supplies		769.58	
Insurance		4,419.00	
House Supplies		3,213.47	
New Inventory		69.60	
Food		21,274.49	
Laundry		2,283.52	
Refunds		42.00	
Maintenance –			
Property	4,526.79		
Pool	4,192.24		
Major	19,792.50	28,511.53	
Electricity –			
General	3,882.28		
Pool	830.00	4,712.28	
Gas		544.34	
Heat		5,444.41	
Miscellaneous		542.92	118,147.70
Balance, December 31, 1977			(11,075.32)

SCHEDULE NO. 20
CAMP PECOMETH

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			11,990.32
Receipts:			
Conference Appropriation		9,000.00	
Christian Education Sunday		5,617.25	
Camp Offerings		348.76	
Camper Fees – Summer Program		41,702.53	
Weekends		7,709.75	
Picnics		774.00	
Canteen		4,162.46	
Donations		2,888.50	
Farm		12,028.44	
Gunning		2,500.00	
Weekdays		10,561.46	
Family Camp		2,484.50	
Miscellaneous		2,028.75	101,806.40
			113,796.72
Expenditures:			
Salaries –			
Maintenance Miscellaneous	777.85		
Maintenance Director	2,599.92		
Secretary	1,849.40		
Summer Staff	22,437.45	27,664.62	
Social Security Taxes		1,570.66	
Office Supplies		975.90	
Insurance –			
Camper Health	1,714.40		
Property Liability and Workmen's Comp.	6,615.00	8,329.40	
Staff Training		339.02	
Program Materials		214.38	
Publicity		1,712.25	
Food		21,046.42	
Recreation Equipment		411.11	
Camper Refund –			
Summer Program	488.00		
Weekends	62.00	550.00	
Medical Supplies		245.92	
Crafts		326.50	
Canteen		4,242.95	
Farm		5,149.38	
Property Taxes		434.40	
Equipment Purchase		5,464.11	
Maintenance –			
Vehicles	4,486.14		
General	7,480.42		
Pool	2,230.33		
Plumbing and Electrical	2,840.79		
Snow and Grass	3,000.00	20,037.68	
Utilities –			
Propane	3,111.05		

Electric	3,678.56		
Telephone	2,760.89	9,550.50	
Miscellaneous		641.46	108,906.66
Balance, December 31, 1977			4,890.06

SCHEDULE NO. 21
BOARD OF THE ORDAINED MINISTRY

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		10,418.60
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	25,687.50	
Callie L. Fishburn Fund	36.30	25,723.80
		36,142.40
Expenditures:		
Administrative Expense	1,541.94	
Travel – Candidates	713.15	
Continuing Education	2,718.60	
Recruitment	841.60	
Honorarium	500.00	
Psychological – Testing and Counseling	1,260.00	
Scholarships	13,425.00	
Orientation	570.50	
Officer Training	240.00	
Service to Ministers	450.00	
Miscellaneous	160.57	22,421.36
Balance, December 31, 1977		13,721.04

SCHEDULE NO. 22
MINISTERS' BENEFITS FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		26.101.82
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	155,000.00	
Member Contributions	47,844.29	
Group Life	17,217.00	
Dividend – Group Medical and Life	35,192.00	255,253.29
		281,355.11
Expenditures:		
Premiums – Medical Expense Plan	175,914.50	
Premiums – Non-Contributory Group Life	34,992.73	
Maternity Benefits	11,471.85	
Mutual Relief Association	2,000.00	
Refund – Cash Value Group Life	1,000.00	

Premiums – Contributory Group Life	19,301.62	
Medical – Self Insurance	5,000.00	
Clerical Expense	540.66	
Office Expense	131.32	
Printing	43.90	250,396.58
Balance, December 31, 1977		30,958.53

SCHEDULE NO. 23
COMMITTEE ON SCHOLARSHIPS AND LOANS

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		4,249.19
Receipts:		
Board of Trustees – O'Neill Estate		192.29
		4,441.48
Expenditures:		
Scholarships		4,441.48
Balance, December 31, 1977		–0–

SCHEDULE NO. 24
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND CULTIVATION

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		2,262.88
Receipts:		
Board of Missions	2,500.00	
Miscellaneous	34.00	2,534.00
		4,796.88
Expenditures:		
Mailings	54.96	
Promotion	3,258.97	
District Cultivation Fund	7.20	3,321.13
Balance, December 31, 1977		1,475.75

SCHEDULE NO. 25
MINISTERIAL CONTINGENT RELIEF FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31,1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		443.79
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation		1,000.00
		1,443.79

Expenditures:		
Assistance Paid – Ministers		683.35
Balance, December 31, 1977		760.44

SCHEDULE NO. 26
MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		1,603.29
Receipts:		
Ministers' Benefit Fund	2,000.00	
Assessments	84.00	2,084.00
		3,687.29
Expenditures:		
Office Supplies and Expense	18.38	
Claims Paid	600.00	618.38
Balance, December 31, 1977		3,068.91

SCHEDULE NO. 27
BOARD OF THE ORDAINED MINISTRY – RIDDLE FUNDS

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Domestic	Foreign
Balance, January 1, 1977	284.28	3,964.59
Receipts:		
Riddle Fund	434.47	434.46
	718.75	4,399.05
Expenditures:		
None	–	–
Balance, December 31, 1977	718.75	4,399.05

SCHEDULE NO. 28
YOUTH SERVICE FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		245.34
Receipts:		
General Receipts	185.42	
Miscellaneous	392.11	577.53
		822.87

Expenditures:		
Program Expense		261.82
Balance, December 31, 1977		561.05

SCHEDULE NO. 29
SUPPORT SERVICES

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		45.22
Receipts:		
Receipts for Services		30,063.57
		30,108.79
Expenditures:		
Salary – Regular	7,585.11	
Salary – Part Time	3,014.42	
Social Security Taxes	610.64	
Pension – Employer's Portion	432.00	
Postage	6,425.13	
Office Supplies	7,516.80	
Photo Copying	1,368.06	
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	60.00	
Computer Service Bureau	949.88	
Duplicating Services	365.10	
New Equipment	720.00	
Maintenance	603.82	
Miscellaneous	45.00	29.695.96
Balance, December 31, 1977		412.83

SCHEDULE NO. 30
EQUITABLE SALARY FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		74,363.29
Receipts:		
Conference Appropriation	2,000.00	
Temporary General Aid Fund	13,719.61	15,719.61
		90,082.90
Expenditures:		
Administration	82.00	
Salaries	19,543.38	19,625.38
Balance, December 31, 1977		70,457.52

SCHEDULE NO. 31
TEMPORARY GENERAL AID DISCRETION FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		4,399.25
Receipts:		
Temporary General Aid Fund		7,254.74
		11,653.99
Expenditures:		
Salaries		7,771.45
Balance, December 31, 1977		3,882.54

SCHEDULE NO. 32
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		65,130.49
Receipts:		
Interest Income		38,837.32
		103,967.81
Expenditures:		
Drayton Methodist Center Repairs	13,017.50	
Dover District Parsonage Repairs	10,937.07	
Council Director's Parsonage	2,664.00	
Council on Ministries – Equipment	7,515.19	34,133.76
		34,133.76
Balance, December 31, 1977		69,834.05

SCHEDULE NO. 33
PENSION CRUSADE FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977		(7,565.19)
Receipts:		
Pledges		235,459.84
		227,894.65
Expenditures:		
Salaries	1,000.00	
Secretarial Services	70.10	
Travel	275.86	
Telephone	210.69	
Postage	104.56	
Office Supplies	278.52	
Printing	5,914.15	

Photo Copying	37.24	
Progress Reports	44.06	
Communicator	340.05	
Office Rental	150.00	
Service Fee	43,000.00	
General Board of Pensions	100,000.00	
Miscellaneous	354.07	151,779.30
Balance, December 31, 1977		76,115.35

SCHEDULE NO. 34
COMMISSION OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY – ENDOWMENT FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Principal	Income
Balance, January 1, 1977	–0–	–0–
Receipts:		
Transfer from Other Funds – Commission on Archives and History	34,210.38	–
Income Reinvested	305.68	–
Interest Income – Ninth Ward Savings & Loan	–	305.68
Interest Income – U. M. Development Fund	–	168.35
Dividends Received	–	420.00
	34,516.06	894.03
Expenditures:		
Purchase of Investments	34,418.68	–
Income Reinvested	–	305.68
Balance, December 31, 1977	97.38	588.35

SCHEDULE NO. 35
PARSONAGE ENDOWMENT FUND

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Principal	Income
Balance, January 1, 1977	–0–	–0–
Receipts:		
Sale of Associate Program Director's Parsonage 1119 Westview Terrace, Dover, Del.	55,410.00	–
Sale of Furnishings	784.00	–
Income Reinvested	964.70	–
Interest – Corporate Income Funds	–	1,347.50
	57,158.70	1,347.50
Expenditures:		
Purchase of Investments	57,016.70	–
Income Reinvested	–	964.70
Balance, December 31, 1977	142.00	382.80

SCHEDULE NO. 36
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OTHER FUNDS
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Board of Missions Revolving Loan	Commission on Archives and History	Wesley Foundation Property	Self Insurance Fund
Balance, January 1, 1977	18,253.07	33,580.74	45,531.73	14,933.59
Increases:				
Interest Income	562.65	629.64	2,390.42	–
Transfer from Ministers' Benefits Fund	–	–	–	5,000.00
Received from Peninsula United Methodist Homes & Hospitals	–	–	–	595.97
Conference Appropriation	–	–	–	–
Received from Joint Committee on Communications	–	–	–	–
Received from Board of Global Ministries	–	–	–	–
	562.65	629.64	2,390.42	5,595.97
	18,815.72	34,210.38	47,922.15	20,529.56
Decreases:				
Transfer to Commission on Archives and History Endowment Fund	–	34,210.38	–	–
United Campus Ministries	–	–	2,390.42	–
Northeast Jurisdictional Apportionment	–	–	–	–
Expenses Paid	–	–	–	–
Transfer to Operating Fund Balance	–	–	–	–
	–	34,210.38	2,390.42	–
Balance, December 31, 1977	18,815.72	–	45,531.73	20,529.56

Juris-dictional Fund	Delaware Conference History Fund	World Comm. Pilot Project Program	Ethnic Small Church Ministries Workshop	Escrow-1975 Receipts for 1977 Budget	Escrow-1976 Receipts for 1977 Budget	Escrow-1976 Receipts for 1978 Budget
4,459.36	7,923.17	–	–	22,493.27	36,864.75	12,757.32
–	371.16	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,500.00	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	500.00	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	1,000.00	–	–	–
1,500.00	371.16	500.00	1,000.00	–	–	–
5,959.36	8,294.33	500.00	1,000.00	22,493.27	36,864.75	12,757.32
–	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1,871.00	–	–	–	–	–	–
–	500.00	195.63	–	–	–	–
–	–	–	–	22,493.27	36,864.75	–
1,871.00	500.00	195.63	–	22,493.27	36,864.75	–
4,088.36	7,794.33	304.37	1,000.00	–	–	12,757.32

SCHEDULE NO. 36
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN OTHER FUNDS
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Escrow – 1977 Receipts for 1979 Budget	Escrow – Pension Funds for 1978 Budget	Methodist Corporation Proceeds	Baltimore Conference Funds	Conference Newspaper Fund	Agency Pension Contributions	Parsonage Maintenance and Capital Impvmt. Fund	Westwood Methodist Church	Property – 131 North State St.	Daily Office
Balance, January 1, 1977	–	–	–	29.00	2,238.09	–	6,592.98	–	1,936.44	(2,356.57)
Increases:										
Excess of Receipts over Budget	9,881.10	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Received from Conference Board of Pensions	–	85,000.00	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Received from General Church	–	–	1,645.20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Baltimore Conference – Received for Expenses	–	–	–	7,701.51	–	–	–	–	–	–
Subscriptions	–	–	–	–	5,508.97	–	–	–	–	–
Conference Appropriation	–	–	–	–	9,000.00	–	–	–	–	–
Received from Agencies	–	–	–	–	–	6,930.00	–	–	–	–
Excess of Budget over Disbursement	–	–	–	–	–	–	7,482.14	–	–	–
Isaac C. Short Estate	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	202.95	–	–
Rents Received	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,500.00	–
Sale of Books	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5,610.80
	9,881.10	85,000.00	1,645.20	7,701.51	14,508.97	6,930.00	7,482.14	202.95	1,500.00	5,610.80
	9,881.10	85,000.00	1,645.20	7,730.51	16,747.06	6,930.00	14,075.12	202.95	3,436.44	3,254.23
Decreases:										
General Board of Pension – Deposit Account	–	30,000.00	–	–	–	5,060.00	–	–	–	–
Expenses Paid	–	–	–	7,745.19	16,209.03	–	1,281.00	–	1,017.98	424.62
	–	30,000.00	–	7,745.19	16,209.03	5,060.00	1,281.00	–	1,017.98	424.62
Balance, December 31, 1977	9,881.10	55,000.00	1,645.20	(14.68)	538.03	1,870.00	12,794.12	202.95	2,418.46	2,829.61

SCHEDULE NO. 37
CONFERENCE BUSINESS OFFICE

OPERATING EXPENSES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Salaries	32,491.18
Secretarial Service	1,458.77
Social Security Taxes	1,685.08
Pension – Employer's Portion	1,497.36
Medical, Life and Accident Insurance	422.57
Travel	519.34
Telephone	1,242.74
Postage	1,797.39
Office Supplies	296.94
Printing	1,431.84
Insurance – Workmen's Compensation	213.00
Computer Service Bureau	4,955.00
Photo Copy	571.75
Training Events	15.00
Maintenance	259.50
New Equipment	242.00
Miscellaneous	391.55
	49,491.01

SCHEDULE NO. 38
CONTINGENT FUND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Parsonage 1119 Westview Terrace, Dover – Utilities and Maintenance		537.19
Moving Expenses –		
District Superintendents	1,983.15	
Staff	2,572.30	
Retired Ministers	660.00	
Housing Allowance – Staff		5,215.45
U. M. National Youth Ministry Organization		700.00
C. F. A. Expenses		570.00
Commission on Status and Role of Women		434.65
Peninsula United Methodist Foundation		85.08
Miscellaneous		2,500.00
		18.00
		10,060.37

SCHEDULE NO. 39
DIVISION OF MISSIONS

TRUST AGREEMENTS
(CONTINGENT RECEIVABLES)
DECEMBER 31, 1977

Trust Agreements	
Stanton, dated 9/19/50	1,800.00
Grace, Salisbury, dated 5/3/51	20,000.00
Church Hill, dated 7/25/55	3,000.00

Grace, Salisbury, dated 8/31/55	48,400.00
Christ, Rosell, dated 12/1/55	2,500.00
St. Paul's, Clayton, dated 3/21/57	6,000.00
Calvary, Queentown, dated 2/9/60	2,500.00
Chester, Bethel, dated 3/31/60	25,000.00
Epworth, Rehoboth Beach, dated 4/1/60	25,000.00
St. Paul's, Wilmington, dated 6/2/60	12,000.00
Stanton, dated 7/28/61	1,800.00
Asbury, Salisbury, dated 8/12/63	15,000.00
Holly Oak, dated 9/8/63	3,000.00
Madely, dated 11/11/63	10,000.00
Christ Church, Salisbury (between Board of Missions and Division of National Missions), dated 1963	2,500.00
Kent Island, dated 1/6/64	4,200.00
Atlantic, Ocean City, Md., dated 4/17/64	25,000.00
Lincoln, dated 6/3/64	3,000.00
Whatcoat, Camden, Del., dated 9/64	20,000.00
Hockessin, Wilmington, dated 9/64	40,000.00
Wyoming, dated 10/64	12,000.00
Union Church, Chester, Md., dated 6/10/68	15,000.00
Mt. Calvary United, Preston, Md., dated 4/19/69	15,000.00
Wesley Temple, dated 6/13/68	25,000.00
Chester, Bethel, dated 6/28/71	20,000.00
Centreville Church, Centreville, Md., dated 3/16/68	20,000.00
Mt. Joy U.M. Church, Wilmington, Del., dated 12/29/75	128,500.00

SCHEDULE NO. 40
DIVISION OF MISSIONS

CONTINGENT LIABILITIES – NATIONAL BOARD OF MISSIONS
DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Date	Original Amount	Balance Dec. 31, 1977
Atlantic, Ocean City, Md.	7/22/64	125,000.00	30,221.85

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1977

1. **Summary of significant accounting policies.**

   A) The conference maintains its books and records on the cash basis of accounting.

   B) Short-Term Investments at December 31, 1977 are stated at cost and consisted as follows:

		Cost	Market
$250,000	The United Methodist Development Fund Certificate of Participation	$250,000.00	$250,000.00
$ 50,000	U. S. Treasury Notes, 6½% due 1978	49,906.25	49,968.75
$100,000	Bank of Delaware – Certificate of Deposit, 6½% due 1/13/78	100,000.00	100,000.00
$100,000	Bank of Delaware, 6.45% due 1/4/78	100,100.00	100,100.00
	Bank of Delaware, Savings Account	10.00	10.00
	Wilmington Trust Co., Savings Acct.	25,000.00	25,000.00
		$525,016.25	$525,078.75

C) Notes Receivable held by the Revolving Loan Fund at December 31, 1977 consisted of one note in the amount of $7,000.00 due from Goshen U. M. Church, Milton, Del., which is due in ten annual installments, $951.00 each beginning 1/1/85 with interest at 6% per annum.

2. Appropriated Fund Balance

At December 31, 1977 the Operating Fund Balance of the Peninsula Conference was appropriated in the amount of $90,000.00 as follows:

Amount appropriated to supplement 1978 Budget	25,000.00
Amount appropriated to supplement 1979 Budget	65,000.00
	90,000.00

3. Division of Missions

A) Loans Receivable at December 31, 1977 consisted of the following:

Trust Agreement (Loan) dated 6/28/72 to Salem Church, Pocomoke City, Md., to be repaid at the rate of $2,000.00 per annum with interest at 4%. Repayment is to begin after all other indebtedness against property is paid — $ 12,000.00

B) Mortgages Receivable at December 31, 1977 consisted of the following:

Epworth United Methodist Church, Rehoboth, Del., in the amount of $25,000.00 (on which the Division will advance $5,000.00 a year beginning in 1976) dated 5/29/75 to be repaid in ten equal principal installments of $2,500.00 plus interest at 6% beginning 1/1/91 or on the sixth month after repayment of the mortgage owed to Sussex Trust Co. — $ 10,000.00

Whatcoat United Methodist Church, Dover, Del., dated 5/5/75 in the amount of $25,000.00 (on which the Division will advance $5,000.00 a year beginning in 1976) which is to be repaid in ten equal principal installments of $2,500.00 plus 6% beginning 1/1/91 or on the sixth month after repayment of the mortgage owed to the Board of Global Ministries. — 10,000.00

$ 20,000.00

C) At December 31, 1977, the Division was liable to the Board of Global Ministries for a mortgage granted for Mt. Joy U. M. Church which is payable in equal monthly installments of $1,228.05 for a remaining period of eleven years with interest at 8%.

D) Division of Missions trust agreements and loans to various churches representing contingent receivables at some future date are shown on Schedule No. 39.

E) Contingent Liabilities of the Division on loans made by the National Division of Missions are shown in Schedule No. 40.

4. Capital Fund

A) Fixed Assets are stated at appraised or estimated values as of December 31, 1969 and at cost for subsequent purchases. Depreciation is not proveded for in the financial statements since all replacements are charged to income.

B) Real Estate values and indebtedness thereon, if any, held in the name of Wesley College and Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc., are shown in separate audit reports of these corporations.

C) Mortgages Payable at December 31, 1977 consisted of the following:

Mortgage Payable – Farmers Bank
(Barratt's Chapel Restoration) payable in quarterly principal installments of $875.00 with interest at 7% per annum. — $ 19,250.00

Mortgage Payable – Maryland State Bank
(St. Matthews-By-The-Sea Parsonage) payable in semi-annual installments of $500.00 with interest at 8% per annum. — 1,000.00

$ 20,250.00

5. Commission on Archives and History – Endowment Fund

A) Investments in this fund are stated at cost and at December 31, 1977 consisted of the following:

Face Value Or Shares		Cost	Market
$20,305.68	Ninth Ward Savings & Loan Assn., Savings Certificate 7¾% – 5/20/83	$ 20,305.68	$ 20,305.68
$ 4,200.00	United Methodist Development Fund Certificate of Deposit 5%	4,200.00	4,200.00
200 Shares	Consolidated Edison of N.Y., Com.	4,513.00	5,075.00
100 Shares	Penna. Pwr. & Lt. 4.4% Pfd.	5,400.00	5,125.00
		$ 34,418.68	$ 34,705.68

6. Parsonage Endowment Fund

A) Investments in this fund are stated at cost and at December 31, 1977 consisted of the following:

Units		Cost	Market
55	Corporate Income Fund – Series 56	$ 54,958.20	$ 53,342.85
2	Corporate Income Fund – Series 65	2,058.50	2,006.76
		$ 57,016.70	$ 55,349.61

Peninsula Conference
of The United Methodist Church
Conference Trustees

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your instructions we have made an audit of the Treasurer's records of the following funds:

CONFERENCE TRUSTEES' GENERAL FUND
POOLE ESTATE
BARRATT'S CHAPEL FUND
WASHINGTON FOSTER ESTATE
O'NEILL ESTATE
SCOTT MEMORIAL FUND
METHODIST CEMETERY CORPORATION OF LEIPSIC
CHARLES FERGUSON ESTATE
CANNON-LOFLAND FUND (FORMERLY WARWICK CEMETERY CORP.)
McDORMAN AND SPEDDEN FUND
SALLY C. LINDSAY FUND
ESTATE OF JEROME THOMAS
CALLIE L. FISHBURN FUND
EATON MEMORIAL
JOHN P. HYATT TRUST FUND

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1977 and present herewith the following report:

	Accountants' Opinion
Exhibit "A"	Statement of Changes in Trust Assets
Exhibit "B"	Balance Sheet
Exhibit "C"	Statement of Changes in Principal Fund Balances
Exhibit "D"	Cash Receipts and Expenditures Statement – Income Cash
Schedule No. 1	Marketable Securities
	Notes to Financial Statements

Respectfully submitted,

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
May 16, 1978

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

Peninsula Conference
of The United Methodist Church

Conference Trustees,

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Peninsula Conference of The United Methodist Church Board of Trustees as of December 31, 1977 and the related statements of Cash Receipts and Expenditures and Changes in Trust Assets for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the aforementioned statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Peninsula Conference of The United Methodist Church Board of Trustees at December 31, 1977, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenditures made by it during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers, & Sayers
Certified Public Accountants

EXHIBIT "A"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN TRUST ASSETS
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

The Trustees Charge Themselves As Follows:			
First, As To Principal –			
Principal Assets as of December 31, 1976		112,506.74	
Increases:			
Sale of Emmanuel Cemetery, Somerset County, Md.	1.00		
Barratt's Chapel Fund	250.00		
Gain on Sale of Securities	995.54	1,246.54	
		113,753.28	
Decreases:			
Glasgow Church Appraisal	50.00		
Insurance – Glasgow Property	157.00		
Loss on Sale of Securities	989.60	1,196.60	
Total Principal Assets – December 31, 1977			112,556.68
Second As To Income –			
Income Balance, December 31, 1976		16,365.73	
Increases:			
Income Allocated – Bank of Delaware, Agency Account	7,582.57		
Scott Memorial Fund – Bank of Delaware, Trustee	2,849.31	10,431.88	
		26,797.61	
Decreases:			
Expenses Allocated:			
Filing Fee	10.00		
Expenses – General Fund			
Drayton – Driveway Improvements	4,225.00		
Expenses – Poole Estate			
Drayton – Driveway Improvements	2,550.00		
Expenses – Barratt's Chapel Fund			
Commission on Archives and History	478.80		
Expenses – Washington Foster Estate			
Wesley Chapel U. M. Church 952.27			
Bond Premium 20.00	972.27		
Expenses – O'Neill Estate			
Committee on Scholarships and Loans	192.29		
Expenses – Scott Memorial Fund			
Scholarships	1,000.00		
Expenses – Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic	240.95		
Expenses – Charles Ferguson Fund			
Division of Missions	274.15		
Expenses – Cannon-Lofland Fund			
Mt. Olivet U. M. Church	30.89		
Expenses – McDorman and Spedden Fund			
Spedden U. M. Church	1,093.51		
Expenses – Sally C. Lindsay Fund			
Trinity U. M. Church	63.32		
Expenses – Estate of Jerome Thomas			
Beckwith U. M. Church	63.32		
Expenses – Callie L. Fishburn Fund			
Board of Ordained Ministry	36.30		
Expenses – Eaton Memorial			
Asbury U. M. Church	63.32		
Expenses – John P. Hyatt Trust Fund			
Red Lion U. M. Church	32.44	11,326.56	
Income Balance, December 31, 1977			15,471.05
Total Assets, December 31, 1977			128,027.73

EXHIBIT "B"

PENINSULA CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

BALANCE SHEET
DECEMBER 31, 1977

ASSETS

Cash:			
Cash Held in General Conference Funds –			
Income Cash	15,471.05		
Principal Cash	(206.00)	15,265.05	
Bank of Delaware – Agency Account –			
Principal Cash		548.83	15,813.88
Marketable Securities (Schedule No. 1)			
(Market Value $101,296.88)			112,213.85
			128,027.73

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

General Fund:		
Income Balance	15.35	
Principal Balance	13,015.75	13,031.10
Poole Estate:		
Income Balance	7,217.53	
Principal Balance	44,504.10	51,721.63
Barratt's Chapel Fund		
Income Balance	469.50	
Principal Balance	7,861.22	8,330.72
Washington Foster Estate:		
Income Balance	933.38	
Principal Balance	16,801.86	17,735.24
O'Neill Estate:		
Income Balance	188.55	
Principal Balance	3,314.47	3,503.02
Scott Memorial Fund:		
Income Balance		4,785.38
Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic:		
Income Balance	236.27	
Principal Balance	4,222.41	4,458.68
Charles Ferguson Fund:		
Income Balance	268.83	
Principal Balance	4,364.23	4,633.06
Cannon-Lofland Fund:		
Income Balance	30.29	
Principal Balance	484.16	514.45
McDorman and Spedden Fund:		
Income Balance	1,072.27	
Principal Balance	14,116.58	15,188.85
Sally C. Lindsay Fund:		
Income Balance	62.10	
Principal Balance	952.77	1,014.87

Estate of Jerome Thomas:		
Income Balance	62.10	
Principal Balance	952.77	1,014.87
Callie L. Fishburn Fund:		
Income Balance	35.59	
Principal Balance	537.48	573.07
Eaton Memorial:		
Income Balance	62.10	
Principal Balance	952.77	1,014.87
John P. Hyatt Trust Fund:		
Income Balance	31.81	
Principal Balance	476.11	507.92
		128,027.73

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN PRINCIPAL FUND BALANCES FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	General Fund	Poole Estate	Barratt's Chapel	Washington Foster Estate	O'Neill Estate	Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic
Balance, January 1, 1977	13,220.51	44,502.12	7,610,84	16,801.11	3,314.32	4,222.22
Increases:						
Sale of Emmanuel Cemetery, Somerset County, Md.	1.00	–	–	–	–	–
Barratt's Chapel Fund	–	–	250.00	–	–	–
Gain on Sale of 65 shares of Proctor & Gamble Co.	206.78	332.21	61.73	125.34	24.79	31.06
	207.78	332.21	311.73	125.34	24.79	31.06
	13,428.29	44,834.33	7,922.57	16,926.45	3,339.11	4,253.28
Decreases:						
Glasgow Church Appraisal	50.00	–	–	–	–	–
Insurance – Glasgow Property	157.00	–	–	–	–	–
Loss on Sale of 200 shares of American Can Co.	205.54	330.23	61.35	124.59	24.64	30.87
	412.54	330.23	61.35	124.59	24.64	30.87
Balance, December 31, 1977	13,015.75	44,504.10	7,861.22	16,801.86	3,314.47	4,222.41

Charles Ferguson Estate	Cannon – Lofland Fund	McDorman & Spedden Fund	Sally C. Lindsay Fund	Estate of Jerome Thomas	Callie L. Fishburn Fund	Eaton Memorial	John P. Hyatt Fund	Total
4,364.02	484.17	14,115.74	952.72	952.72	537.45	952.72	476.08	112,506.74
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	250.00
35.34	3.98	140.97	8.16	8.16	4.68	8.16	4.18	995.54
35.34	3.98	140.97	8.16	8.16	4.68	8.16	4.18	1,246.54
4,399.36	488.15	14,256.71	960.88	960.88	542.13	960.88	480.26	113,753.28
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	50.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	157.00
35.13	3.99	140.13	8.11	8.11	4.65	8.11	4.15	989.60
35.13	3.99	140.13	8.11	8.11	4.65	8.11	4.15	1,196.60
4,364.23	484.16	14,116.58	952.77	952.77	537.48	952.77	476.11	112,556.68

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

INCOME FUND ACCOUNTS
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	General Fund	Poole Estate	Barratt's Chapel Fund	Washington Foster Estate	O'Neill Estate	Scott Memorial Fund	Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic
Balance, January 1, 1977	2,667.53	7,240.57	478.80	952.27	192.29	2,936.07	240.95
Receipts:							
Bank of Delaware – Agency (Schedule No. 1)	1,574.90	2,530.30	470.12	954.64	188.80	–	236.58
Bank of Delaware, Trustee	–	–	–	–	–	2,849.31	–
	1,574.90	2,530.30	470.12	954.64	188.80	2,849.31	236.58
	4,242.43	9,770.87	948.92	1,906.91	381.09	5,785.38	477.53
Expenses:							
Board Expenses Allocated	2.08	3.34	.62	1.26	.25	–	.31
Drayton – Driveway Improvements	4,225.00	–	–	–	–	–	–
Drayton – Driveway Improvements	–	2,550.00	–	–	–	–	–
Commission on Archives and History	–	–	478.80	–	–	–	–
Wesley Chapel U. M. Church	–	–	–	952.27	–	–	–
Bond Premium	–	–	–	20.00	–	–	–
Committee on Scholarships and Loans	–	–	–	–	192.29	–	–
Scholarships	–	–	–	–	–	1,000.00	–
Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic	–	–	–	–	–	–	240.95
Division of Missions	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mt. Olivet U. M. Church	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Spedden U. M. Church	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Trinity U. M. Church	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Beckwith U. M. Church	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Board of Ordained Ministry	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Asbury U. M. Church	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Red Lion U. M. Church	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
	4,227.08	2,553.34	479.42	973.53	192.54	1,000.00	241.26
Balance, December 31, 1977	15.35	7,217.53	469.50	933.38	188.55	4,785.38	236.27

Note: The allocation percentages used for distribution to the various funds for the year ended December 31, 1977, were as follows:

General Fund	20.77%
Poole Estate	33.37%
Barratt's Chapel Fund	6.20%
Washington Foster Estate	12.59%
O'Neill Estate	2.49%
Methodist Cemetery Corp. of Leipsic	3.12%
Charles Ferguson Fund	3.55
Cannon-Lofland Fund	40%
McDorman and Spedden Fund	14.16%
Sally C. Lindsay Fund	82%
Estate of Jerome Thomas	82%
Callie L. Fishburn Fund	47%
Eaton Memorial	82%
John P. Hyatt Trust Fund	42%
	100.00%

Charles Ferguson Fund	Cannon – Lofland Fund	McDorman & Spedden Fund	Sally C. Lindsay Fund	Estate of Jerome Thomas	Callie L. Fishburn Fund	Eaton Memorial	John P. Hyatt Trust Fund	Total
274.15	30.89	1,093.51	63.32	63.32	36.30	63.32	32.44	16,365.73
269.18	30.33	1,073.69	62.18	62.18	35.64	62.18	31.85	7,582.57
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,849.31
269.18	30.33	1,073.69	62.18	62.18	35.64	62.18	31.85	10,431.88
543.33	61.22	2,167.20	125.50	125.50	71.94	125.50	64.29	26,797.61
.35	.04	1.42	.08	.08	.05	.08	.04	10.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4,225.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	2,550.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	478.80
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	952.27
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	20.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	192.29
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,000.00
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	240.95
274.15	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	274.15
–	30.89	–	–	–	–	–	–	30.89
–	–	1,093.51	–	–	–	–	–	1,093.51
–	–	–	63.32	–	–	–	–	63.32
–	–	–	–	63.32	–	–	–	63.32
–	–	–	–	–	36.30	–	–	36.30
–	–	–	–	–	–	63.32	–	63.32
–	–	–	–	–	–	–	32.44	32.44
274.50	30.93	1,094.93	63.40	63.40	36.35	63.40	32.48	11,326.56
268.83	30.29	1,072.27	62.10	62.10	35.59	62.10	31.81	15,471.05

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SCHEDULE NO. 1

MARKETABLE SECURITIES
DECEMBER 31, 1977

Description	January 1, 1977 Shares or Face Value	January 1, 1977 Book Value	Increases Shares or Face Value	Increases Book Value	Decreases Shares or Face Value	Decreases Book Value	Decreases Gain (Loss)
American Can Co., Common	200 shs.	8,822.07	–	–	200 shs.	8,822.07	(989.60)
American Tel. & Tel. Co., Capital	300 shs.	21,075.00	–	–	–	–	–
Baltimore Gas & Electric Co., Com.	100 shs.	3,425.00	–	–	–	–	–
Bank of Delaware, Capital	97 shs.	4,277.10	–	–	–	–	–
Delmarva Power & Light Co., Common	252 shs.	6,368.68	–	–	–	–	–
Exxon Corp., Capital	220 shs.	9,543.20	–	–	–	–	–
Proctor & Gamble Co., Common	100 shs.	5,997.89	–	–	65 shs.	3,898.63	995.54
Virginia Electric Power Co., $5.00 Cumulative Preferred	100 shs.	10,777.23	–	–	–	–	–
American Telephone & Telegraph Co., Debentures, 8.8%, due 5/15/05	$20,000	19,700.60	–	–	–	–	–
General Motors Acceptance Corp., 7 1/4%, due 3/1/95	$15,000	14,981.70	–	–	–	–	–
Phillips Petroleum Debentures, 7 5/8%, due 3/15/01	$ 5,000	5,087.95	–	–	–	–	–
FNMA, 8.5%, due 6/10/80	$15,000	14,878.13	–	–	–	–	–
		124,934.55		–		12,720.70	5.94

December 31, 1977 Shares or Face Value	December 31, 1977 Book Value	December 31, 1977 Market Value	Income
–	–	–	120.00
300 shs.	21,075.00	18,150.00	1,230.00
100 shs.	3,425.00	2,662.50	212.00
97 shs.	4,277.10	2,425.00	213.40
252 shs.	6,368.68	3,662.50	302.40
220 shs.	9,543.20	10,587.50	660.00
35 shs.	2,099.26	3,005.63	133.25
100 shs.	10,777.23	6,100.00	500.00
$20,000	19,700.60	21,075.00	1,760.00
$15,000	14,981.70	13,612.50	1,087.50
$ 5,000	5,087.95	4,656.25	381.24
$15,000	14,878.13	15,360.00	1,275.00
	112,213.85	101,296.88	7,874.79
	Less: Trustee Commissions		292.22
	Net Income		7,582.57

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1977

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

GENERAL

Assets and liabilities, income and expense, are recorded on the cash basis of accounting.

INVESTMENTS

Investments are stated at cost or market value at the date of gift, except those that were held on April 11, 1964 (first time recorded for balance sheet purposes), which are stated at market value. Market value at December 31, 1977 was $101,296.88 and the unrealized depreciation was $10,916.97.

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

May 22, 1978

Peninsula Conference of the
United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

In accordance with instructions we have made an examination of the Treasurer's records of

**METHODIST MISSION AND
CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY, INC.
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE**

for the period January 1, 1977 to December 31, 1977.

The details of the cash receipts and disbursements are presented as follows:

Exhibit "A" — Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement – Regular Account

Respectfully submitted,

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

EXHIBIT "A"

METHODIST MISSION AND CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY, INC.
REGULAR ACCOUNT

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			11,061.81
Cash Receipts:			
Peninsula Annual Conference		60,000.00	
Board of Global Ministers		8,500.00	
Contributions:			
Individuals	12,905.40		
Churches	11,047.94		
Foundation	10,000.00		
Scholarships	1,425.00	35.378.34	
Interest Received		868.79	
Other		1,363.84	106,110.97
			117,172.78
Cash Disbursements:			
Central Office and Support Services			
Salaries and Wages:			
Personnel Salaries	30,757.04		
Pensions	1,320.00		
Housing Allowance	3,000.00		
Travel Allowance	1,999.92	37,076.96	
Administrative and Office:			
Telephone	1,335.13		
Insurance	245.10		
Cleaning and Supplies	155.24		
Equipment and Maintenance	502.43		
Office Supplies	517.36		
Printing and Duplicating	918.48		
Mailing Costs	871.65		
Public Relations	273.93		
Staff Recruitment	327.75		
Conferences	277.37		
Special Events	74.38		
Miscellaneous	140.41		
FICA Expense	1,872.90	7,512.13	
Housing Expense		3,424.40	
Extraordinary Maintenance		650.00	
Old Asbury Operations			
Janitor Wages	3,638.26		
Telephone	242.15		
Electric	1,699.28		
Heat and Gas	2,699.69		
Water and Sewer	514.81		
Insurance	1,061.25		
General Upkeep	221.06		
Major Repairs	769.40		
Cleaning Supplies	585.19		

Equipment	73.10		
Cemetery Upkeep	119.00		
FICA Expense	216.68	11,839.87	
Programs			
Engage in Social Action	9,623.27		
Brandywine-Trinity	19,860.00		
Haven U. M. Church	1,000.00		
Camping Program	1,020.00		
Emergency Fund	1,507.29		
Neighborhood House	2,000.00		
Old Asbury Center	15,154.13	50,164.69	
Training and New Programs		948.50	111,616.55
			5,556.23
Non-Cash Expenditure under Central Office Expenses – Housing Allowance			3,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1977			8,556.23
Consisting of the following:			
Cash in Bank – Home Federal Savings and Loan Association			7,708.08
Cash in Bank – Bank of Delaware			315.79
Petty Cash Funds			200.00
1978 Receipts applicable to 1977			465.00
Prepaid Insurance			1,118.37
Accounts Receivable			278.03
Payroll Withholdings			(893.57)
Payroll Taxes			(240.47)
1977 Receipts applicable to 1978			(125.00)
Accounts Payable			(270.00)
			8,556.23

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

May 25, 1978

Peninsula Conference of
The United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your instructions we have made an examination of the Cash Receipts and Expenditures of

ST. MATTHEWS-BY-THE-SEA
FENWICK ISLAND, DEL.

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1977, and found them to be correct as shown below:

Cash Balance, January 1, 1977		882.26
Receipts:		
Offerings and Other Receipts		4,080.81
		4,963.07
Expenditures:		
Electricity	367.77	
Insurance	522.00	
Mortgage Principal	1,500.00	
Mortgage Interest	210.00	
Organist	265.00	
Janitor	140.00	
Secretary	100.00	
Postage	47.00	
Repairs and Maintenance	442.03	
Supplies	82.99	
Telephone	93.08	3,769.87
Cash Balance, December 31, 1977		1,193.20

Respectfully submitted,

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Peninsula Conference
of the United Methodist Church

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to instructions we have made an audit of the cash received and disbursed by the Treasurer of the

BOARD OF PENSIONS
OF
PENINSULA CONFERENCE
OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

for the twelve months ended December 31, 1977 and present herewith your report as contained in the following:

	Auditors' Report
Exhibit "A"	**Statement of Condition – Endowment Fund**
Exhibit "B"	**Statement of Fund Balances**
Exhibit "C"	**Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement Endowment Fund Principal**
Exhibit "D"	**Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement Endowment Fund Income**
Exhibit "E"	**Cash Receipts and Disbursements Statement Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund Deposit Account**
Schedule No. 1	**Mortgage Investments – Endowment Fund Principal**
Schedule No. 2	**Stock Investments – Endowment Fund Principal**
Schedule No. 3	**Bond and Notes – Endowment Fund Principal**
Schedule No. 4	**Miscellaneous Investments – Endowment Fund Principal**
Schedule No. 5	**Temporary Investment – Endowment Fund Income**

Respectfully submitted,

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
May 22, 1978

AUDITORS' REPORT

Peninsula Conference
of the United Methodist Church

We have examined the statement of condition of the Board of Pensions of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church as of December 31, 1977, and the related statements of receipts and disbursements and changes in fund balance for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the aforementioned statements present fairly the assets and liabilities of the Board of Pensions of the Peninsula Conference of the United Methodist Church at December 31, 1977, arising from cash transactions, and the revenues collected and expenditures made by it and changes in fund balances, during the year then ended, on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers, & Sayers

EXHIBIT "A"

BOARD OF PENSIONS

ENDOWMENT FUND
STATEMENT OF CONDITION
DECEMBER 31, 1977

ASSETS

Principal			
Cash – Uninvested:			
Bank of Delaware	32,080.77		
Bank of Delaware – Agency Account	313.64	32,394.41	
Investments:			
Mortgages (Schedule No. 1)	1,865.26		
Stocks (Schedule No. 2)	868,125.93		
Bonds (Schedule No. 3)	701,428.07		
Miscellaneous Investments (Schedule No. 4)	4,429.05	1,575,848.31	1,608,242.72
Income			
Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund Deposit Account		60,824.47	
Temporary Investments (Schedule No. 5)		100,000.00	160,824.47
			1,769,067.19

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

Principal			
Fund Balance – Unrestricted			1,608,242.72
Income			
Current Liabilities:			
Cash – Bank of Delaware		9,171.45	
Fund Balance – Unrestricted	143,435.62		
Fund Balance – Restricted	8,217.40	151,653.02	160,824.47
			1,769,067.19

EXHIBIT "B"

BOARD OF PENSIONS

STATEMENT OF FUND BALANCES
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

	Principal	Income
Fund Balances, December 31, 1976	2,769,295.89	309,746.56
Increases:		
Ministers' Contributions	14,905.35	–
Methodist Publishing House	5,319.33	–
Increase in Temporary Investments	–	100,000.00
Excess of Receipts and Disbursements – Exhibit "E"	–	60,824.47
	20,224.68	160,824.47
	2,789,520.57	470,571.03
Decreases:		
Net Loss on Sale and Redemption of Securities	4,312.52	–
Excess of Disbursements over Receipts – Exhibit "D"	–	80,717.27
Decrease in Prepaid Expense	1,173,457.57	237,979.14
Decrease in Loans Receivable	–	221.60
Paid to General Board	3,507.76	–
	1,181,277.85	318,918.01
Fund Balance, December 31, 1977	1,608,242.72	151,653.02

EXHIBIT "C"

BOARD OF PENSIONS

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, Uninvested Cash, December 31, 1976			
Bank of Delaware		13,590.10	
Bank of Delaware Agency Account		(722.13)	12,867.97
Receipts:			
Mortgage Principal Repaid		815.46	
Sale and Redemption of Securities			
Stocks	124,323.46		
Bonds	178,912.44	303,235.90	
Amortization of Bond Premium		958.29	
Ministers' Contributions		14,905.35	
Methodist Publishing House		5,319.33	325,234.33
			338,102.30

Disbursements:			
Purchase of Securities			
Stocks	152,497.00		
Bonds	149,703.13	302,200.13	
General Board		3,507.76	305,707.89
Balance, Uninvested Cash, December 31, 1977			
Bank of Delaware		32,080.77	
Bank of Delaware Agency Account		313.64	32.394.41

EXHIBIT "D"

BOARD OF PENSIONS

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Cash Balance, December 31, 1977			
Bank of Delaware		11,088.71	
Conference Claimants Distribution Fund		60,457.11	71,545.82
Receipts:			
Income from Endowment Investments –			
Mortgage Interest (Schedule No. 1)	187.54		
Stock Dividend (Schedule No. 2)	52,955.84		
Bonds and Notes (Schedule No. 3)	55,880.84		
Temporary Investments (Schedule No. 5)	1,489.38	110,513.60	
Redemption of Short-Term Investments		48,510.62	
Interest on Ministers' Deficiency Payments		1,977.70	
Savings Account Interest – Kinder Fund		446.58	
Savings Account Interest – Kinder Fund		446.58	
Loans Receivable		221.60	
Miscellaneous		1,235.99	162,906.09
			234,451.91
Disbursements:			
Salaries		3,050.00	
Amortization of Bond Premiums		958.29	
Kinder Fund – Concord Methodist Church		446.58	
Mortgage Service		14.79	
Claims – General Board		1,213.98	
Purchase of Temporary Investments		148,510.62	
Trustees' Commissions		2,978.62	
General Expense of Administration –			
Mileage and Dinners	1,653.83		
Printing and Postage	231.14		
Other	527.22	2,412.19	
Peninsula Conference			
Escrow Pension Fund	85,000.00		
Other	10,475.00		
	95,475.00		
Less: Amount of Transfer from Prepaid Expense	11,436.71	84,038.29	243,623.36
Cash Balance, December 31, 1977			
Bank of Delaware			(9,171.45)

Note: $8,217.40 is restricted for necessitous cases leaving an overdraft of $17,388.85.

EXHIBIT "E"

BOARD OF PENSIONS

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS STATEMENT
MINISTERS' RESERVE PENSION FUND DEPOSIT ACCOUNT
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Balance, January 1, 1977			
Receipts:			
Initial Deposit by Board of Pension paid during 1976		1,400,000.00	
Peninsula Conference Payments –			
Conference Appropriations – 1976 – Note 3	100,000.00		
Conference Appropriation – 1977	652,420.00	752,420.00	
Escrow – Pension Funds		30,000.00	
Pension Crusade Fund		100,000.00	
Agency Pension Contribution		5,060.00	
Insurance Withheld from Pensioners		4,194.00	
Liens Withheld from Pensioners		1,153.40	
Payments from Ministers applied to Indebtedness		7,326.76	
Temporary General Aid Fund		12,000.00	
Payments to Claimants		376.86	
Charter Fund Distribution		264.00	
Transfer from Superannuate Endowment Fund		2,409.29	
Interest Earned		22,539.03	2,337,743.34
			2,337,743.34
Disbursements:			
Plan A. Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund			
Initial Deposit on Accrued Service Obligation		1,400,000.00	
Current Funding		240,421.36	
Level Annual Payment on Accrued Service Obligation		526,177.00	
Additional Payment on Accreud Service Obligation		100,536.29	
Funding		3,660.62	
Special Grants		6,013.56	
Dependent Children		110.04	2,276,918.87
Balance, December 31, 1977			60,824.47

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 1

MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL
FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1977

Mortgagor	Location	Date of Mortgage	Original Amount	Balance Dec.31,1976	Deductions 1977	Balance Dec.31,1977	1977	Interest Paid to
Justice, Dexter L. and Clara Ann	Laura Ave., Roseville Park, Newark, Del.	8/13/53	5,000.00	998.43	223.49	774.94	49.51	8/1/77
Klees, Henry and Roberta I.	Airport Road, Christiana Acres, New Castle, Del	10/1/62*	5,000.00	435.16	60.85	374.31	39.15	8/1/77
Pusey, Wilmer E. and Clara	204 Mansion Road, Richardson Park, Wilmington, Del.	2/5/54	8,000.00	847.20	440.97	406.23	39.03	9/1/77
Wassmer, Walter J. and Elizabeth	Pencader Hundred, Bear, Del.	12/10/54	14,750.00	399.93	90.15	309.78	59.85	8/1/77
				2,680.72	815.46	1,865.26	187.54	
						Less: Commissions Paid	14.79	
						Net Income	172.75	

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 2
STOCK INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL

	December 31, 1976		Increases	
	Shares	Book Value	Shares	Amount
American Home Products Corp., Common	1800	5,199.91	200	6,405.22
American Tel. & Tel. Co., Capital	800	34,859.48	–	–
Avon Products, Inc., Common	600	67,136.65	100	4,725.16
Bank of Delaware, Capital	1355	24,590.90	–	–
Christiana Securities	300	34,651.86	–	–
Diamond International Corp., Common	1000	36,547.76	–	–
Dresser Industries, Inc., Common	1200	24,881.75	–	–
E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Com. ...	–	–	338.670*	34,651.86
Exxon Corp., Capital	1400	64,706.98	–	–
General Electric Co., Common	900	37,067.84	–	–
General Tel. & Electronics Corp., Com.	1100	32,805.50	400	12,184.70
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Common	–	–	2000	42,318.04
Ingersol Rand Co., Common	600	36,193.36	–	–
I. B. M. Corp., Capital	300	22,752.07	–	–
International Tel. & Tel., Series "K" $4.00 Conv. Pfd.	400	38,544.35	–	–
Kellogg Company, Common	1200	17,258.86	300	7,590.26
Marsh & McLennan Co., Inc., Common	500	33,056.32	–	–
Middle South Utilities, Inc., Common	2300	53,333.58	–	–
Minnesota Mining & Mfg., Common	–	–	600	31,539.54
N. L. T. Corp., Common	2000	45,925.38	100	2,281.87
Pepsico, Inc., Common	400	18,766.84†	800	–
Phelps Dodge Corp., Common	600	24,477.32	–	–
Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc. Common	2250	56,706.48	–	–
Standard Oil of Indiana, Capital	1000	51,003.45	200	10,800.35
Texaco, Inc., Common	1500	53,927.71	–	–
Wilmington Trust Co., Capital	1000	23,868.00	–	–
		838,262.35		152,497.00

*338.670 shs. of E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., Inc., Common received for 300 shares Christiana Securities, Common as a result of merger of the two companies.

†3 for 1 stock split 5/27/77.

December 31, 1977						
Shares	Amount	Gain (Loss)	Shares	Book Value	Market Value	Income Received 1977
–	–	–	2000	11,605.13	55,500.00	2,245.00
–	–	–	800	34,859.48	48,400.00	3,280.00
–	–	–	700	71,861.81	33,687.50	1,490.00
–	–	–	1355	24,590.90	32,520.00	2,981.00
300*	34,651.86	–	–	–	–	1,185.00
–	–	–	1000	36,547.76	33,625.00	2,050.00
1200	24,881.75	21,476.87	–	–	–	160.00
.670	78.14	–	338	34,573.72	40,686.75	677.34
–	–	–	1400	64,706.98	67,375.00	4,200.00
–	–	–	900	37,067.84	44,887.50	1,800.00
–	–	–	1500	44,990.20	46,687.50	2,890.00
–	–	–	2000	42,318.04	34,500.00	1,850.00
–	–	–	600	36,193.36	34,425.00	1,680.00
–	–	–	300	22,752.07	82,050.00	3,000.00
400	38,544.35	(16,429.59)	–	–	–	400.00
–	–	–	1500	24,849.12	36,562.50	1,605.00
–	–	–	500	33,056.32	30,562.50	1,150.00
–	–	–	2300	53,333.58	37,950.00	3,174.00
–	–	–	600	31,539.54	29,100.00	510.00
–	–	–	2100	48,207.25	49,875.00	1,596.00
–	–	–	1200	18,766.84	33,600.00	990.00
600	24,477.32	(3,357.24)	–	–	–	330.00
–	–	–	2250	56,706.48	63,562.50	4,522.50
–	–	–	1200	61,803.80	59,400.00	2,990.00
–	–	–	1500	53,927.71	41,625.00	3,000.00
–	–	–	1000	23,868.00	42,000.00	3,200.00
	122,633.42	1,690.04		868,125.93	978,581.75	52,955.84

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 3
BONDS AND NOTES
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL

Bonds and Notes	December 31, 1976 Face Value	December 31, 1976 Book Value	Increases Face Value	Increases Amount	Decreases Face Value	Decreases Amount	Gain (Loss)	Premium Amortization
Federal National Mortgage Assn., 7.80% – 10/10/91	–	–	150,000	149,703.13	–	–	–	–
Gen. Mills, 8 7/8% – 1995	100,000	108,723.30	–	–	–	–	–	467.50
Minnesota Mining & Mfg. 8.2% – 4/1/85	100,000	100,402.64	–	–	–	–	–	50.33
North Amer. Mtg. Investors 5 1/2% – 1979	100,000	86,000.00	–	–	100,000	86,000.00	(6,002.56)	–
Northern Natural Gas 8 3/4% – 1990	89,000	95,533.41	–	–	–	–	–	440.46
Pacific Gas & Electric 7 3/4% – 2005	100,000	88,023.88	–	–	–	–	–	–
U.S. Treas. Bills – 3/31/77	100,000	98,915.00	–	–	100,000	98,915.00	–	–
U.S. Treasury Notes 8% – 2/13/83	160,000	160,000.00	–	–	–	–	–	–
		737,598.23		149,703.13		184,915.00	(6,002.56)	958.29

Face Value	December 31, 1977 Book Value	Market Value	Income Received 1977
150,000	149,703.13	146,250.00	5,579.17
100,000	108,255.80	103,250.00	8,875.00
100,000	100,352.31	102,500.00	8,200.00
–	–	–	3,804.17
89,000	95,092.95	89,222.50	7,787.50
100,000	88,023.88	88,750.00	7,750.00
–	–	–	1,085.00
160,000	160,000.00	162,287.50	12,800.00
	701,428.07	692,260.00	55,880.84

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 4
MISCELLANEOUS INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND PRINCIPAL

	December 31, 1977 Face Value	Book Value	Market Value	Income Received 1977
Board of Pensions of the Methodist Church, Missouri Corp.	4,427.05	4,427.05	4,427.05*	264.00
Corporate Board of Finance Methodist Episcopal Church, South	1.00	1.00	1.00	–
Cemetery Lots	1.00	1.00	1.00	–
		4,429.05	4,429.05	264.00

*This income was credited directly to the Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund Accounts – Exhibit "E".

BOARD OF PENSIONS

SCHEDULE NO. 5
TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS
ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME

	Face Value	Book Value	Face Value	Book Value	Face Value	Book Value	Gain (Loss)	Face Value	Book Value	Market Value	Income Received 1977
Bank of Delaware Certificate of Deposit 7.15% – 12/15/78	–	–	100,000	100,000.00	–	–	–	100,000	100,000.00	100,000.00	–
U. S. Treasury Bills – 12/13/77	–	–	50,000	48,510.62	50,000	48,510.62	–	–	–	–	1,489.38
		–		148,510.62		48,510.62			100,000.00	100,000.00	1,489.38

BOARD OF PENSIONS

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 1977

1. **Summary of significant accounting policies.**

GENERAL	The Board maintains its books and records on a cash basis.
INVESTMENTS – MORTGAGES	are held by the Board of Pensions and collected through an agent.
STOCKS	were originally recorded at market value and adjusted for additions and deletions since that date at cost. Market value at December 31, 1977 was $978,581.75.
BONDS	were originally recorded at market value and adjusted for additions and deletions since that date at cost. The premiums are amortized over the life of the bond on a straight line basis. Market value of bonds at December 31, 1977 was $692,260.00.
MISCELLANEOUS INVESTMENTS	These funds are held by the General Board and monies earned on these funds are transferred to the Conference Claimants Distribution Fund held by the General Board. Cemetery lots were willed to the Board of Pensions and were recorded at a nominal amount.
TEMPORARY INVESTMENTS	are stated at cost. Market value at December 31, 1977 was $100,000.00.

2. **Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund.**
The Peninsula Conference entered into Plan A of the Ministers' Reserve Pension Fund of the United Methodist Church, a contributory defined benefit plan, on January 1, 1977. During the year $240,421.36 was paid for current funding while $2,026,713.29 was paid on the accrued service costs. The balance of the accrued service costs, which is estimated to be $7,866,376.00 at December 31, 1977, is being funded in annual deposits of $526,177.00 for a period of 30 years or until such time as the actual cost of funding the accrued service obligation has been met.

3. **Restricted Fund Balances.**
At December 31, 1977, $8,217.40 of Income Fund Balance was restricted for Necessitous Cases.

Board of Trustees
Wesley College, Inc.
Dover, Delaware

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to instructions we have made an audit of the financial books and records of

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.
DOVER, DELAWARE

for the twelve months ended June 30, 1977, and present herewith our report as contained in the following:

	Accountants' Opinion
Exhibit "A"	**Balance Sheet**
"B"	**General Fund Statement**
"C"	**General Fund - Summary of Operating Revenues and Expenditures**
"D"	**Development Fund Statement**
"E"	**Endowment - Scholarship Fund Statement**
"F"	**Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund Statement**
"G"	**Student Activities Fund Statement**
"H"	**Bicentennial Cultural Affairs Fund Statement**
"I"	**Reserve Fund Statement**

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
September 26, 1977

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

Board of Trustees
Wesley College, Inc.

We have examined the balance sheet of Wesley College, Inc. as of June 30, 1977 and the related statements of changes in fund balances and current funds revenues and expenditures for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

During the period under review certain accounting controls pertaining to the preparation and maintenance of general and subsidiary ledgers deteriorated thus prohibiting periodic comparison of subsidiary ledgers to control accounts and retention of reliable financial information.

Also, as of June 30, 1977 the college has recorded as expenditures and included as liabilities or budget allocations the following entries totaling $80,851.17 which, in our opinion, should be reversed in order to conform with generally accepted accounting principles:

a) Purchase Orders in the amount of $23,030.17 are recorded as expenditures and included in Accounts Payable - Trade as of June 30, 1977. Management believes these requisitions are a result of the 1976-77 academic term, however, it is our opinion that since materials or services were not received as of June 30, 1977, no liability has been incurred.

b) Unemployment Compensation in the amount of $18,000.00 has been recorded as an expenditure and is included in the accrued and withheld payroll taxes as of June 30, 1977. College Management has contacted the Department of Labor of the State of Delaware and has asked for an invoice for the Unemployment Compensation owed but the Department of Labor has been unable to compute a balance due. It is our opinion that a liability has been incurred but the amount of $18,000.00 cannot be substantiated.

c) Expenditures in the amount of $39,821.00 have been recorded with the corresponding credit as of June 30, 1977 included in the Deferred Income and Budget Allocation account. Management contends these expenditures are a result of the 1976-77 academic year and that they would be paid in the near future. We examined purchase requisitions in the amount of $8,264.00 which were used as a part of management's substantiation for the expenditures but could not obtain evidence for substantiation of the balance. It is our opinion that since no materials or services were received as of June 30, 1977, no liability has been incurred.

If these entries were reversed the excess of revenues over expenditures would be increased and the General Deficit Fund Balance would be decreased by $80,851.17.

Because of the general conditior of the books and records of Wesley College, Inc. and the expenditures recorded with which we do not concur as mentioned in the preceding paragraph, we are unable to express, and we do not express, an opinion on the financial statements referred to above.

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
September 26, 1977

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

WESLEY COLLEGE, Inc.

BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 1977

ASSETS

General Fund		
Cash on Hand and in Bank	71,319.79	
Accounts Receivable	83,691.00	
Accounts Receivable - Student Activities Fund	123,961.45	
Accounts Receivable - College Work Study Program	1,118.82	
Accounts Receivable - National Direct Student Loan Program	3,292.20	
Accrued Interest Receivable	12,138.94	
Inventories	170.00	295,692.20
Development Fund		
Cash in Bank	5,630.21	
Accounts Receivable - General Fund	95,612.69	
Accounts Receivable - Endowment Scholarship Fund	11,283.80	112,526.70
Endowment Scholarship Fund		
Cash in Bank	49,693.34	
Accounts Receivable - General Fund	16,016.20	
Investments - Stocks and Bonds (Market Value $527,550.00)	483,513.50	
Investments - Mortgage	8,920.31	558,143.35
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund		
Cash in Bank	5,135.14	
Investments (Exhibit "F") (Market Value $43,901.88)	49,992.50	55,127.64
Student Activities Fund		
Accounts Receivable	3,538.74	
Inventories	48,030.56	51,569.30
Reserve Fund		
Cash in Bank	10,120.32	
Accounts Receivable - General Fund	26,817.65	36,937.97
Capital Fund		
Land	1,299,834.25	
Building	12,042,878.47	
Furniture and Fixtures	455,674.53	
		13,798,387.25
		14,908,384.41

EXHIBIT "A"

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES

General Fund		
Notes Payable - Bank	635,000.00	
Accounts Payable - Trade	141,644.29	
Accounts Receivable - Credit Balances	32,636.66	
Accounts Payable - Reserve Fund	26,817.65	
Accounts Payable - Development Fund	95,612.69	
Accounts Payable - N. I. H. Fund	12,938.00	
Accounts Payable - Endowment Scholarship Fund	16,016.20	
Accrued Payroll	80,204.12	
Accrued and Withheld Payroll Taxes	32,060.48	
Accrued Interest Payable	27,547.54	
Advance Payments	62,140.00	
Deferred Revenue and Budget Allocations	59,187.93	
Sundry Accounts	2,923.79	
Fund Balance	(929,037.15)	295,692.20
Development Fund		
Fund Balance	112,526.70	112,526.70
Endowment Scholarship Fund		
Accounts Payable - Development Fund	11,283.80	
Fund Balance	546,859.55	558,143.35
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund		
Fund Balance	55,127.64	55,127.64
Student Activities Fund		
Accounts Payable - General Fund	123,961.45	
Fund Balance	(72,392.15)	51,569.30
Reserve Fund		
Fund Balance	36,937.97	36,937.97
Capital Fund		
Notes Payable - Bank	1,733,360.20	
Notes Payable - C. I. T.	833,348.48	
H. E. W. Bond Payable	451,000.00	
H. U. D. Bonds Payable	2,476,000.00	
Fund Balance	8,304,678.57	13,798,387.25
		14,908,384.41

EXHIBIT "B"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

GENERAL FUND STATEMENT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Fund Balance, July 1, 1976	(959,813.62)
Increases:	
Excess of General Fund Revenues over Expenditures for the twelve months ended June 30, 1977	30,776.47

EXHIBIT "C"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

GENERAL FUND

SUMMARY OF OPERATING REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Revenues		
Educational and General		
Tuition		1,862,475.42
Miscellaneous Fees		84,545.35
Freshmen Honors Program		286,569.84
Learning Resources Program		5,574.44
Endowment Income		34,366.47
Gifts and Grants		129,781.35
Miscellaneous		87,128.64
Federal Funds		126,670.69
Alumni Association		20,000.00
Student Center Fee		70,850.00
Transfer of Endowment Fund Principal	2,742,745.73	34,783.53
Auxiliary Enterprises		
Dining Hall		399,614.34
Residence Halls	768,878.83	369,264.49
Total Operating Revenues		3,511,624.56
Expenditures		
Educational and General		
Administrative		248,115.07
Student Services		211,943.52
Institutional Expenses		142,222.93
Instructional Expenses		1,015,018.14
Other Educational and General Expenses		679,112.10
Excess of Student Aid Expenses over Income		76,602.44
Debt Service		253,040.78
Uncollectible Accounts		20,227.23
Student Aid Fund	2,718,146.66	71,864.45
Auxiliary Enterprises		
Dining Hall		381,831.52
Residence Halls	762,701.43	380,869.91
Total Operating Expenditures		3,480,848.09
Excess of Revenues over Expenditures		30,776.47

EXHIBIT "D"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

DEVELOPMENT FUND STATEMENT FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Fund Balance, July 1, 1976		43,484.43
Increases:		
Contributions - Second Century Fund	156,387.96	
Endowment Scholarship Gifts	2,000.00	158,387.96
		201,872.39
Decreases:		
Audit	1,375.00	
Loan Payments	80,000.00	
Property Expense	470.69	
Transfer of Endowment Scholarship Gifts	7,500.00	89,345.69
Fund Balance, June 30, 1977		112,526.70

EXHIBIT "E"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

ENDOWMENT-SCHOLARSHIP FUND STATEMENT FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

	INCOME	PRINCIPAL
Fund Balance, July 1, 1976		
Investments	-	483,513.50
Investments	-	9,950.59
Due From Development Fund	699.01	517.19
Principal Cash	-	50,281.51
Income Cash	5,493.90	-
	6,192.91	544,262.79
Increases:		
Income from Investments	37,590.30	-
Income from Investments	772.42	-
Interest on Savings	1,178.46	-
Gifts	-	35,930.00
	39,541.18	35,930.00
	45,734.09	580,192.79
Decreases:		
Transfer to General Fund	33,194.27	34,589.26
Increase in Accounts Payable - Development Fund	-	11,283.80
	33,194.27	45,873.06
Fund Balance, June 30, 1977	12,539.82	534,319.73
Allocated As Follows:		
Investments	-	483,513.50
Investments	-	8,920.31
Due from General Fund	650.50	15,365.70
Principal Cash	-	37,804.02
Income Cash	11,889.32	-
Due to Development Fund	-	(11,283.80)
	12,539.82	534,319.73

EXHIBIT "F"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

DULANY CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY FUND STATEMENT FOR TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

	INCOME	PRINCIPAL
Fund Balance, July 1, 1976		
Investments -		
2100 shs. General Public Utilities Corp.	-	48,037.50
85 shs. Duke Power	-	1,955.00
Principal Cash	-	7.50
Income Cash	2,290.76	-
	2,290.76	50,000.00

Increases:		
Dividends - General Public Utilities	3,528.00	-
Dividends - Duke Power	133.88	-
	3,661.88	-
	5,952.64	50,000.00
Decreases:		
Payments to Annuitant	825.00	-
Fund Balance, June 30, 1977	5,127.64	50,000.00

EXHIBIT "G"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES FUND STATEMENT

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Income:			
Student Activities Fees (see Note)		35,425.00	
Admission Fees and Concession Stand		1,441.26	
College Store —			
Supplies	9,106.16		
Books	74,975.11		
Novelties	16,040.68		
Sundries	5,405.16	105,527.11	
Snack Bar		1,919.55	
Game Room		4,630.76	
Miscellaneous Cultural Affairs —			
Combined Lecture Series	17,215.32		
Performing Arts	11,026.76	28,242.08	
Print Contest		238.07	
NJCAA Women's Basketball Tournament		293.00	
Golf Tournament		1,400.00	
Total Income			179,116.82
Expenses:			
Salaries		3,100.00	
Cultural —			
SAM	949.41		
Sigma Tau Omega	368.96		
Wesley Players	1,310.50		
Phi Theta Kappa	2,799.47		
Delta Psi Omega	131.17		
Kappa Chi	213.00		
Logology Society	130.30	5,902.81	
Publications —			
Eukairia	9,430.57		
Echoes	1,833.58	11,264.15	
Band		780.65	
WSCA		2,223.80	
Social Committee		13,528.85	
SGA Contingency Fund		231.14	
WSLY		617.06	
Paralegal		402.91	
DECA		1,314.15	
Sports —			
Salaries	33,106.18		
Intramural Sports	263.32		

Cheerleaders	379.72		
Dolphin Swim Club	399.53		
Pom Pom Girls	163.34		
Softball	312.68		
Baseball	1,765.67		
Football	13,074.27		
Basketball - Women	3,485.57		
Basketball - Men	5,812.19		
Trainers' Supply	1,925.99		
W Club	1,278.30		
Hockey - Women	1,445.95		
Tennis - Men	543.20		
Tennis - Women	475.24		
NJCAA Tournament	1,357.73		
Athletic Director	883.88	66,672.76	
College Store —			
Salaries	12,102.76		
Supplies	6,887.95		
Books	63,446.42		
Novelties	17,738.05		
Sundries	6,392.58		
Equipment Maintenance	210.65		
Master Charge	315.19	107,093.60	
Concession Stand		460.81	
Miscellaneous Cultural Affairs —			
Combined Lecture Series	14,039.70		
Performing Arts	22,050.96	36,090.66	
Game Room —			
Supplies	310.07		
Equipment	121.52		
Equipment Maintenance	85.00		
Game Room Manager	781.34	1,297.93	211,615.76
Total Expenses			250,981.28
Net Income (Loss) for the Year			(71,864.45)
Net Loss Charged to General Fund			(71,864.45)
			-0-

Note: Confirmation fees which have been shown as Student Activities income in prior years are now included as tuition income. The Student Activities fee was initiated this year at the rate of $25.00 per student.

EXHIBIT "H"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

BICENTENNIAL CULTURAL AFFAIRS FUND STATEMENT FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Fund Balance, July 1, 1976		1,534.40
Decreases:		
Rental Expense	67.50	
Transfer to General Fund	1,466.90	1,534.40
Fund Balance, June 30, 1977		-0-

EXHIBIT "I"

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

RESERVE FUND STATEMENT
FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

Fund Balance, July 1, 1976		47,200.20
Increases:		
Gifts and Awards		10,854.00
		58,054.20
Decreases:		
Blue Hen Mall Mural	4,131.36	
Building Repairs and Maintenance	9,641.00	
Library Materials - Paralegal Program	303.95	
Transfers to General Fund	7,039.92	21,116.23
Fund Balance, June 30, 1977		36,937.97

WESLEY COLLEGE, INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 1977

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Principles.

The significant policies followed by Wesley College, Inc. are described below to enhance the usefulness of the financial statements to the reader.

Accrual Basis

The financial statements of Wesley College, Inc. have been prepared on the accrual basis except for depreciation accounting as explained in the Notes to the Financial Statements. The statement of current funds revenues and expenditures is a statement of financial activities of current funds related to the current reporting period. It does not purport to present the results of operations or the net income or loss for the period as would a statement of income or a statement of revenues and expenses.

To the extent current funds are used to finance plant assets, the amounts so provided are accounted for as (1) expenditures, in the case of normal replacement of equipment and library books; (2) transfers, in the case of loan payments.

Note 1 The inventory in the Student Activity Fund is carried at lower of cost or market, on the first-in, first-out basis.

Note 2 Investments, exclusive of physical plant are recorded at cost; investments received by gift are carried at market value at the date of acquisition. A summary of investments, by fund is presented below:

	COST	MARKET VALUE
Endowment-Scholarship Fund		
Stocks and Bonds	483,513.50	527,550.00
Mortgages	8,920.31	8,920.31
Dulany Charitable Gift Annuity Fund (Exhibit "F")	49,992.50	43,901.88
	542,426.31	580,372.19

Stocks and Bonds are held as collateral by Farmers Bank under a trust indenture. Mortgages held by the Endowment-Scholarship Fund were not available for our examination.

Note 3 Land, buildings and equipment are stated at cost at date of acquisition except for the donated Richardson and Robbins property which is stated at the assessed value for County Real Estate Tax purposes. Depreciation on building and equipment is not recorded.

Note 4 The obligations of the Capital Fund consisted of the following:

	AMOUNT JULY 1, 1976	INCREASE	DECREASE	AMOUNT JUNE 30, 1977
Farmers Bank - Notes	464,036.36	-	41,198.40	422,837.96
Farmers Bank - Student Center	1,438,315.31	-	127,793.07	1,310,522.24
C. I. T. Loan	937,517.04	-	104,168.56	833,348.48
H. E. W. Library Bond	465,000.00	-	14,000.00	451,000.00
H. U. D. 1971 Series A	240,000.00	-	22,000.00	218,000.00
H. U. D. 1971 Series B	451,000.00	-	13,000.00	438,000.00
H. U. D. 1971 Series C	1,886,000.00	-	66,000.00	1,820,000.00
	5,881,868.71	-	388,160.03	5,493,708.68

The loan payable to C. I. T. Educational Building, Inc. is under a lease rental agreement payable semi-annually. The lease rental is payable in thirty equal installments of $52,084.28. To continue the same practice as on prior loans, only the cost of the construction has been included in fixed assets while the total amount payable has been recorded as a liability.

Note 5 The College has a defined contribution pension plan for academic and certain non-academic personnel. Total pension expense for the year was $46,771.90.

Note 6 Advance Payments represents payments received for tuition and dormitory fees applicable to the coming school year.

LUKENS, BUMPERS & SAYERS
Certified Public Accountants

Board of Trustees
Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
Methodist Country House
Wilmington, Delaware

Gentlemen:

In accordance with instructions, we have made an examination of the books and records of

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

for the year ended April 30, 1977, and present our report containing the following:

Accountants' Opinion

Exhibit "A"	Consolidated Balance Sheet
"B"	Statement of Changes in Equity
"B-1"	Statement of Changes in Financial Position
"C"	Statement of Income - Consolidated
"D"	Statement of Income - Corporate
"E"	Statement of Income - Country House
"F"	Statement of Income - Manor House
"G"	Statement of Income - Gift Annuity and Life Income Fund
"H"	Statement of Income - Endowment Fund
"I"	Statement of Income - Pooled Income Fund

Notes to Financial Statements

Respectfully submitted,
Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers

Dated at Wilmington, Delaware
June 21, 1977

Board of Trustees
Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc.
Methodist Country House
Wilmington, Delaware

ACCOUNTANTS' OPINION

We have examined the consolidated balance sheet of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc. as of April 30, 1977 and the related statements of income for the fiscal year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The accompanying statements present fairly the financial position of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes and Hospitals, Inc. at April 30, 1977 and the result of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Lukens, Bumpers & Sayers
Certified Public Accountants

Wilmington, Delaware
June 21, 1977

EXHIBIT "A"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET
APRIL 30, 1977

ASSETS

	Consolidated Totals	Corporate	Country House	Manor House	Cokesbury	Endowment Fund	Annuity Fund	Pooled Income Fund
Current Assets:								
Cash in Bank and on Hand	$ 163,563	$ 15,204	$ 887	$ 400	$ 92,487	$ 47,806	$ 6,064	$ 715
Notes Receivable	54,200	36,700	12,500	–	5,000	–	–	–
Prepaid Insurance	17,492	414	9,364	7,714	–	–	–	–
Prepaid Expense	16,001	9,352	4,091	2,558	–	–	–	–
Miscellaneous	129,662	2,000	22,029	9,085	85,864	–	10,011	673
Interhouse Receivables	–	537,447	182,936	–	–	29,855	–	–
Total Current Assets	$ 380,918	$ 601,117	$ 231,807	$ 19,757	$ 183,351	$ 77,661	$ 16,075	$ 1,388
Investments (at cost)	$ 2,158,532	–	$ 12,500	–	–	$1,144,560	$960,750	$40,712
Land, Buildings and Equipment	$12,255,430	$ 94,340	$5,832,169	$3,714,414	$2,614,507	–	–	–
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	3,301,449	12,743	2,124,451	1,164,255	–	–	–	–
	$ 8,953,981	$ 81,597	$3,707,718	$2,550,159	$2,614,507	–	–	–
Other Assets:								
Cash Value of Life Insurance	$ 59,898	$ 59,898	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cash – Designated Funds	425,497	425,497	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total Other Assets	$ 485,395	$ 485,395	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total Assets	$11,978,826	$1,168,109	$3,952,025	$2,569,916	$2,797,858	$1,222,221	$976,835	$42,100

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities:								
Accounts Payable	$ 95,805	$ 6,575	$ 50,164	$ 32,263	$ 6,803	–	–	–
Notes Payable	926,287	–	–	–	926,287	–	–	–
Employee Withholdings	8,759	1,246	3,465	3,736	312	–	–	–
Accrued Expenses	33,449	9,545	12,785	11,119	–	–	–	–
Interhouse Payable	–	212,791	–	20,685	516,762	–	–	–
Miscellaneous	224,836	222,583	1,550	703	–	–	–	–
Total Current Liabilities	$ 1,289,136	$ 452,740	$ 67,964	$ 68,506	$1,450,164	–	–	–
Long-Term Liabilities:								
Mortgages Payable	$ 2,416,109	–	$ 788,695	$1,627,414	–	–	–	–
Annuity and Life Agreements	626,662	–	–	–	–	–	585,313	41,349
Escrow Payable	10,103	10,103	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total Long-Term Liabilities	$ 3,052,874	$ 10,103	$ 788,695	$1,627,414	–	–	$585,313	$41,349
Total Liabilities	$ 4,342,010	$ 462,843	$ 856,659	$1,695,920	$1,450,164	–	$585,313	$41,349
Deferred Income:								
Living Unit Endowment and Filing Fees	$ 1,487,300	$ 142,293	–	–	$1,345,007	–	–	–
Equity	$ 6,149,516	$ 562,973	$3,095,366	$ 873,996	$ 2,687	$1,222,221	$391,522	$ 751
Total Liabilities, Deferred Income and Equity	$11,978,826	$1,168,109	$3,952,025	$2,569,916	$2,797,858	$1,222,221	$976,835	$42,100

EXHIBIT "B"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR YEAR ENDED APRIL 30, 1977

	Totals	Corporate	Country House	Manor House	Cokesbury	Endowment Fund	Annuity Fund	Pooled Income Fund
Balance, May 1, 1976	$5,995,963	$513,098	$3,151,434	$ 825,050	–	$1,182,070	$323,558	$753
Increases:								
Excess of Income over Expense	$ 38,831	$196,016	$ (163,551)	$ (109,630)	–	$ 48,134	$ 67,864	$ (2)
Increase in Cash Surrender Value of Life Insurance	1,928	1,928	–	–	–	–	–	–
Additions to Principal	91,425	–	–	–	–	91,425	–	–
Interest Income	619	–	–	–	619	–	–	–
Living Unit Endowment Forfeiture	2,068	–	–	–	2,068	–	–	–
Prior Year Adjustment	5,505	–	–	5,405	–	–	100	–
Capital Asset Grants	265,705	–	112,534	153,171	–	–	–	–
	$ 406,081	$197,944	$ (51,017)	$ 48,946	$2,687	$ 139,559	$ 67,964	$ (2)
	$6,402,044	$711,042	$3,100,417	$ 873,996	$2,687	$1,321,629	$391,522	$751
Decreases:								
Payments to Corporate Account	$ 26,260	–	–	–	–	$ 26,260	–	–
Payment to Country House	6,129	–	–	–	–	6,129	–	–
Payment to Manor House	1,990	–	–	–	–	1,990	–	–
Replacement of Equipment – Funded Depreciation	32,973	–	–	–	–	32,973	–	–
Walrath Chapel Fund	21,954	–	–	–	–	21,954	–	–
Ambrose Transfer	2,400	–	–	–	–	2,400	–	–
Corporate Transfer	7,702	–	–	–	–	7,702	–	–
Prior Years Adjustment	8,093	3,042	5,051	–	–	–	–	–
Net Increase in Endowment Fund Assets	51,027	51,027	–	–	–	–	–	–
Living Unit Benevolence Funding	94,000	94,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
	$ 252,528	$148,069	$ 5,051	–	–	$ 99,408	–	–
Balance, April 30, 1977	$6,149,516	$562,973	$3,095,366	$ 873,996	$2,687	$1,222,221	$391,522	$751

EXHIBIT "B-1"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED APRIL 30, 1977

	Corporate	Country House	Manor House	Cokesbury	Endowment Fund	Annuity Fund	Pooled Income Fund
Funds were provided by:							
Excess of Income over Expenses for twelve months ended April 30, 1977	$196,016	$(163,551)	$(109,630)	–	$ 48,134	$67,864	$ (2)
Add: Items not affecting Funds							
Depreciation	9,375	162,970	109,592	–	–	–	–
	$205,391	$ (581)	$ (38)	–	$ 48,134	$67,864	$ (2)
Decrease in Designated Funds	$232,011	–	–	–	–	–	–
Fixed Asset Grants	–	112,534	153,171	–	–	–	–
Prior Year Adjustments	–	–	5,405	–	–	100	–
Interest Income	–	–	–	619	–	–	–
Living Unit Endowment Forfeiture	–	–	–	2,068	–	–	–
Living Unit Endowment Fees	–	–	–	1,345,007	–	–	–
Additions to Principal	–	–	–	–	91,425	–	–
	$437,402	$ 111,953	$ 158,538	$ 1,347,694	$139,559	$67,964	$ (2)
Funds were applied to:							
Purchase of Fixed Assets	$ 27,207	$ 45,143	$ 77,468	$ 1,596,696	–	–	–
Decrease in Escrow Payable	1,531	–	–	–	–	–	–
Decrease in Deferred Income	286,607	–	–	–	–	–	–
Prior Year Adjustment	3,042	5,051	–	–	–	–	–
Net Increase in Endowment Fund Assets	51,027	–	–	–	–	–	–
Living Unit Endowment Adjustment	94,000	–	–	–	–	–	–
Payment on Mortgages	–	70,806	75,222	–	–	–	–
Net Increase in Investments	–	–	–	–	55,333	35,631	108
Payments and Transfers	–	–	–	–	99,408	–	–
Net Decrease Annuity and Life Agreements	–	–	–	–	–	36,241	–
	$463,414	$ 121,000	$ 152,690	$ 1,596,696	$154,741	$71,872	$ 108
Net Increase (Decrease) in Working Capital	$(26,012)	$ (9,047)	$ 5,848	$ (249,002)	$(15,182)	$(3,908)	$ (110)
APRIL 30, 1977							
Total Current Assets	$601,117	$ 231,807	$ 19,757	$ 183,351	$ 77,661	$16,075	$1,388
Total Current Liabilities	452,740	67,964	68,506	1,450,164	–	–	–
Net Working Capital	$148,377	$ 163,843	$ (48,749)	$(1,266,813)	$ 77,661	$16,075	$1,388
APRIL 30, 1976							
Total Current Assets	$524,421	$ 250,632	$ 23,170	$ 51	$ 92,843	$19,983	$1,498
Total Current Liabilities	350,032	77,742	77,767	1,017,862	–	–	–
Net Working Capital	$174,389	$ 172,890	$ (54,597)	$ 1,017,811)	$ 92,843	$19,983	$1,498
Increase (Decrease) in Working Capital	$(26,012)	$ (9,047)	$ 5,848	$ (249,002)	$(15,182)	$(3,908)	$ (110)

PENINSULA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

EXHIBIT "C"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

CONSOLIDATED

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	April 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECREASE)
Income:			
Monthly Resident Fees	$1,937,446	$1,830,457	$106,989
Living Unit Endowment Fees	643,350	542,500	100,850
Medical Reimbursements	337,292	329,044	8,248
Other Reimbursements	50,011	83,250	(33,239)
Contributions	506,891	477,198	29,693
Interest and Dividends	135,114	124,188	10,926
Other	26,276	29,390	(3,114)
Terminated Agreements	68,241	14,995	53,246
	$3,704,621	$3,431,022	$273,599
Expenses:			
Administrative	$ 398,157	$ 367,053	$ 31,104
Dietary	967,509	956,992	10,517
Household and Property	834,033	792,473	41,560
Health Services	897,752	835,583	62,169
Other	272,846	298,707	(25,861)
	$3,370,297	$3,250,808	$119,489
Excess of Income over Expenses	$ 334,324	$ 180,214	$154,110

EXHIBIT "D"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

CORPORATE

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	APRIL 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECREASE)
Income:			
Living Unit Endowment	$ 643,350	$ 542,500	$100,850
Contributions - General	127,224	112,769	14,455
Contributions - Bequests	104,527	134,049	(29,522)
Contributions - Special	163,183	115,140	48,043
Interest and Dividends	23,847	22,294	1,553
Conference Benevolences	98,000	102,000	(4,000)
Mother's Day Offering	13,957	13,240	717
Endowment Fund	33,963	49,692	(15,729)
Miscellaneous	485	411	74
	$1,208,536	$1,092,095	$116,441
Administrative Expense:			
Salaries and Wages	$ 107,342	$ 95,349	$ 11,993
Dues and Subscriptions	486	498	(12)
Insurance	1,531	1,098	433
Data Processing	4,614	8,600	(3,986)
Payroll Taxes	9,961	7,679	2,283
Professional	3,623	5,596	(1,973)
Office Supplies and Printing	3,594	4,252	(658)

Office Rental	3,600	3,000	600
Travel and Education	1,318	1,651	(333)
Motor Service - Corp. Car	1,161	1,344	(183)
Miscellaneous	3,441	2,406	1,035
Employee Insurance	3,549	3,295	254
Pension Expense	3,934	3,700	234
Medical Records - Salaries	20,015	17,784	2,231
Medical Records - Miscellaneous	795	390	405
	$ 168,965	$ 156,642	$ 12,323
Promotional and Development Expense:			
Salaries	$ 38,207	$ 32,386	$ 5,821
Housing Allowance	2,000	2,000	-
Transportation	835	1,601	(766)
Printing and Office Supplies	10,175	7,230	2,945
Miscellaneous	1,639	1,742	(103)
Training and Education	155	842	(687)
	$ 53,011	$ 45,801	$ 7,210
	$ 221,976	$ 202,443	$ 19,533
Allocated To Operation of Homes	$ (168,965)	$ (156,642)	$(12,323)
	$ 53,011	$ 45,801	$ 7,210
Grants:			
Methodist Country House - Operations	$ 280,563	$ 239,803	$ 40,760
Methodist Country House - Capital Assets	38,159	28,345	9,814
Methodist Manor House - Operations	199,695	164,630	35,065
Methodist Manor House - Capital Assets	136,028	99,499	36,529
Project Gifts	91,638	112,597	(20,959)
General Endowment Fund	7,425	-	7,425
Gift Annuity and Life Income Fund	31,000	-	31,000
Living Unit Benevolent Grants	25,900	-	25,900
	$ 810,408	$ 644,874	$165,534
	$ 345,117	$ 401,420	$(56,303)
Other Expenses:			
Interest - Mortgage - Methodist Country House	$ 56,153	$ 61,220	$(5,067)
Interest - Mortgage - Methodist Manor House	83,107	86,783	(3,676)
Miscellaneous	466	140	326
Depreciation	9,375	3,368	6,007
	$ 149,101	$ 151,511	$(2,410)
Excess of Income over Expense	$ 196,016	$ 249,909	$(53,893)

EXHIBIT "E"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

COUNTRY HOUSE

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	APRIL 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECREASE)
Operating Income:			
Monthly Guest Fees	$ 986,501	$ 924,774	$ 61,727
Dining Room Receipts	10,099	9,177	922
Medicare and Blue Cross Reimbrusements	33,493	14,237	19,256
Physiotherapy Fees	4,286	4,763	(477)
Drug Reimbrusements	30,757	35,272	(4,515)
Other Reimbursements	147,812	149,228	(1,416)
	$1,212,948	$1,137,451	$ 75,497

Operating Expense:			
Administrative	$ 219,996	$ 199,507	$ 20,489
Dietary	506,868	472,150	34,718
Household and Property	449,061	418,821	30,240
Health Services	497,244	472,060	25,184
	$1,673,169	$1,562,538	$110,631
Excess of Operating Expenses Over Income	$(460,221)	$(425,087)	$(35,134)
Other Income:			
Auxiliary	$ 8,760	$ 9,500	$(740)
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Auxiliary	$ 8,760	$ 9,500	$(740)
Junior Board	5,300	5,500	(200)
Endowment Fund	6,129	7,711	(1,582)
Miscellaneous	130	438	(308)
Interest	693	772	(79)
Corporation Grants	280,563	239,803	40,760
	$ 301,575	$ 263,724	$ 37,851
	$(158,646)	$(161,363)	$ 2,717
Other Expense:			
Commission and Taxes on Securities	$ -	$ 345	$(345)
Miscellaneous	4,324	1,741	2,583
Retirement of Fixed Assets	581	377	204
	$ 4,905	$ 2,463	$ 2,442
Excess of Expenses Over Income	$(163,551)	$(163,826)	$ 275

EXHIBIT "F"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

MANOR HOUSE

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	APRIL 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECREASE)
Operating Income:			
Monthly Guest Fees	$ 950,945	$ 905,683	$ 45,262
Dining Room Receipts	4,383	4,963	(580)
Medicare and Blue Cross Reimbursements	17,542	26,458	(8,916)
Physiotherapy Fees	3,975	4,585	(610)
Drug Reimbursements	70,963	74,631	(3,668)
Other Reimbursements	63,993	88,980	(24,987)
	$1,111,801	$1,105,300	$ 6,501
Operating Expenses:			
Administrative	$ 178,161	$ 167,546	$ 10,615
Dietary	460,641	484,842	(24,201)
Household and Property	384,972	373,652	11,320
Health Services	400,508	363,523	36,985
	$1,424,282	$1,389,563	$ 34,719
Excess of Operating Expense Over Income	$ (312,481)	$(284,263)	$(28,218)
Other Income:			
Auxiliary	$ 7,028	$ 7,700	$(672)
Junior Board	3,300	4,273	(973)
Interest	-	86	(86)
Sussex County Home Service	670	768	(98)
Endowment Fund	1,990	2,061	(71)

Miscellaneous	603	800	(197)
Corporate Grants	199,695	164,630	35,065
	$ 213,286	$ 180,318	$ 32,968
	$(99,195)	$(103,945)	$ 4,750
Other Expense:			
Miscellaneous	$ 10,435	$ 8,977	$ 1,458
Excess of Expenses Over Income	$10,435	$ 8,977	$ 1,458
	$(109,630)	$(112,922)	$ 3,292

EXHIBIT "G"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

GIFT ANNUITY AND LIFE INCOME FUND

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	APRIL 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECREASE)
Income —			
Interest - U. S. Treasury Bonds	$ 3,120	$ 3,110	$ 10
Interest - Savings Accounts	978	473	505
Interest - Corporate Bonds and Other Obligations	26,100	24,189	1,911
Dividends - Common Stock	20,318	17,472	2,846
Total Income	$ 50,516	$ 45,244	$ 5,272
Expenses —			
Custodians' Fees	$ 1,208	$ 1,109	$ 99
Miscellaneous	9	3	6
Total Expenses	$ 1,217	$ 1,112	$ 105
	$ 49,299	$ 44,132	$ 5,167
Other Income —			
Gain or Loss on Sale of Securities	$(3,544)	$(29,674)	$ 26,130
Termination of Annuities and Life Income Contracts	68,241	14,995	53,246
	$ 64,697	$(14,679)	$ 79,376
	$ 113,996	$ 29,453	$ 84,543
Other Expenses —			
Payment to Gift Annuitants	$ 43,308	$ 43,520	$(212)
Payment to Life Agreements	2,824	1,993	831
	$ 46,132	$ 45,513	$ 619
Fund Income (Loss)	$ 67,864	$(16,060)	$ 83,924
Fund Balance, May 1, 1976			$323,558
Add: Fund Income		$ 67,864	
Cancelled Checks		100	67,964
Fund Balance, April 30, 1977			$391,522

EXHIBIT "H"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

ENDOWMENT FUND

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	APRIL 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECEASE)
Income —			
Interest - U. S. Treasury Bonds	$ 4,162	$ 3,795	$ 367
Interest - Corporate Bonds	25,372	25,373	(1)
Interest - Savings Accounts	5,855	5,287	568
Interest - Commercial Paper	-	2,225	(2,225)
Dividends	21,130	15,574	5,556
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Securities	(7,088)	(17,570)	10,482
Total Income	$ 49,431	$ 34,684	$ 14,747
Expenses —			
Custodial Fees	$ 1,291	$ 1,244	$ 47
Miscellaneous	6	6	-
Total Expenses	$ 1,297	$ 1,250	$ 47
Net Income	$ 48,134	$ 33,434	$ 14,700

EQUITY

Balance, May 1, 1976		$1,182,070
Add: Additions to Principal	$ 91,425	
Net Income for Current Year	48,134	139,559
		$1,321,629
Less: Payments to Corporate Account	$ 26,260	
Payments to Country House - Restricted	6,129	
Payments to Manor House - Restricted	1,990	
Replacement Equipment - Funded Depreciation	32,973	
Walrath Chapel Fund	21,954	
Ambrose Transfer	2,400	
Corporate Transfer	7,702	99,408
Balance, April 30, 1977		$1,222,221

EXHIBIT "I"

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

POOLED INCOME FUND

STATEMENT OF INCOME FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDING

	APRIL 30, 1977	1976	INCREASE (DECREASE)
Income —			
Interest Income	$ 3,539	$ 3,538	$ 1
Expenses —			
Payments to Beneficiaries	3,541	3,536	5
Net Income (Loss)	$(2)	$(2)	$(4)

Fund Balance, May 1, 1976	$ 753
Add: Net Income (Loss) Current Year	(2)
Fund Balance, April 30, 1977	$ 751

PENINSULA UNITED METHODIST HOMES AND HOSPITALS, INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS APRIL 30, 1977

1. **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:**
   The financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.
   Fixed Assets are depreciated on a straight line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets.
   Investments are stated at cost.
   Fixed Assets donated are capitalized at the fair market value on the date of gift.
   Medicare reimbursements are recorded when received, therefore the accounts receivable do not reflect any monies due from this source.
2. **Investments:**
   Market Values of the investments at April 30, 1977 are summarized as follows:

	MARKET VALUE	UNREALIZED APPRECIATION (DEPRECIATION)
Endowment Fund	$1,122,755	$(21,805)
Annuity Fund	888,976	(71,784)
Pooled Income Fund	40,749	37

3. **Land, Buildings and Equipment** - At April 30, 1977 the cost of these assets were as follows:

	CORPORATE	COUNTRY HOUSE	MANOR HOUSE	COKESBURY
Land	$ -	$ 293,070	$ 115,111	$ 463,630
Buildings	-	4,978,575	3,193,159	-
Equipment	94,340	560,524	364,277	-
Construction	-	-	41,867	2,150,877
	$94,340	$5,832,169	$3,714,414	$2,614,507

   Depreciation is provided on the straight line basis and the amount charged for the years ended April 30, 1977 and April 30, 1976 was $281,937 and $278,862 respectively.
4. **Pension Plan:**
   The Corporation has a pension plan covering all eligible employees. The pension cost for the years ended April 30, 1977 and April 30, 1976 was $37,930 and $39,750 respectively. All past service costs are fully funded.
5. **Notes and Mortgages Payable:**
   The following notes and mortgages are owed at April 30, 1977.

Notes Payable:	
Philadelphia National Bank - Demand Construction Loan, 8¼%	$ 883,687
Clark Note	42,600
	$ 926,287
Mortgages Payable:	
Wilmington Trust Co., 6½% interest due monthly	$ 788,695
Wilmington Savings Fund Society, 5% interest. Principal and interest payable monthly in the amount of $13,220.	1,627,414
	$2,416,109

6. **Cokesbury Project:**
   The corporation has contracted for the construction of the Cokesbury Village retirement community at a total estimated cost of $22,300,000. The property, approximately 52 acres, is to secure up to a $16,000,000 construction loan with Philadelphia National Bank. Commitments for permanent financing in the amount of $13,500,000 will be obtained from various lending institutions.

VII. Historical

A. Record Of Past Conference Sessions

No.	Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
		Organizing Session		
1	Oct. 31, 1939	Salisbury, Md.	E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bicking
		Adjourned Session		
	May 15, 1940	Wilmington: Grace	E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bicking
		Special Session		
	Jan. 22, 1941	Dover: Wesley	A. W. Leonard	J. R. Bicking
	Oct. 31, 1944	Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	J. R. Bicking
	Sept. 15, 1949	Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
	June 12, 1950	Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
		Regular Session		
2	May 13, 1941	Wilmington: Union	A. W. Leonard	J. R. Bicking
3	May 13, 1942	Wilmington: McCabe	A. W. Leonard	J. R. Bicking
4	May 12, 1943	Wilmington: Union	R. J. Wade	J. R. Bicking
5	May 17, 1944	Wilmington: McCabe	E. H. Hughes	J. R. Bicking
6	May 16, 1945	Wilmington: St. Paul's	C. W. Flint	J. R. Bicking
7	May 15, 1946	Wilmington: McCabe	C. W. Flint	J. R. Bicking
8	May 14, 1947	Wilmington: Union	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
9	May 17, 1948	Wilmington: Union	Claire Purcell	W. L. Beckwith
10	May 12, 1949	Salisbury: Bethesda	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
11	May 18, 1950	Wilmington: Union	F. P. Corson	W. L. Beckwith
12	May 17, 1951	Dover: Wesley	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
13	May 15, 1952	Wilmington: Grace	C. W. Flint	W. L. Beckwith
14	May 14, 1953	Wilmington: Union	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
15	May 13, 1954	Wilmington: St. Paul's	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
16	May 12, 1955	Wilmington: Grace	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
17	May 24, 1956	Dover: Wesley	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
18	May 16, 1957	Wilmington: Grace	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
19	May 15, 1958	Wilmington: St. Paul's	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
20	May 14, 1959	Salisbury: Bethesda	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
21	May 19, 1960	Wilmington: Grace	G. B. Oxnam	W. L. Beckwith
22	May 18, 1961	Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
23	May 17, 1962	Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
24	May 16, 1963	Salisbury: Bethesda	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
25	May 21, 1964	Wilmington: Aldersgate	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
26	May 13, 1965	Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
27	May 19, 1966	Convention and Civic Center, Rehoboth Beach, Del.	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
28	May 18, 1967	Wilmington: Aldersgate	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
29	May 21, 1968	Easton: St. Marks	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
30	May 13, 1969	Salisbury: Asbury	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
31	May 26, 1970	Wilmington: Grace	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
32	May 25, 1971	Dover-Wesley College	J. W. Lord	W. L. Beckwith
33	May 30, 1972	Dover-Wesley College	J. W. Lord	C. A. Armour, Jr.
		Special Session		
	Oct. 1972	Salisbury-Bethesda	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.

No.	Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
		Regular Sessions		
34	May 22, 1973	Dover-Wesley College	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.
35	May 21, 1974	Dover-Wesley College	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.
36	May 20, 1975	Dover-Wesley College	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.
37	May 25, 1976	Dover-Wesley College	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.
38	May 24, 1977	Dover-Wesley College	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.
39	May 23, 1978	Dover-Wesley College	J. K. Mathews	C. A. Armour, Jr.

B. Roll Of The Honored Dead

DECEASED MINISTERIAL MEMBERS

"They Rest From Their Labors And Their Works Do Follow Them."

Entered Ministry	Name	Time Death	Place of Death	Age	Years Effective
1908	John W. Sutton	Apr. 11, 1939	Princess Anne, Md.	63	27
1886	Wm. R. Mowbray	Apr. 25, 1939	Wilmington, Del.	78	40
1907	Ransom P. Nichols	May 8, 1939	Salisbury, Md.	65	32
1876	Wilbur F. Corkran	May 10, 1939	Lewes, Del.	85	53
1833	Vaughn S. Collins	July 7, 1939	Wilmington, Del.	80	46
1885	Ellenzie C. Sunfield	Mar. 20, 1940	Wayne, N. J.	80	35
1892	John A. Wright	Nov. 17, 1940	Delmar, Del.	80	37
1918	A. F. Zimmerman	Dec. 21, 1940	Dover, Del.	47	22
1892	Clarence M. Cullen	Mar. 20, 1941	Lewes, Del.	78	43
1900	James L. Nichols	Apr. 2, 1941	Newark, Del.	70	29
1890	Melvin D. Nutter	Sept. 16, 1941	Newark, Del.	80	39
1881	John A. Rood	Apr. 1, 1942	Chesterville, Md.	89	35
1894	Henry G. Budd	Aug. 10, 1942	Dover, Del.	78	37
1902	James H. Gardner	Aug. 19, 1942	Salisbury, Md.	71	40
1876	Edmund J. Hoffecker	June 8, 1942	Easton, Md.	89	42
1895	Daniel J. Givan	Sept. 2, 1942	Snow Hill, Md.	77	45
1905	Jesse C. McCoy	Dec. 29, 1942	Rising Sun, Md.	68	37
1912	Wm. C. Mumford	Feb. 11, 1943	Salisbury, Md.	64	31
1887	James H. Wilson	June 6, 1943	Elsmere, Del.	80	39
1905	William R. Woodell	Jan. 19, 1944	Delmar, Del.	72	29
1914	Marion W. Marine	Feb. 18, 1944	Dover, Del.	59	30
1890	Virgil E. Rorer	June —, 1944	Jacksonville, Fla.	—	43
1896	Luther E. Poole	July 4, 1944	Snow Hill, Md.	74	38
1891	George P. Jones	Oct. 17, 1944	Mystic, Conn.	80	34
1895	Edward H. Collins	Aug. 13, 1944	Wilmington, Del.	75	39
1929	Clark S. Marshall	Dec. 31, 1944	Clayton, Del.	84	2
1892	Dorsey Blake	Mar. 20, 1945	Milford, Del.	80	52
1897	John W. Prettyman	May 14, 1945	Zion, Md.	80	39
1899	Thomas R. Woodford	June 21, 1945	Orlando, Fla.	73	37
1914	Norman C. Benson	July 21, 1945	Philadelphia, Pa.	70	31
1905	Daniel J. Ford	Oct. 23, 1945	Camden, Del.	75	30
1904	Frank M. Clift	Nov. 25, 1945	Springfield, Pa.	75	33
1902	James W. Colona	Apr. 24, 1946	Wilmington, Del.	74	41
1905	John T. Bailey	Sept. 27, 1946	Milford, Del.	74	33
1904	Joseph A. Buckson	Feb. 9, 1947	Rehoboth Beach, Del.	82	28
1903	George S. Thomas	Jan. 23, 1947	Tampa, Fla.	75	38
1910	Ziba Adams	Mar. 7, 1948	Port Republic, N. J.	75	32
1912	W. F. Bauscher	July 11, 1947	Baltimore, Md.	64	30
1897	C. P. Butler	Apr. 29, 1948	Seaford, Del.	80	47
1910	J. C. B. Hopkins	Jan. 25, 1948	Perryville, Md.	67	35
1914	Frank White	Dec. 27, 1947	Rising Sun, Md.	71	28
1897	William O. Bennett	Nov. 9, 1948	Felton, Del.	82	33
1903	Arthur W. Goodhand	Feb. 6, 1949	Wilmington, Del.	86	38
1910	Ernest C. Hallman	Sept. 22, 1948	Lewes, Del.	62	37
1909	Frank Herson	July 30, 1948	Milford, Del.	64	39
1897	Thomas S. Holt	Nov. 20, 1948	Federalsburg, Md.	76	14
1911	Oren B. Rice	Aug. 31, 1948	Trappe, Md.	76	28

1921	Francis R. Holland	May —, 1948	Salisbury, Md.	82	9
1903	William E. Habbart	Feb. 1, 1950	Wilmington, Del.	76	40
1893	George W. Hines	Mar. 28, 1950	Stewartstown, Pa.	80	51
1906	Benjamin M. Johns	Oct. 24, 1949	Unadilla, N. Y.	74	43
1898	Hugh B. Kelso	Mar. 11, 1950	Wilmington, Del.	74	47
1931	John H. Mark	Jan. 28, 1950	Bridgeton, N. J.	74	10
1900	William C. Poole	Dec. 24, 1949	Lewes, Del.	74	35
1912	Ivanhoe Willis	Sept. 21, 1949	Wilmington, Del.	76	27
1902	Oram T. Baynard	May 11, 1950	Dover, Del.	76	38
1908	Arthur L. Grey	May —, 1950	Easton, Md.	75	35
1904	John M. Kelso	May 19, 1950	Dover, Del.	72	41
1898	Frederick X. Moore	Sept. 4, 1950	Baltimore, Md.	76	23
1938	C. E. Ennis	June 16, 1952	Salisbury, Md.	39	13
1922	M. E. Dearholt	Dec. 24, 1951	Fayetteville, Pa.	58	25
1916	C. C. Harris	May 3, 1952	Easton, Md.	65	36
1902	W. E. Matthews	June 23, 1951	Smyrna, Del.	93	20
1914	F. K. McCorkle	Mar. 5, 1952	Blades, Del.	80	27
1918	J. T. Rowlenson	July 14, 1951	Dagsboro, Del.	67	33
1921	Milton S. Andrews	July 12, 1952	Wilmington, Del.	56	19
1896	Frank A. Holland	Mar. 6, 1952	Hurlock, Md.	82	40
1905	W. P. Roberts	Nov. 23, 1953	Mt. Airy, Md.	70	43
1899	George W. Dawson	Nov. 23, 1953	Middletown, Del.	80	40
1912	Charles M. Griffeth	Apr. 29, 1954	Baltimore, Md.	68	34
1917	Walter A. Hearn	Dec. 14, 1953	Wilmington, Del.	68	36
1927	Harvey O. Hufnal	May 2, 1954	Lewes, Del.	49	25
1913	Disston W. Jacobs	Nov. 4, 1953	Rehoboth Beach, Del.	67	30
1930	Lucian L. Powell	Oct. 2, 1953	Seaford, Del.	50	23
1884	William A. Wise	Dec. 2, 1953	Wilmington, Del.	91	46
1929	Asa E. Niceley	Mar. 15, 1955	Salisbury, Md.	63	23
1895	George A. Morris	Aug. 2, 1954	Salisbury, Md.	84	37
1893	John P. Outten	June 25, 1954	Laurel, Del.	85	40
1904	Edwin B. Taylor		Springfield, S. C.		
1909	John J. Bunting, Sr.	May 19, 1955	Hurlock, Md.	69	46
1927	John A. Clark	May 17, 1955	Wilmington, Del.	72	22
1947	Wilson Davis	Oct. 10, 1955	Easton, Md.	45	8
1922	Charles H. Hudson	Aug. 22, 1955	Wilmington, Del.	72	27
1899	John L. Johnson	Jan. 20, 1956	Smyrna, Del.	81	45
1924	Arthur E. B. Blundon	Dec. 25, 1956	Camden, Del.	63	32
1900	Howard Davis	Apr. 3, 1957	Lewes, Del.	84	38
1889	Vinal E. Hills	Jan. 25, 1957	Wilmington, Del.	90	47
1928	Frederick C. Louhoff	Nov. 24, 1956	Wilmington, Del.	70	27
1942	Thomas B. Brinton	Oct. 3, 1957	Wilmington, Del.	74	10
1898	Omar E. Jones	Dec. 10, 1957	Seaford, Del.	80	50
1912	George E. Sterling	Jan. 17, 1958	Wilmington, Del.	68	46
1911	David J. Moore	Nov. 13, 1958	Rich. Park, Del.	78	37
1906	John N. Sparklin	Aug. 22, 1958	Wilmington, Del.	87	36
1911	Charles W. Spry	Sept. 28, 1958	Dover, Del.	77	37
1908	Leonard White	June 13, 1958	Wilmington, Del.	77	35
1922	J. Harry Wright	May 30, 1958	Wilmington, Del.	67	29
1917	Charles H. Dobson	Sept. 13, 1959	Easton, Md.	82	16
1931	Richard M. Green	Mar. 1, 1960	Wilmington, Del.	56	27
1903	Walter E. Gunby	Apr. 20, 1960	Cambridge, Md.	82	41
1896	Leolan Jackson	June 8, 1959	Ridgely, Md.	85	43
1900	C. Nadal Jones	Aug. 13, 1959	Wilmington, Del.	86	42

1905	Howard R. McDade	Aug. 12, 1959	..Sharptown, Md.	81	16
1907	Wm. H. Revelle, Sr.	July 18, 1959	..Lewes, Del.	83	42
1886	George Emmett Wood	Jan. 10, 1960	..Dover, Del.	97	43
1923	Walter G. Barlow	Feb. 8, 1961	..Georgetown, Del.	85	19
1904	Edward J. Bond	Aug. 1, 1960	..Kennedyville, Md.	81	42
1900	Charles I. Flory		..Waynesboro, Va.		
1908	Jesse P. Landon		..Wayne, Michigan		31
1910	Thomas V. Sard	May 8, 1961	..Wilmington, Del.	85	37
1926	Harry V. Branford	Nov. 11, 1961	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	73	29
1912	Ollie H. Connelly	July 19, 1961	..Ocean Grove, N. J.	75	47
1930	W. James Ennis	Nov. 8, 1961	..Camden, Del.	56	14
1958	Charles M. Kelser	Feb. 6, 1962	..Easton, Md.	67	14
1905	Lewis B. Morgan	June 28,	..Claiborne, Md.		14
1917	Peter M. R. Schauer		..Wilmington, Del.		36
1922	Wingate D. Short	July 15, 1961	..Wilmington, Del.	70	22
1916	Roy T. Thawley	May 2, 1962	..Wilmington, Del.	69	41
1919	John H. Whedbee	Feb. 28, 1962	..Sherwood, Md.	74	33
1926	Charles W. Branford	Dec. 3, 1962	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	70	32
1941	John J. Bunting, Jr.	May 24, 1962	..Newark, Del.	42	21
1950	William F. Godwin		..Nokomis, Florida		10
1920	E. C. Graham		..Baltimore, Md.		32
1907	Oden E. James	Feb. 16, 1963	..Cambridge, Md.	86	16
1926	Otis P. Jefferson	May 13, 1963	..Hillcrest, Del.	66	36
1937	R. Ward Mills	July 19, 1962	..Chance, Md.	85	19
1922	Thomas C. Mulligan	June 29, 1962	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	67	39
1918	Robt. Spencer Hodgson	Oct. 12, 1963	..Felton, Del.	73	40
1898	John Wheelington Jones	Aug. 14, 1963	..Wilmington, Del.	92	45
	George F. Newton				
1908	James Thomas Price	May 4, 1964	..Cambridge, Md.	80	28
1914	Ralph H. Collis	Nov. 27, 1964	..Jacksonville, Fla.	66	43
1909	Marion E. Hungerford	Aug. 20, 1964	..Georgetown, Md.	84	36
1915	Ralph C. Jones	Mar. 19, 1965	..Wilmington, Del.	73	42
1907	Tilghman Smith	Sept. 20, 1964	..Wilmington, Del.	86	41
1923	Lawrence E. Wimbrow	May 21, 1964	..Salisbury, Md.	75	34
1922	Otho G. Brewer	Sept. 19, 1965	..Mardela Springs	68	40
1945	Rollan E. Ferry	May 4, 1966	..Wilmington, Del.	57	24
1891	Joseph H. Geoghegan	1965	..Wilmington, Del.	77	48
1912	R. C. Hughes	May 23,	..Wilmington, Del.		43
1921	Joseph B. Pettus	Apr. 19, 1966	..Lynchburg, Va.	75	37
1916	Otis B. Reed	Mar. 3, 1966	..Wyoming, Del.	82	38
1901	Charles R. Strausburg	Sept. 1, 1965	..Greenbelt, Md.	88	46
1954	Omar C. Jones	Mar. 6, 1967	..Dames Quarter, Md.	61	12
1937	Robert F. Loss	Jan. 20, 1967	..Wilmington, Del.	56	13
1916	John I. Peaco	Apr. 22, 1967	..Wilmington, Del.	91	40
1892	Clarence W. Strickland	May 4, 1967	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	99	42
1916	Lester E. Windsor	Aug. 8, 1966	..Frankford, Del.	73	38
1916	James P. Adams	Feb. 1, 1968	..Salisbury, Md.	81	22
1903	Thomas C. Jones	May 5, 1968	..Tilghman, Md.		44
1931	William H. Kohl	Dec. 14, 1967	..Salisbury, Md.	70	31
1916	Alexander Reid	May 4, 1968	..Cambridge, Md.	82	18
1943	Addison L. Smith	July 7, 1967	..Chestertown, Md.	60	
1929	Charles C. Thomas	Oct. 22, 1967	..Baltimore, Md.	59	38
1919	John W. Townsend	May 15, 1968	..Delmar, Del.	75	39
1907	John R. Bicking	Apr. 20, 1969	..Salisbury, Md.	85	45
1938	Harold Fordham	Feb. 1, 1969	..Clarksville, Del.	77	27

1919	J. Leas Green	Mar. 30, 1969	..Catonsville, Md.	73	44
1928	Robert E. Green	July 5, 1968	..Lewes, Del.		40
1926	William E. Marks	Dec. 29, 1968	..Dover, Del.	74	34
1946	Wm. C. R. Mills	Apr. 25, 1969	..Elsmere, Del.		20
1942	Geo. H. Pigueron, Jr.	Sept. 17, 1968	..Wilm., Del.	60	26
1926	Frank A. Baker	Aug. 7, 1969	..Salisbury, Md.	79	31
1952	Ira E. Doyle	Oct. 6, 1969	..Chestertown, Md.	55	17
1949	James R. Hughes	Nov. 15, 1969	..Wilmington, Del.	47	20
1919	Andrew T. McFarland	Oct. 24, 1969	..Crisfield, Md.	79	37
1946	Charles H. Molock				
1919	Earl M. Shockley	Apr. 23, 1970	..Wilmington, Del.	83	28
1926	Sidney B. Bradley	May 11, 1971	..Middletown, Del.	70	
1924	John E. Parker	Aug. 24, 1970	..Dover, Del.	80	37
1948	Harry R. Snead	July 25, 1970	..Wilm., Del.	60	22
1927	Isaac W. Wallace	June 21, 1970	..Easton, Md.	74	23
1907	William H. Briggs	June 16, 1971		89	
1921	J. Earl Cummings	July 26, 1971	..Wilm., Del.	72	
1917	William S. Grant		..Wilm., Del.		
1921	Henry G. Holdway	April 23, 1972	..Wilm., Del.	80	28
1923	Roy L. Jones	Jan. 17, 1972	..Cambridge, Md.	88	33
1910	Dayton E. McClain	Sept. 23, 1971	..Gainesville, Fla.	95	
1923	Louis C. Randall	Sept. 19, 1971	..Delmar, Del.	72	
1923	John A. Trader	Feb. 23, 1972	..Dover, Del.	74	
1918	John W. Wootten	Oct. 26, 1971	..Newark, Del.	81	
	William A. Hill	Nov. 11, 1971	..Sharptown, Md.	67	
	Denson H. Warrick	Dec. 28, 1971	..Brookview, Md.	63	
1914	W. J. McKee	Jan. 22, 1973	..Ireland		36
1912	J. O. Stanley	Sept. 1, 1972	..Upper Hill, Md.		53
1917	Ralph B. Thompson	Feb. 26, 1973	..Lewes, Del.	82	46
1931	J. C. Hanby	April 22, 1973	..Laurel, Del.	81	25
	Samuel E. Armstrong	Dec. 18, 1972	..Cambridge, Md.	85	
1930	Edward C. Justis	Nov. 19, 1972	..Parsonsburg, Md.	87	26
1950	Mrs. Carvilla M. Pinder	Oct. 30, 1972	..Hurlock, Md.	58	13
1944	Rayfield T. Wallace	Feb. 2, 1973	..Salisbury, Md.	76	21
1917	Charles H. Atkins	Feb. 13, 1974	..Viola, Del.	91	35
	Josephine Farrar	April 30, 1974	..Cambridge, Md.		28
1927	Conrad Hamer	Oct. 8, 1973	..Dover, Del.	75	37
	Robert L. Kirby	March 20, 1974	..Seaford, Del.	89	34
	Joshua W. Mickle	Jan. 5, 1974	..Milford, Del.	72	36
1962	Goodhand, V. Myers	Oct. 27, 1974	..Cecilton, Md.	61	13
	Snyder, Samuel	Sept. 9, 1974	..Templeville, Md.	65	
1936	Chas. S. Clarkson	Jan. 29, 1975	..Wilm., Del.	70	34
1936	Ira E. Crum	Jan. 30, 1975	..Salisbury, Md.	79	26
1906	Chas. M. Elderdice	May 28, 1974	..Westminster, Md.	88	50
1921	S. T. Hamblin	Jan. 1, 1975	..Wilm., Del.	85	36
1946	George T. Jackson	March 19, 1975	..Salisbury, Md.	85	14
1910	Melvin E. Wheatley	Feb. 10, 1975	..Rehoboth Beach, Del.	92	46
	Basil Chandler	Oct. 25, 1974	..Salisbury, Md.	39	
1969	Robt. W. Dennis	Oct. 27, 1974	..Fruitland, Md.	78	
1953	Leland B. Hall	Feb. 11, 1976	..Newark, Del.		23
1921	C. E. Davis	Dec. 30, 1975	..Seaford, Del.	86	37
1929	J. W. Elbert	Feb. 11, 1976	..Salisbury, Md.	75	44
1915	A. B. Frye	Jan. 30, 1976	..Salisbury, Md.	85	41
1918	E. W. Henvis	Dec. 11, 1975	..Onarcock, Va.	82	40
1920	G. E. Turner	January 1, 1976	..Uniontown, Md.	81	32

	D. M. Cogan	May 1, 1976	..Fishing Creek, Md.	36	1
1951	Alfred Jason Blundon	July 29, 1976	..Chestertown, Md.	50	26
1933	Stevenson, W. C. Crosse	April 4, 1977	..Wilmington, DE	67	43
1916	John Peter George	October 27, 1976	..Milton, DE	91	32
1925	Arthur T. P. Hudson	December 21, 1976	..Seaford, DE	98	25
	Calvin C. Byrd	August 8, 1977	..Bridgeville, DE	51	7
1922	Seldon G. Dix	January 10, 1978	..Baton Rouge, LA	83	38
1919	Guy E. Leister	November 17, 1977	..Salisbury, Md.	91	39
1927	Paul E. Reynolds	March 3, 1978	..Seaford, DE	88	37
1945	Joseph I. Williams	November 24, 1977			
1933	Ray Wainwright Kirwan	May 15, 1978	..Easton, Md.	73	37
	Charles H. Cottingham				
	Milton R. Elliott	November 8, 1977	..Seaford, DE	81	
	Clarence E. Wilkins	October 5, 1977	..Seaford, DE	85	

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CALVIN COOLIDGE BYRD

Calvin Coolidge Byrd, son of the late Caleb and Ruth Byrd, was born May 10, 1926 in Columbia, DE and departed this life on Friday, August 5, 1977 at the age of 51 years, two months, and 25 days.

He attended elementary and junior high schools at Columbia, DE; Paul Lawrence Dunbar, Laurel, DE; and continued his education at Delaware State College, Dover. While at Delstate, he was inducted into the Armed Forces, and he completed three years of active duty in the U. S. Navy.

Upon his return home, he continued to work and remained very active at the church where he worshipped, Mt. Nebo, and the local school.

God called Calvin into the ministry in 1962, and he received his elder's orders in May, 1968. He attended Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. He served the following pastorates: Delaware Conference - 1962-64, Seaford Circuit; Peninsula Conference - 1965-68, Smyrna; 1969-70, Millsboro-Friendship; and the last pastorate he served was the Bridgeville Circuit.

His ministry was outstanding in its fruits for other people. He was truly a "man for others." As a community minister, he founded the Bridgeville Senior Center, Inc., served as president of the Sussex County Branch of the NAACP, first vice-president of the State Branch, was a member of the State of Delaware Human Relations Commission, was a certified member of Volunteer-in-Probation of Sussex County Family Court, and was serving as chairperson of the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (R.S.V.P.) He was secretary of the Conference Board of Global Ministries, and a member of the Conference Board of Trustees and the Commission of Ecumenical and Interreligious Concerns.

Rev. Byrd was united in holy matrimony to Marie Boyer of Rehoboth Beach, DE. Together they were very active in serving the public whenever called upon to do so. There was strong unity in their work.

His survivors are his loving and devoted wife, Marie; a step-daughter, Valerie Boyer; five brothers, James, Quantico, MD; Joseph, Laurel, DE; and Leonard, Marvin and Arthur of NY; three sisters, Lucille Bacon and Pauline Spivey of Columbia; Priscilla Turner, Brooklyn NY; and a foster sister, Faustina Galls of Columbia, DE; two uncles and a host of other relatives and friends.

Remembrance is a golden chain death tries to break, but all in vain.
To have, to love, and then to part is the greatest sorrow of one's heart.
The years may wipe out many things, but this they wipe out never,
The memory of all those happy days, when we were all together.

Sadly missed and sorrowfully submitted,
Marie Boyer Byrd

SELDON GEORGE DIX

Seldon George Dix, son of the late Addison and Clara Fields Dix was born January 24, 1894 at Unionville, Pocomoke City, MD. He departed this life Tuesday, January 10, 1978 at Lady of the Lake Hospital, Baton Rouge, LA following a lengthy illness.

He was educated in Unionville Elementary School, Princess Ann Academy and completed divinity studies at Gammon Theological Seminary in Atlanta, GA, graduating in the class of 1922.

He was united in holy wedlock to Ellis Adams of Preston, MD and from this union came four children: William Grant, Gloria, Seldon, Jr. and Richard, who died at birth.

He was ordained in the Delaware Conference of the Methodist Church and served the following pastorates: Oriole, MD; Wittman, MD; Galena, MD; Cambridge, MD; Salem, NJ; Atlantic City, NJ; Brooklyn, NY; Laurel Circuit; and Bridgeville-Trinity Charge.

From the outset of his ministry, Rev. Dix integrated his preaching with the life problems of his church membership. He helped his parishioners by furnishing scriptural teaching, spiritual comfort, Christian counseling and practical information in Education, Law and insurance.

His deep concern for people spurred him in actions to support his convictions when his parishioners were unable to purchase adequate health insurance. He became the first black agent for a major health insurance company and provided policy coverage to 2500 members. Following the desegregation of seating on Red Star Line buses, Rev. Dix requested and was granted by the president of the company unlimited access on buses to assure the company that its drivers complied with the law.

He was an exceptional husband and father, setting a living example for his children to follow. He had an engaging personality and was ever ready to strike a conversation with all he met. He spoke in a convincing manner and inspired others to believe in him and in themselves. He will sorely be missed by all who knew him.

He leaves to mourn his passing, three children: William Grant Dix of Bridgeville, DE; Mrs. Gloria D. Chapman of Baton Rouge, LA; and Seldon Dix, Jr. of Roosevelt, Long Island, NY; five grandchildren; Angela and David Dix, Seldon Chapman, Attorney Carl Chapman, Jr. and Dr. Jacqueline Dix; one great-grandchild, Erin Danielle Chapman; one brother, Luther Dix of Pocomoke, MD; one son-in-law, Carlyle Chapman, Sr.; two daughter-in-laws, Mrs. Anna C. Dix, and Mrs. Elizabeth C. Dix. Also, many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Sorrowfully submitted,
The Family

MILTON RAY ELLIOTT

Milton R. Elliott was born December 21, 1895 in Bridgeville, DE. He was the son of Joshua Bert Elliott and Ida (Evans) Elliott.

He attended school in Bridgeville, DE and Seminar School in Williamsport, PA.

He served pastorates in Williamsburg, Bishop's Head, Deal Island, Stockton-Girdletree and Galestown all in Maryland. In the state of Delaware he served Farmington, Milton, Harrington and Seaford. He retired in 1972 from Powellville, MD.

He was married to Bertha (Mumford) Elliott on November 20, 1937. He had the following children, Joshua D. Elliott, Laurel, DE; (Howard R. Elliott, deceased); Helen E. Poole, Preston, MD; Louise E. Walls, Laurel, DE; M. Samuel Elliott, Laurel, DE; and Vaughn R. Elliott, Laurel, DE.

He died at Nanticoke Hospital, November 18, 1977 of bronchial pneumonia. His funeral was held at Centenary United Methodist, Laurel, DE, Sunday, November 20th and he was laid to rest in St. Stephen's Cemetery, Delmar, DE with the Rev. Otho G. Brewer officiating.

He was a devoted minister to all he served and indeed a wonderful husband and father to his family.

M. Samuel Elliott, Son

WILLIAM STANLEY GRANT

William Stanley Grant was born September 19, 1886 near Cherry Hill, MD. Early in life he gave his heart to the Lord and became a dedicated Christian young man. Soon he felt the call to the Christian ministry and started to preach the gospel. He graduated from Asbury College in Wilmore, KY and from there went to Drew Theological Seminary in Madison, NJ.

Upon completion of his seminary course, he began his ministry in 1917 in the Wilmington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Stanley Grant gave 50 years of his life in faithful service to the Lord in the Methodist Church. The following Delaware Churches were blessed with his Ministry: Little Creek,

Houston, Ocean View, Rehoboth Beach, Dagsboro, and Epworth and Trinity Churches in Wilmington. He was the faithful pastor of these churches in MD: Rock Hall, Salem, Church Hill, and Harmony. He served two appointments in VA: Tangier Island in the Chesapeake Bay and Susan in the beautiful mountain area of the State. After his retirement in 1951, he served as assistant pastor at Asbury Methodist Church, Salisbury, MD.

He married Florence L. Howell of Wilmington in 1904. The death angel visited his home in 1932 and took from him this faithful companion of the years. In 1933 he married Ada P. Turpin, who is now a guest in the Fairfax Nursing Home, Fairfax, VA.

In addition to his wife he is survived by four sons: Leonard, Russell, and Bayard — all of Wilmington and Harold of Palm Beach, FLA. There are two daughters, Mrs. Esther Dawson of Wilmington, and Mrs. Gladys James of Millsboro, DE. His other descendants are 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Another son, Stanley Grant, Jr. died June 22, 1971 while working as a counsellor at Camp Pecometh near Centreville, MD.

After his retirement from the active ministry, Rev. and Mrs. Grant moved to Lewes, DE and spent 17 years in their beautiful home just at the entrance of the resort area.

Rev. Stanley Grant died July 1, 1971 in Longwood Villa, Boothwyn, PA, after a long illness. He was 85 years of age.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, July 6th at 2:00 P.M. from the Spicer-Mullikin Funeral Home, Du Pont Parkway and East Van Buren Ave., Wilmington Manor, DE. The writer of this Memoir, James F. Langrall conducted the funeral service and brought the message of the hour. He was assisted by two retired ministers of the Peninsula Conference, Rev. Charles Adkins and Rev. A.T.P. Hudson. The body of Stanley Grant was laid to rest in the Cherry Hill, MD Methodist Cemetery. His Spirit went out in triumph to meet the God whom he served so faithfully for many years.

William Stanley Grant was a faithful Witness of Jesus Christ. He preached Scriptural holiness and practiced it in his daily life. He proclaimed the Gospel of Full Salvation from sin and experienced what he preached. In his long and fruitful ministry he led many Souls to the foot of the cross, where Jesus' Blood Cleanses from all sin. Brother Grant was a very dear friend of the writer of this memoir. He preached many times in our pulpit and always lifted up Jesus Christ in His mighty saving power. His race of life is now ended and the battle of life has been fought and won. The weary pilgrim of Earth has now entered into the Presence of his Lord. And there some day we hope to meet him again where all is Peace and Joy forevermore.

James F. Langrall

RAY WAINWRIGHT KIRWAN

Ray Wainwright Kirwan was born in Tyaskin, Wicomico County, MD on November 6, 1904, the eldest son of William Bain and Martha (Wainwright) Kirwan. From early childhood, Ray showed promising signs of tremendous interest in and love of people. As he grew older, this interest and love became more manifest. At an early age, he came to know Christ more intimately and personally through a vitalizing experience we call conversion. He soon came to feel that the Lord was calling him to a more dedicated life in the Christian ministry through the Methodist Church. He thus began to prepare himself for such a daring challenge by trying to get the necessary education to be admitted to the Wilmington Annual Conference.

Ray received his first education from his mother, who was a truly dedicated Christian woman, and then more formally in the public schools of Wicomico County. He then entered and was graduated from the Wesley Collegiate Institute in Dover, DE in 1932 in which year he was admitted to the Wilmington Annual Conference. He was ordained deacon in 1934 and elder in 1936.

Before completing his formal education, while a student, he was appointed to the Powellville Charge on the Salisbury District under the superintendency of Dr. Edward I. Dashiell in 1925. This temporarily interrupted his schooling and accounts for the missing

link in his graduation from the Wesley Collegiate Institute. It was while he was pastor of his first appointment that he met, courted and married his wife, Alberta Truitt of Willards, Maryland on July 15, 1925. From this marriage were born two children, Robert L. now a Major General in the U. S. Army stationed at and in command of Fort Ord, CA and Dorothy M. Bush, a beautician, residing in Easton, MD.

For forty-four years Ray served the church faithfully. He was appointed to the following charges consecutively: Powellville, Annamessex, Farmington, Cheswold, Queenstown, Bishopville, Greensboro, Clayton (St. Paul's), Easton (Calvary), Goldsboro, Dagsboro (Bethel), Houston, and Nassau where he remained until he retired in 1970. He and his wife made their home in Lynch Heights near Milford. But even in retirement, he still loved the Church and people, serving as guest preacher, officiating at marriages, baptisms, and funerals.

Ray Kirwan was not born great, nor did he have greatness thrust upon him. He never achieved greatness in the eyes of the world, but that lump of mortal clay achieved a kind of greatness that most people would give their all to possess, and that came through his devotion, his dedication and his love of people. "He who would be great must be servant of all." Ray was truly that kind of servant, for he was beloved by all who knew him. The best of his ability was always bestowed upon those whom he served, and the fruits of his labors are still in evidence. A Methodist minister today is one of those fruits, for he was drawn into the ministry through the love and labors of this truly good man of God.

The subject of this memorial was a down-to-earth man. He saw through the eyes of others. He rejoiced with those who had occasion to rejoice and he wept with those who knew sorrow and frustration. Thus he knew no enemies, for those who knew him loved him. This, perhaps, was the secret of his success and fulfillment and his works follow him.

Being mortal Ray was like the rest of us. There were times of hardships, self-denials, frustrations, and financial binds as those of us who lived through the Great Depression well know. But, like most of us, he overcame all obstacles and was better for having gone through the fires that purify. It was during his times of trials that he was given the honor and distinction of serving as chaplain to both houses of the Delaware legislature and the Maryland senate.

If any phrase can sum up a man's career and character, it may be said of Ray that he was a man of the people and they reciprocated by loving him.

In August of 1977 Ray suffered a mild stroke. On May 3, 1978 he entered Easton Memorial Hospital for an operation which was successful, but he suffered another stroke, went into a coma and died May 15, 1978.

A memorial service was conducted for Rev. Kirwan on May 18, 1978 at the Avenue United Methodist Church in Milford, DE, with the Rev. Frank Lucia officiating, assisted by other ministers whom he loved dearly. Interment was in Spring Hill Cemetery in Easton, MD.

Surviving, in addition to his wife and children are two brothers; Clinton of Salisbury and Morgan of Tyaskin, three grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Through many dangers, toils and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

This is his legacy and challenge to us.

The Family

GUY EVERHART LEISTER

The Rev. Guy Everhart Leister was born November 24, 1886, near Union Mills, Carroll County, MD. He was the son of Annie M. Everhart and James Frederick Leister. He and Ruth Klein were joined in marriage June 22, 1920.

Guy Leister was one of the most devoted Christians I have ever known. He and his wife were an ideal couple in the parish ministry. I first met him in 1915 at Western Maryland College where he graduated in 1916. He lived about two miles from the college to which he walked most of the time, taking a local train when it suited his schedule.

Three children were born to this marriage: Klein Gill Leister of Pocomoke City, MD; Betty Leister Laws of Snow Hill, MD; and Carolyn Leister Godfrey (wife of a minister of the Peninsula Conference) of Dover, DE.

After his graduation from college, he studied at Westminster Theological Seminary (now Wesley) and received his B.D. degree in 1919. He served the following churches: Greenbush and Tasley, Federalsburg, Bethany in Pocomoke City, Grace Church in Centreville, Clayton, and Bethel Church in the Dover District. He retired in 1958.

His loved ones will always carry the warmest memory of a truly great Christian. His family is now extended for there were born to his children four girls and four boys, and to them, two great-grandchildren.

Guy Leister served faithfully in committee work and special assignments, most notably that of Conference Statistician.

Services were held at the Millsboro Church conducted by District Superintendent William H. Revelle and Pastor William H. Hudson. The persons who gathered for the occasion had absolute confidence that Guy Leister was present with us and that his spirit will always abide with those who knew him.

Bishop Fred G. Holloway

PAUL EDWARD REYNOLDS

Born on March 7, 1898, in Covington, Kentucky, Paul Edward was the son of the late Paul Benton and Sadie Thompson Reynolds. The family with seven children moved to Maryland by way of New York, and from childhood Paul learned the lessons of farming. Those who knew him will remember him as a gardener who got real satisfaction from preparing the soil, planting seed, cultivating and harvesting good fruit. These same principles of gardening he applied to his Christian life.

When he felt led to the ministry there were no personal funds, but he found that through faith and with diligent effort God would provide the means to pursue an education. He graduated from Wesley Collegiate Institute, Ohio Wesleyan University and Drew Seminary. His experiences of faith assured him that God is able to meet every genuine need.

In 1927 Paul joined the Conference. The same year he married Evelyn M. Cooke, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. George A. Cooke. Appointments they served were Vienna, Hillcrest, North East, Chestertown, Pocomoke City, New Castle, St. Michaels, and Clarksville. After retirement in 1964, he was named first curator of Barratt's Chapel in Frederica. While there he was also pastor of nearby Woodside Church and later filled the pulpit of Wyoming for a brief period.

His life was witness to what he believed and his example was an inspiration. He was humble and wanted only to serve his Lord and fellowman with little regard for self. He was not spared heartache. Evelyn had years of illness and his son, Allan, died at the age of 29. But never did bitterness blot out his devotion to God who walked with him each day. Many Christian friends helped support the family on numerous occasions. In visiting with parishoners he could relate to those in need and give comfort and strength because he had found it for himself. No task seemed too difficult as he labored for the Lord.

After Evelyn's death in Dover in 1971 he moved to Federalsburg in 1973 when he married Esther A. Russell whom he had known since boyhood. As his health failed, Esther's loving care sustained him until his final days when he entered the Methodist Manor House in Seaford. He had longed to hear "the call" welcoming him to his heavenly home. On March 3, 1978, he passed from this earthly journey — a step closer to hearing those familiar words "Well done, thou good and faithful servant . . . enter into the joys of thy Lord." Those of us who knew him best will find the memory of him will always challenge us to be good and to serve others with love and kindness.

Services were held at Union United Methodist Church, Federalsburg, and interment at Olivet Cemetery in St. Michaels. Those officiating were Rev. Charles Huffman, Rev. Felton May and Rev. Douglas Milbury.

Rev. Reynolds is survived by his wife, Esther, 2 daughters (Barbara Pab of Seoul, Korea and Ruth White of Springfield, VA), 4 grandchildren and 3 sisters.

Affectionately,
The Family

CLARENCE EDWARD WILKINS

Clarence Edward Wilkins was born on September 9, 1892 in Sussex County, Delaware the son of Robert Edward and Jennie A. Brittingham Wilkins. He received his early education in the Phillips School and the Millsboro School, Delaware. Then, in preparation for a teaching career, he attended summer school at the University of Delaware and received a teaching certificate in 1911. Following his decision to spend a part of his time as a pastor of the local Methodist Church he participated in the Summer Course of Study School at the Westminster Theological Seminary (now Wesley).

Clarence's teaching experience took place in Sussex County, Delaware: Mission School and Phillips School 1911-1918, Mitchell School 1918-1919, Phillips Hill School 1919-1920. These are all located near Millsboro, Delaware. Other Sussex County Schools in which he taught were: Lincoln School 1921-1924, Dagsboro School 1925-1932, Hollymount School 1932-1937, Lord Baltimore School 1937-1947, Millsboro School 1947-1951. In 1951 he retired from teaching.

Clarence Wilkins' Christian life and experience had its beginning in a home which was concerned about the religious training of children. At the age of fifteen (15) he attended Carey's Camp as he had done many times and had a conversion experience which laid the groundwork for his zeal and enthusiasm for serving the Lord. Following this experience he joined Carey's Church in 1907 and served as Church School Superintendent for many years. He later became the Lay Leader, a member of the Pastor-Parish Relations Committee and Trustees. As a member of the Committee of Trustees of Carey's Camp he was instrumental in maintaining this camp meeting as a source of spiritual help, strength and training for many people. He served as Chairman of this committee for a number of years. During these years in Sussex County he became a leader of an interdenominational youth work and helped many young people find their faith in God and their goals in life. There never seemed to be any limit to the energy and desire to work for the God who had meant so much to him, and so he received his first Local Preacher's License in 1925. Pursuing his studies in this field, he was ordained Deacon in 1954 and Elder in 1956. While still maintaining his teaching position in the local schools Clarence served the Gumboro Charge from December 1944 to May 1950, the Whitesville Charge 1951-1957 and Kenton 1957-1958. In 1958 he retired from the ministry and lived in Millsboro, Delaware. His activities during his period of retirement were limited due to a heart condition resulting from a first heart attack in 1956 and a second in 1960. Although it was very difficult for him to carry on the work of teaching and pastoring churches, Clarence retained a warm, loving, pastoral concern for everyone he had the opportunity to meet. He loved young people and always saw that they had an opportunity to use their talents in the life of the church. Many young people were encouraged to speak, to write, and to serve in many capacities through his leadership. It was the personal interest and concern for this kind of development in young people that helped the writer decide for the Christian ministry. Clarence's pastoral guidance during this time of decision led the young man to understand his call to the ministry, a call that has strengthened him through many years of pastoral work.

Clarence Wilkins married A. Ruth Dorey on September 16, 1922 and of this marriage one son was born, Edward R. Wilkins, pastor of St. Luke's United Methodist Church in Denton. Mrs. Wilkins' current address is R.D. 3, Box 470, Millsboro, Delaware 19966. During his lifetime Clarence was much interested in farming, gardening and flowers. He also had a strong inclination for art, especially painting. Music, which was always so much a part of his life, played a very important role in his life as minister and teacher. Always, as a lay person, church work was one of his favorite pastimes. He retained many of these interests at heart as long as he could until his death on October 5, 1977 at Nanticoke Memorial Hospital after an extended illness. Officiating at his funeral service on October 8, 1977 in Carey's United Methodist Church, Millsboro, Delaware were The Reverend William Hudson, The Reverend William Revelle and The Reverend Gerald Henderson. Burial was in Carey's Cemetery.

Servant of God, well done!
Thy glorious warfare's past;
The battle's fought, the race is won,
And thou art crowned at last.
—Charles Wesley

The Reverend Roy B. Phillips
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Spouses

LUCY S. ANDERSON

Lucy S. Anderson, widow of Clarence L. Anderson, the daughter of the late Amos and Sarah Allen, was born at Stockton, MD and departed this life on April 2, 1971 in Philadelphia, PA.

The early years of her life were spent in Stockton, and after completing her schooling moved to Atlantic City, NJ where she resided until being married to the late Reverend Clarence Lee Anderson of the former Delaware Conference. Born to this union were four children, two sons and two daughters. One son, Paul Nathaniel, preceded her in death.

Lucy was a faithful and devoted member of Zoar United Methodist Church, Philadelphia for thirty years following the death of her husband. She was an active member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, serving as an officer in several capacities; member of the choir, Parsonage Committee, Church School, and Maryland Club. She was an active member of the Ministers' Wives Association of the Philadelphia District and the Delaware Annual Conference. She had a wonderful personality and was loved by many people.

She leaves to mourn her passing: a son, William Vaughn, Chief Warrant Officer, U.S. Army; two daughters, Sylena A. Ferrell and Revella E. Anderson; four step-children, Harley and Milton Anderson, Mrs. Cardelia A. Overton, and Mrs. Helen A. Johnson; a grandchild, Yolanda Anderson; three sisters, Mesdames Mary A. Jones, Mabel Cullen, and Helen Hoes; three brothers, Stanley, Amos, and Alvin Allen; nieces, nephews, and a host of friends.

God made a lot of beautiful things,
Sunset and roses and trees,
Birds and starlight and loyal friends,
And after He made all these . . .
He gave to the earth a gift more rare;
More loving and more true
Of all God's gifts, the one most rare
A mother as dear as she.

Lovingly,
The Family

LULA MAE BAILEY ANDERSEN

Mrs. Lula Mae Andersen, of Massey, Maryland, widow of the late Reverend John H. Andersen, died at The Union Hospital of Cecil County, Elkton, MD, on Wednesday, October 8, 1975, after a brief illness.

Mrs. Andersen was born in Cambridge, MD, September 20, 1888, and was the daughter of Samuel Oscar and Esther Burton Watson. Her education was received in the public schools of Cambridge.

On October 23, 1906 she was married to John H. Andersen in Cambridge, MD, where they lived for a number of years. They later moved to Salisbury, MD and while members of Asbury Methodist Church in Salisbury, Mr. Andersen was granted a local preacher's license. After completing the prescribed Conference course of study, he began his ministry in the Peninsula Conference.

Mrs. Andersen graciously asssumed her role as a parsonage wife and mother, finding her greatest joy in the making of a home.

The churches they served were Willards and Church Creek, MD; Dagsboro, Greenwood, Kenton and Hartly, DE; and Fairlee and Burrsville, MD.

After her husband's death on June 2, 1965, Mrs. Andersen continued to live in their home in Massey, MD. She was a member of Asbury United Methodist Church in Millington, MD.

Surviving are six sons: John, of Charleston, South Carolina; Carl and Robert of Tampa, Florida; Alfred, of Huntington Beach, California; Charles of Hartford, Connecticut; and Daniel of Miami, Florida; one sister, Mrs. Elsie Bailey Callaway, of Harrington, DE; twenty-three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held in the Fellows Funeral Home in Millington, MD on October 11, 1975 at eleven o'clock, and was conducted by her pastor, Rev. Terry Armstrong. The interment was in the family plot at Greenlawn Cemetery in Cambridge, MD, with the Rev. William H. Owens, officiating.

GERTRUDE D. CONNELLY

On Thursday, March 30, 1978, Gertrude Dempsey Connelly was buried in Ebenezer Cemetery, near Newark, DE, next to her late husband, the Rev. Olie H. Connelly. Her funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Edward M. Gladden, pastor of Calvary United Methodist Church located in Wilmington, DE.

Gertrude died in Ocean Grove, N.J. on March 26th, after a long illness. She was ninety years of age.

She and Olie had moved to Ocean Grove in 1959 following Olie's retirement after forty-seven years of service in the old Wilmington Conference and the Peninsula Conference.

Gertrude assisted her husband as he served as pastor to churches at: Piney Neck, MD; Christiana, DE; Claymont DE; Roxanna, DE; Colora, MD; Millington, MD; Townsend, DE; the former Epworth M.E. Church in Wilmington, DE; Dagsboro, DE; Lewes, DE; Berlin, MD; Middletown, DE; Tilghman, MD; Allen, MD; and Willards, MD.

In his memoirs her husband lovingly stated that she had a "splendidly trained soprano voice and was an accomplished organist." Consequently, she was often called upon to render musical selections as well as serve as choir director and organist during her many years of service to her Lord, whom she deeply loved. She also taught Sunday School and was active in the Eastern Star, W.C.T.U. and other church organizations. She taught piano to private students.

The Rev. and Mrs. Connelly had three children; Walton Theodore Connelly, who died on July 18, 1947, Mary Elizabeth Reasin, who lives with her husband in Rockledge, FL, and Carolyn May Harrison, with whom she lived in Ocean Grove, NJ, and who faithfully cared for her during the later years of her life.

On June 27, 1912 Gertrude and Olie began a married life which was to last nearly a half century.

Prior to her marriage she resided in the town of Galena, MD, with her parents, Theodore Dempsey and Mary Elizabeth Duhamel Dempsey.

She had received training in voice and piano at the Peabody Institute in Baltimore, MD,

and she attended school at Shrewsbury Academy in Galena.

Gertrude Dempsey Connelly was born in Ocosta, Washington on January 30, 1888.

Jesus, Lover of my soul,
Let me to Thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempest still is high;
Hide me, O my saviour, hide,
Till, the storm of life is past,
Safe into the haven guide,
O, receive my soul at last!

Donald P. Conelly, Grandson
For the Family

MRS. SADIE DEVRON

Mrs. Sadie Devron, daughter of the late Marcellus and Bessie Wright was born in Roanoke, Virginia, September 15, 1887, and died in Philadelphia, PA on January 3, 1976.

Mrs. Devron married the late Rev. Walter T. B. Devron in 1932. He went to his eternal rest in 1937. He served in what is now the Peninsula Conference. After his death she joined Haven Methodist Church and served through the former Wesleyan Service Guild.

Her career in Philadelphia was one of interest in people. She was appointed by Mayor Kendrick to the Bureau of Health — Division of Child Hygiene at the former Douglass Hospital. She was supervisor of Social Service and a member of Philadelphia General Social Service.

She was an active member of the Neighborhood Progressive Club; and the National Freedom Day Committee as long as her health would allow. For a long time she served as chairperson of the 32nd Ward Republican Club. She also was a member of the Quaker City Elks, Keystone Temple #448.

She leaves to mourn a nephew, Marcellus Coles of Long Island, New York; cousins, Reginald Coles of Newton, Massachusetts, Elmer Coles and Ruth Jackson of Philadelphia; her nurse, Miss Mary Catherine Adams, who served her so faithfully for a long period of time, and a host of friends.

Now the laborer's task is o'er, now the battle day is past;
Now upon the further shore lands the voyager at last;
There the tears of earth are dried; there the hidden things are clear;
There the work of life is tried, by a juster judge than here.
Earth to earth, and dust to dust; calmly now the words we say;
Left behind, we walk in trust for the resurrection day.
Father, in Thy gracious keeping; leave we now Thy servant sleeping . . .

The Family

BESSIE B. McALLISTER HANBY

Bessie B. McAllister Hanby, daughter of Lewis McAllister and Eva Brewster McAllister, was born in the Christiana Area of Wilmington, Delaware on August 10, 1892. Her early childhood and her maturing have been lost in antiquity as she and her family moved in and about the area working on various farms. In June of 1915 she married Jacob Carroll Hanby. This union was blessed with four children. In 1925 she joined her husband, and served with him in the "traveling connection" at Powellville, Maryland; Westover, Maryland; Mardela, Maryland; Cheswold, Delaware; Houston, Delaware; Mt. Pleasant Charge, Laurel, Delaware; Townsend, Delaware; Sudlersville, Maryland; Old Asbury, Wilmington,

Delaware; and Minquadale, Delaware. Brother Hanby's traveling days were cut short by ill health and he took early retirement at Bacons near Delmar, Delaware.

The change of pace helped both of them, and he did supply work at Blades, Delaware and Frederica, Delaware. Like so many helpmeets her role was one of quietness. Her support of her husband was always evidenced in her willingness to serve so effectively with him. Her contributions were so quietly a part of his ministry that they were often overlooked by those outside of the parsonage. Her love, quietness, and inner strength were evidences of the love she had for her Lord and His love flowed through her to spread throughout the parsonage and beyond. Her ministry was one of quiet blessings through the use of needle and thread, and this was further strengthened by her culinary ability. To sit at her table was a blessing.

Possibly the writer of Proverbs had her in mind when he wrote:

"An excellent wife, who can find?
For her worth is far above jewels"

(Proverbs 31:10 New American Standard Version)

And like Peter and John at the Beautiful Gate, she often found gold and silver in short supply, but what she had she willingly and graciously shared. Who ever shared "Miss Bessie's" sticky buns never doubted her ability to turn the ordinary things into something sumptuously special.

Following the homegoing of her husband she resided at the Courtland Manor Nursing Home in Dover, Delaware. Early in the morning of March 11, 1978, she departed this life as she had lived it, very quietly and very peacefully.

Services were held at the St. George's Church, Mt. Pleasant Charge, Laurel, Delaware, on March 14th with the Reverend Robert G. Kelly officiating. The committal services were conducted at the Chester-Bethel Church, Wilmington, Delaware with the Reverend Gerald Henderson officiating. Her earthly remains were laid to rest in the Chester-Bethel Cemetery to await the return of her Lord and Savior to take the saints home and begin His rule here on earth as the King of Glory.

She is survived by four children, eleven grandchildren, and eight-great-grandchildren.

— Robert G. Kelly.

CORA ETHEL (HILL) FRYE

Cora Ethel (Hill) Frye was born on October 12, 1890 at Pinson, Randolph County, North Carolina. She was the oldest of four children in the family of Isam Wilson and Arminda Minerva (Russell) Hill.

Her early childhood was spent in a very rural section of North Carolina where her father operated a general store and the U.S. Post Office for that area. She attended the local school and, eventually, in preparation for a teaching career, she enrolled at Misenheimer School (Mitchell Home), Misenheimer, North Carolina. Returning then to her home area, she taught elementary school for a few years.

It was on January 1, 1919 that Cora Hill married Alpha B. Frye, a young Methodist Minister whom she met while they both were enrolled at Misenheimer School. While she was busy teaching, Alpha Frye had begun his ministry in 1915 in the Blue Ridge Atlantic Annual Conference, serving churches in eastern North Carolina.

In May 1919, Cora and Alpha Frye moved from North Carolina to the Eastern Shore of Maryland where he joined the Wilmington Annual Conference of the Methodist Church (now the Peninsula Annual Conference). For fifty-seven years, they worked together in the Methodist ministry, sharing the joys and enduring the disappointments, while serving ten charges on the Delmarva Peninsula from Wilmington, Delaware to Crisfield, Maryland. The last twenty years of their ministry following retirement, was in the capacity of an associate minister at Asbury United Methodist Church in Salisbury, Maryland.

Cora and A. B. Frye were the parents of four children, who are: Loren H. and A. Branson, both of Wilmington, Delaware; Gleason F. of Greenwich, Connecticut; and Maida E. of Charlotte, North Carolina.

Cora Frye was an ideal mother and minister's wife. She was a devout christian lady who not only supported the parish ministry of her husband, but provided an ideal home environment for the family. She was best known for her sweet disposition and compassionate attitude toward all with whom she came in contact.

Following the death of Rev. A. B. Frye in January, 1976, Cora continued to live in her home at 1311 Taney Avenue, Salisbury, Maryland so long as her health permitted. After a five months residency in the Episcopal Church Home, (a nursing care facility) Wilmington, Delaware, she died there on January 7, 1978. The Rev. Howell O. Wilkins officiated at the funeral service which was held at Gracelawn Memorial Park, New Castle, Delaware, where she was interred beside her husband.

Surviving Mrs. Frye, in addition to her four children, are a sister, Lela Luther of Thomasville, North Carolina, seven grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

The Family

MRS. MARY V. HYLAND

There's an open gate by the side of the road,
Thro' which each must go alone,
And there's a path we cannot see,
Our Father claims His Own.

Beyond this gate our loved one
Finds happiness and rest,
And there's comfort in the thought
That a loving God knows best.

Mrs. Mary V. Hyland, daughter of the late Elizabeth and William Long was born May 28, 1879 in Whitehaven, MD. Her husband, the late Rev. Monie Hyland of Salisbury. Mrs. Hyland was an active long time member of St. James A.M.E. Zion Church. Her health failed her. She was educated in the public schools of Wicomico County.

Mrs. Hyland organized a choir called the Great White Throne which satisfied the hearts and souls of many people during its existence.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Odessa McBride of Salisbury; Mrs. Mary Purnell of Pocomoke City; one grandson; nine great grandchildren and seventeen great-great-grandchildren, and six great-great-great-grandchildren; several nieces, nephews and friends.

We await to meet her.

Sorrowfully submitted,
The Family

MAUDE STRICKLAND KELSO

Maude Strickland Kelso's ancestors were Wesleyan Methodists. She was born September 22, 1872, in Lyme Regis, England, a beautiful spot by the sea. The family sailed for America when Maude was only eight years of age. They settled in Klej Grange near Girdletree and Snow Hill, MD in 1880. Her father became the superintendent of the Drexel Estate. Maude and her brothers and sisters were dubbed as foreigners in America until their father was duly naturalized in 1885. Her father became an ordained elder in the Wilmington Conference. It was at the family altar that Maude accepted Christ as her Saviour. An older brother, Clarence, became an elder in this conference and served even after retirement until his 99th year.

While working in Dover, Maude Strickland was organist of St. Paul's Methodist Church and here she met Hugh Blair Kelso, a student at the Wilmington Conference Academy. They

were married in Cokesbury Methodist Church, near Pocomoke City, on April 12, 1899. The marriage surely was made in heaven to have created such a happy home — so say the children. The family altar was a foundation stone. Maude Kelso was as dedicated to serving in the itinerate ministry in her role as mistress of the parsonage as her husband was a clergyman. Cheerfully she accepted every appointment and communicated that spirit to her family. Without exception she made each parsonage into an attractive home — skillful with hammer, saw and paintbrush. She visited shut-ins with a tasty dish, joined with them in song and prayer and left them encouraged. At times she kept an all-night vigil at the bedside and continued her schedule of work as usual the following day. Children in all places Maude Kelso served remember the wonderful programs for Children's Day she prepared and coached, helping them to do better than they thought they could. She taught in the Sunday School and organized the Loyal Temperance Legion. In addition to being active in the woman's society she belonged to the W.C.T.U. and the American Leprosy Mission.

She carried on her heart the spiritual needs of individuals in the community and her sincere testimony in the Class Meeting lingers in the minds of the people, including her children. Always sensitive to the feelings of others, she was the spirit of tactfulness. Her sweet voice was used to God's glory in the choir and services.

Love was the dominant quality of her life — love for every soul, even to the far ends of the earth. Her day began early with a quiet time of prayer and Bible study, which gave her a secret strength and joy. With inch-high letters she printed in the front of her Bible, **"PUT GOD FIRST, NOT THINGS,"** and this was the secret of her power and usefulness in the building of the Kingdom of God in every place she served with her husband. Worry was not a part of her. This was found in her Bible also, which mirrors her philosophy:

"It is His will that I should cast
My care on Him each day,
He also tells me **not** to cast my confidence away;
But Oh! how foolishly I act
When taken unaware
I cast away my confidence and
Carry all my care."

A lifelong consuming desire was that their four children, May, Hugh, Robert and Madeline, give themselves to the Lord and keep ever near to Him. For this she continually thanked God to the very end.

Her forty-seven years of hostessing the parsonage included those in each of the three States. In one move they left the southern-most appointment of Phoebus, VA to come to the northern-most appointment of the conference at Claymont, DE.

Her diminutive body carried a terrific drive. Physical disability was a challenge to overcome. At seventy she feared she might lose her sight, so she taught herself the touch system on the typewriter and afterward always typed her letters with creditable speed. At ninety-one she made a mis-step while working in her flower garden, fell and fractured her hip. She did not let that handicap her, but learned to walk again without aid. At ninety-six she had another fall, fracturing her arm and pelvis. Again she got over it and walked without help. At ninety-nine in her last year she often talked of going "Home" and how glad she would be for Jesus to come for her. She often sat in her chair with hands folded in her lap talking aloud to her Father, whose presence was so real to her. She liked having her Bible read to her and many passages she repeated along with the reader. She loved to hear the old songs and sang along too.

The day after Thanksgiving in 1971 her heart grew tired and she lapsed into a coma, but after a few hours she aroused, raised her head and turned to those at her bedside with a wide-eyed knowing expression of seeing. We believe she saw her Lord and the Heavenly Host. She is with them now.

Her Children

BLANCHE ALFORD NORTH PRICE

Blanche Alford North, widow of Rev. J. Thomas Price, was born at the Garden of Eden farm, some five miles west of Cambridge, MD on April 23, 1887. She was the oldest daughter of Capt. William Asbury North and Mary Elizabeth LeCompte North. She was an 8th generation descendent of Anthony LeCompte, who settled in Castle Haven (Dorchester County) in 1663. She was baptized in Beckwith M.E. Church June 5, 1887, was educated at a shcoolhouse in Castle Haven Neck and after that studied music.

On March 14, 1908 she was married to Rev. J. Thomas Price of Talbot County. He was pastor of the church at Neavitt, MD. In March of that same year he was appointed to the Methodist Church in Royal Oak. Mrs. Price was his willing and able mate across the years. Rev. Price suffered a stroke and was forced to retire in 1936; however, as time passed he recovered and again took up the work of the ministry as a supply pastor. His able help again was Mrs. Price. They concluded their active ministry (1950-1960) at Royal Oak — the same pastorate they served when she became his bride in 1908.

She passed away at her home "Beach Haven Manor," East New Market, MD on September 27, 1977. She left a heritage of 5 living children, 9 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Her body rests in peace beside that of her husband in Dorchester Memorial Park, Cambridge, MD. Her spirit lives on with God.

She's gone
I do not understand
I only know
That as she turned to go
And waved her hand
In her dear eyes a sudden glory shone
And I was dazzled by a sunset glow
And she was gone.

She's gone
I do not understand
That with a gentle sigh
Her life winked out while I held her hand
And standing by her, I was left alone
As her brave spirit rose and passes me by
And she was gone.

She's gone!
I do not understand
I only feel that she is not far.
Since near at hand the angels are
And when the sunset gates unbar
Shall I not see her waiting, standing
And white against the evening star
The welcome of her beckoning hand.

R.C.H.

MARY ELIZABETH RANDALL

Mary Elizabeth Randall, daughter of the late Lucinda Carey and William E. Roach, was born March 12, 1895, in Williamsville, DE. She departed this life Thursday, June 2, 1977 in the Wilmington Medical Center, the Delaware Division, after 3 years of failing health.

Mary was educated in the schools of Williamsville, and was a member of the Metropolitan

Methodist Church in Harrington, DE. As a young woman she moved to Philadelphia, PA and later to Wilmington, DE. She was united in marriage to the late Rev. Thomas E. Randall, and they lived in Townsend, DE, where he was pastoring. Upon his retirement, they moved to 1004 Walnut Street, Wilmington, DE.

Mary was employed by Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams until her retirement.

She joined the former Mt. Carmel Methodist Church, then located on East 11th Street, Sunday, May 14, 1942, under the pastorate of the late Rev. J. T. Ayers. She served as president of the Stewardess Board for 23 years, was secretary of the Official Board for 20 years, was a class leader of Class #13, was secretary of the Women's Society of Christian Service, and sang in the "Heaven Bound" pageant. She served on the Finance Committee until the merger of the two churches and was presently vice president of the Health and Welfare Committee. Mary was a member of the Going Home Chorus, The Inter-denominational Ministers Wives' Association, The Old Rugged Cross Chorus of St. Paul's U.A.M.E. Church. Her favorite hymns were "Pass Me Not O Gentle Savior" and "Where Jesus is 'Tis Heaven There."

Because of her loving and kind ways, she was "Aunt Mary" to many people whose lives were enriched by her spiritual guidance. Especially dear to her was her great-neice, Gloria Ross and her children, Elizabeth Walker and Eugeniz Ross, also Brenda Helm. Mary was never too busy to care for the sick or comfort the bereaved. She was dear to and greatly loved by the entire family.

Mary is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Lucia Hayes; 2 grandsons, Charles Hayes of Los Angeles, CA and Horace Hayes of Wilmington, DE; 1 sister, Mrs. Sarah E. Bratcher; 5 step-children, Hannah Henry, Zenada Camper, Mary Francis, Theodore and Olivet Randall; 2 sisters-in-law, Mrs. Hattie Roach, Mrs. Ethel Roach, 6 nieces, Mrs. Reba Dutton, Mrs. Dorothy Boardley, Mrs. Irma McIntosh, Mrs. Thelma Thorpe, Mrs. Sarah Scott, and Mrs. Betty Roach; 3 nephews, Ralph Jackson, Clarence and William Roach; 48 great nieces and nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

There is no time that we could set for parting
We who remain are never ready for such pain.
Even our prayer would be: "Not Yet!"
Not Yet! dear God . . . another day
With us let our beloved stay.
We must believe, when falls the blow
That, wisely God has willed it so.

Sorrowfully submitted,
The Family

NETTIE MAY STRAUSBURG

Nettie May Strausburg, in her ninety-third year, died on Tuesday, November 18, 1975 at a daughter's home in Berwyn Heights, Maryland.

She was the daughter of James H. Cartridge, native of England, and Sarah Jane Cartridge (Salter) of New Bern, N.C. Mrs. Strausburg was educated in the Public Schools of Wilmington, DE., followed by completion of various courses in Bookkeeping and Accounting.

She was a member of the Harrison Street Methodist Church where she met and married Rev. C. R. Strausburg, then Pastor there, in 1906. Mrs. Strausburg served with her husband in many pastorates throughout Maryland, Virginia and Delaware.

Nettie Strausburg survived her husband by three years. It is impossible to review, in this space, the life of a Methodist minister's wife; spanning World War I, the flu epidemic of 1918, the Great Depression, World War II, and retirement. It is enough to say that she was a Christian gentlewoman, a faithful and lovely wife and the mother of eight children.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Frank Comploier, of Gerwyn Heights, Mrs. Arthur Lucas of West Chester, Pa., and Mrs. James Cashman of Beltsville; three sons, James Strausburg, Snow Hill, Robert Strausburg of Fallston, and Edward Strausburg, Baltimore; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Moxam of New Castle, DE. She is also survived by 15 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

She sleeps beside her husband in Whiteford Cemetery, Whiteford, Md.

James F. Strausburg

MINNIE B. THOMAS

Minnie B. Thomas, widow of the late Reverend Robert W. Thomas was born on October 4, 1884 in Vienna, MD. After a long illness, she departed this life on Sunday, May 11, 1975 at the Evangelical Manor, 8401 Roosevelt Blvd., Philadelphia, PA.

Her early childhood was spent in Vienna and Salem, MD; where she attended the Public Schools.

She was joined in Holy Matrimony with Robert W. Thomas on July 9, 1903.

Most of her life was spent serving with her late husband, administering to the parishioners of his charges in the former Delaware Conference. People who knew her, will remember her for her cheerful countenance and warm smile.

She was a member of the Ministers Wives Association of the former Delaware Conference and the Philadelphia Conference. While she actively participated in the Ladies Aid Society; Women's Society of Christian Service - now the United Methodist Women, she also raised a sizeable family to which she gave much devotion.

She leaves to mourn her loss: four sons, George, Hargis, Allen and Nathan Thomas of Philadelphia; four daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Dyson, Miss Emma Thomas of Philadelphia, Mrs. Naomi Harris of Milford, DE and Mrs. Ruth Jackson of Wilmington, DE; 29 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; 2 great, great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Hold Thou Thy Cross before my closing eyes;
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies;
Heaven's Morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

Sorrowfully,
The Family

MRS. SARAH L. THOMPSON

Mrs. Sarah L. Thompson, wife of the late Rev. Isaac H. Thompson, Sr. was born March 12, 1892 in Vienna, MD. She departed this life Friday, April 7, 1972.

The past 46 years she lived in Bridgeton, NJ, where she and her husband raised eight children.

She and her family were very active members of John Wesley United Methodist Church of Bridgeton, NJ.

She leaves to mourn their loss two daughters, Mrs. Lillie Willaccy and Mrs. Mary Frisby; six sons, Isaac, Jr., Reuben, Joseph, Booker, Levi and James; three brothers, Winfield and Joseph Murray of MD, Henry of Philadelphia, PA; 18 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

Servant of God, Well done!
Thy Glorious warfare's past;

The battle's fought, the race is won
And thou art crowned at last.

The Family

LUCILLE DORIS TURKINGTON

Lucille Doris Turkington was born on August 22, 1918 in Waterbury, Conn. She was the daughter of Joseph Charles Rainville and Ruby Mae Hotchkiss Rainville. She was graduated from Naugatuck High School in 1936.

She was married on June 29, 1974 to the Rev. Mr. Thomas J. Turkington in St. Luke's United Methodist Church, Denton, Maryland, by The Rev. Everett C. Isaacs and The Rev. W. D. Turkington. For three years the Turkingtons lived in the Denton community and were an important part of the United Methodist Church there.

Death came to Mrs. Turkington on November 29, 1977 in Easton Memorial Hospital, Easton, Maryland. The funeral was held on December 2, 1977 with the interment in Denton, Maryland.

She is survived by The Rev. Mr. Turkington and four children by a previous marriage: William David Thompson, Jr., Howard Charles Thompson, Ronald Richard Thompson and Donna T. Henry.

The Family

Lay Members

SHIRLEY LOWAN PITTS

Shirley Lowan Pitts was born at 19 N. Kirkwood Street in Dover, DE, on April 25, 1938. She is the daughter of Hiram and Vivian Carter. Lowan, as she was best known, grew to young adulthood in the immediate vicinity of her birthplace and always proudly reminded others that she "found happiness and success without ever venturing more than a quarter of a mile from her roots."

Lowan received her primary education in the old Booker T. Washington Elementary and Junior High School, Dover, DE. She had assumed a leadership role even then and served as President of Student Government, in addition to other student involvement. In 1956, she graduated from the William Henry High School as Salutatorian.

Lowan continued her education at Delaware State College where she met and married her husband, John Pitts, of Washington, D.C., on June 14, 1958. She then combined the tasks of wife, mother, student, church lay person and community activist, and in June 1963 she graduated from Delaware State College with honors and a Bachelor Degree in Sociology.

She began her professional career as a social worker with the Welfare Department of the State of Delaware. Her next job was a classroom teacher in the Capital School District, Dover, DE. She next served as a Visiting Teacher for the Caesar Rodney School District in Camden, DE. In 1968 she took a job as Kent County field representative with the Delaware State Human Relations Commission Community Affairs and Economic Development Department. Former Governor Russell W. Peterson in 1972 appointed Lowan to be director of the Office of Human Relations. She continued to serve in that capacity until her death.

The Whatcoat Day Care Center was founded in 1970 by Lowan and she served as chairperson of that organization 6 of the 8 years it has been in existence.

Lowan was also a member of the Governor's Council of Women from 1972 until 1976. She was the first black member elected to the Junior Board of Kent General Hospital. In 1970 the Dover Century Club named her Dover's "Outstanding Woman of the Year." The Delaware State College Alumni Association also cited her as the Outstanding Graduate for 1970 and in 1973 she served as the keynote speaker for the Annual Alumni Luncheon. On November 27, 1977 The Omega Psi Phi Fraternity of Dover named her the "Outstanding Citizen of the

Year" and presented her with an appropriate symbol in absentia.

Lowan Pitts always remained a faithful member of the Whatcoat United Methodist Church, Dover. In 1976 she was elected as an alternate Lay Delegate to the General conference of the United Methodist Church in Portland, Oregon. She served as Chairperson for the Commission on Religion and Race for the Peninsula Conference and her contributions to Black Methodists for Church Renewal have been many. For many years Lowan has been a lay speaker for the Peninsula Conference. She was a member of the Council on Ministries and she also was a member of the Board of Directors, Methodist Christian Center, Morgan State University, Baltimore, MD.

Lowan's other civic and community involvement includes: The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Dover Alumni Chapter, Delaware State College Alumni Association, Official Observer and member of the Delaware IWY Coordinating Committee, Founder and member of the Concerned Citizens of Dover, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and the National Council of Negro Women. She was also a member of Congressional Black Caucus Brain Trust and was a delegate from the association of Local Government to a conference on Apartheid and Race Relations at the United Nations in New York in 1977.

On October 30, 1977 Shirley Lowan Pitts was stricken with a severe aneurysm of the brain. She passed away December 17, 1977 at the University Medical Center, London, Ontario, Canada.

She was entombed December 23, 1977 in Whatcoat United Methodist Church Cemetery in Dover, DE. The Reverend Hayward Greene was the officiating clergyman.

Lowan leaves to celebrate her life, honor her contributions and mourn her passing her faithful husband John Wesley Pitts, her beloved children Blaine W., Roxanne, Vivian and John W. Jr., her respected parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Carter, Sr., Dover; four brothers, Hiram Carter, Jr., Isaac Carter, Charles Carter and James Carter; two sisters, Mrs. Barbara Goode and Jane Logan, Dover. Lowan also leaves one uncle Mr. Charles Thompson and two aunts, Mrs. Edna Anderson and Mrs. Eleanor Cannon, all of Dover.

Humbly submitted,
Family and Friends

MILLARD GRANT LesCALLETTE

Dr. Millard Grant LesCallette was born on January 5, 1922 in Crisfield, Maryland. He spent the early years of his life living in Crisfield and most of his adult life in Salisbury, Maryland. Death came to Dr. LesCallette on October 18, 1977 at his home, 1006 Evergreen Avenue, Salisbury, Maryland. Surviving are his wife, Corinne Schofield LesCallette, two sons, S. Patrick and Kevin G. and one daughter Jennifer C. Funeral arrangements were handled by the Hill-Baker Funeral Home and the service was held on October 20, 1977 at Bethesda United Methodist Church, Salisbury, Maryland. The services were conducted by the Rev. John M. Brittain and The Rev. Brooks Reynolds. Interment was in Parsons Cemetery, Salisbury, Maryland.

Dr. LesCallette was Professor of History of Salisbury State College and Associate Chairman of the History and Political Science Department.

He had recently co-authored the book **Worchester County, Maryland Archadia.** As a churchman he faithfully served Bethesda United Methodist Church, Salisbury, Maryland in many capacities.

He also served faithfully the Peninsula Annual Conference as a lay member from Bethesda.

Dr. LesCallette's influence is felt beyond the walls of Bethesda and the Peninsula Conference since throughout the years as he taught at Salisbury State College many students preparing themselves for the ministry availed themselves of his teaching and counseling. It always made him feel proud to see them ordained and to read of their acceptance in the kingdom of God.

The Family

VIII. Conference Rules Of Order

Rule 1. The Conference shall meet at 9:00 A.M. and adjourn at 12:30 P.M. But the Conference may, in its discretion, alter the time of meeting and adjournment.

Rule 2. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in case of such an appeal the question shall be taken without debate, except that the appellant may make a simple statement of the grounds of his appeal.

Rule 3. All resolutions, motions, amendments and substitute motions presented to the Annual Conference shall be submitted to the Secretary in writing at the time they are made or as soon thereafter as possible.

Rule 4. When a motion is made and seconded, or a resolution is introduced and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of the Conference, at any time before amendment or decision.

Rule 5. The motion to Lay on the Table, or to Take from the Table, and for the Previous Question, shall be taken without debate.

Rule 6. No new motion or resolution shall be entertained until the one under consideration has been disposed of, which may be done by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene which shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed, namely:

(1) To fix the time to which the Conference shall adjourn.
(2) To adjourn.
(3) To take a recess.
(4) To lay on the table.
(5) For the previous question.
(6) To postpone to a given time.
(7) To refer.
(8) To substitute.
(9) Amendment.
(10) To postpone indefinitely.

A motion to amend shall be in order, and a substitute for both amendments may be received, which substitute may be amended only once, and if a substitute be accepted, it shall operate as an amendment to the original proposition.

Rule 7. When a member is about to speak in debate, or to deliver any matter to the Conference, he shall rise and respectfully address the President, but shall not proceed until recognized by him.

Rule 8. No member shall be interrupted while speaking except by the President to call him to order when he departs from the question, or uses personalities or disrespectful language; but any member may call the attention of the President to the subject when he deems a speaker out of order, and any member may explain when he thinks himself misrepresented.

Rule 9. When a member desires a question of privilege, he shall briefly state the question; but it shall not be in order for him to proceed until the President shall have decided it a privileged question.

Rule 10. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than ten minutes at one time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any person speak more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

Rule 11. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon by the Conference, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the prevailing side to move a reconsideration; but a motion to reconsider is a non-debatable motion and shall be decided without debate.

Rule 12. No member shall absent himself from the sessions of the Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

Rule 13. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar of the Conference at the time when such question shall be put by the President, except by leave of the Conference when such member has been necessarily absent.

Rule 14. Every member who is within the bar at the time a question is put shall give his vote, unless the Conference, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

Rule 15. It shall be in order for him to move that the question be taken without further debate or any measure pending, except in cases in which character is involved, and if sustained by two-thirds, the question shall be taken.

Rule 16. The motion to adjourn shall be taken without debate, and shall always be in order, except, (1) when a member has the floor; (2) when a question is actually put, or a vote is being taken; (3) when the question is pending on seconding the demand for the previous question; (4) when the previous question has been called and sustained, and is still pending; and (5) when a motion to adjourn has been negatived and no business or debate has intervened.

Rule 17. All reports of the Boards, Commissions and Committees shall be published and mailed to the Members of the Annual Conference ten (10) days prior to the date of meeting of the Annual Conference. Reports to be included in this mailing must be in the hands of the Secretary thirty (30) days prior to such Session.

Rule 18. No report shall be received or adopted by the Conference until a copy has been placed in the hands of the Secretary.

Rule 19. These rules shall not be suspended or amended except by a vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting.

Rule 20. All materials to be published in the Journal shall be in the hands of the Secretary not later than three (3) days after adjournment of the Annual Session or it shall be excluded.

Rule 21. The Nominating Committee shall distribute mimeographed copies of its report to the Annual Conference on the day before the report is to be voted on by the Conference.

Rule 22. Recommendations as to the change in format and policy regarding data to be included in the Journal shall be referred to the Conference Council on Ministries for study and recommendation before action by the Conference.

Rule 23. That no member of any Board, Divisions Committee, or Commission shall serve more than two consecutive quadrenniums on said Board, Divisions Committee or Commission and shall be ineligible to be re-elected until after one Quadrennium has elapsed except members of boards, committees or commissions elected for three year terms may serve three consecutive terms and shall be ineligible to be reelected until after one term has lapsed and except that when a member is elected to fill an unexpired quadrennium or term he may complete the unexpired quadrennium or term and serve not more than one additional consecutive quadrennium or term. No member of the Conference, lay or ministerial, shall be elected to serve on more than two Boards, Divisions Committees, or Commissions concurrently, except the committees elected or appointed for the Annual Conference session only, district committees whether or not elected by the Annual Conference and the quadrennial committee on the local church. The distribution of membership shall be according to Districts, three laymen and three ministers as nearly as possible to each District.

Rule 24. Lay members of the Annual Conference will be elected quadrennially. A lay member may be re-elected for another quadrennium, but must wait one quadrennium before being eligible for election for a third time.

Rule 25. In order to achieve balanced membership in the Annual Conference, the Conference Secretary shall report quadrennially the number of lay persons required to preserve equality of membership, and that the Peninsula Conference achieve the desired equality of membership, by (1) the associate lay leader of Lay Life and Work, the four District Lay Leaders, the four District Presidents of the United Methodist Women, all United Methodist Deaconesses active and retired within the bounds of the Peninsula Annual Conference, all certified Directors of Christian Education employed by churches of the Peninsula Annual Conference, and all other voting lay persons of the Conference Council on Ministries, shall be members in the Annual Conference with vote; (2) each pastoral charge enrolling more than 500 members, but having only one clergy member appointed to it, may elect one additional lay member, and further, that a pastoral charge having more than one clergy member appointed to it may elect one additional lay member, provided that more than 1,500 members are enrolled; and (3) the Conference Council on Youth Ministries shall elect as many youth members as are needed to maintain a balance, divided equally among the districts.

Rule 26. All budget requests must be referred to the Council on Finance and Administration prior to Annual Conference action.

IX. Pastoral Records

A. MEMBERS OF CONFERENCE

Amoss, H. M. — 1932-57, Baltimore Conference; 1957, Pen. Conf.; 1957-62, Salisbury-Bethesda; 63-68 — Dist. Supt. Easton Dist. 69 — Cambridge-Zion — 69-71 — Cambridge-Zion; 72 — Retired.

Archer, Wm., Jr. — 1959, Peninsula Conference; 59 — ; 60 — Queenstown, Md.; 61, 62 — St. Georges-Clarksville; 63 — Laurel, Mt. Pleasant; 66 — Madeley-Minquadale; 67-69 — Odessa, St. Paul's; 70-75 — Sharptown-Asbury Circuit; 76 — 77 Princess Anne; 78 Delmar: St. Stephens.

Armour, C. A. — 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 1964-65 — At School; 66-68 — Assoc. Elkton; 69-70 — At School; 71-74 — Assoc. Asbury Salisbury; 75 — Ocean City.

Arms, R. P. — 1966, Pen. Conf.; 66 — Denton-Burrsville; 67 — School; 68-70 — Cambridge-Choptank; 71-72 — Assoc. Aldersgate-Wilm.; 73-75 — Methodist Action Program. 76 — Sy.; 77 — LA.

Armstrong, Terry W. — 1969, Peninsula Conference; 69 — Warwick, Md.; 70 — Elkton-Assistant; 71 - 76 — Asbury-Millington; 77 — Federalsburg-Bloomery.

Bailey, F. B. — 1921, Maryland M.P.; 1921-23, West Wilmington; 25, Lauraville; 26-27, Wallace Memorial; 28-29, Mardela; 30-34, Deer Park; 35-36, Calvary; (Balto.); 37-44 — Maryland and Peninsula, Federalsburg (Christ); 45-55, Laurel (Christ); 56-59, North East, Md.; 60-61, Associate, McCabe — Wilmington; 62 — Retired.

Bailey, H. A. — 1933, Delaware Conference; 1933-35, Greenlock & Rhodes, N. J.; 35-38, Hamilton Memorial, Atlantic City, N. J.; 38-42, Newport, Del.; 42-43, Salem, N. J.; 43-65, Executive Secretary, Board of Education — Delaware Conference; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Associate Executive Secretary Board of Education; 70-71 Staff Assoc. Meth. Action Program; 72 — Retired.

Bailey, H. N. — 1924, Wil. Conf.; 1924, Farmington; 25, St. Paul's (Dover); 26, Marydel; 27-29, Crapo; 30-31, Seaford Circuit; 32-33, Hopewell; 34-36, Tangier; 37, Deal's Island; 38-45, Wil. and Peninsula, Perryville; 46-51, U.S. Veterans Administration Chaplain; 52 — Sabbatical Leave; 53 — Retired.

Bailey, R. D. — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57 — Farmington, Del.; 58-61, Harmony-Grove; 62-63 — Vienna; 64-70 — Camden, Del.; 71 — Assoc. Council Dir.

Baker, D. W. — 1939, Wil. Conf. and Peninsula, 39-40, Stanton; 41-42, Warwick; 43-46, Rehoboth Beach; 47-49, Milford (Calvary); 50-56 — Laurel Centenary; 57-59, Richardson Park; 60-65 — Selbyville, Del.; 66-67 — Mt. Olivet-Seaford; 68-73 — Wilm.-St. Mark's; 74-76 — Salisbury Dist. Superintendent; 77 — Conf. Council Director.

Baker, Earle N. — 1978, Peninsula Conf.; 1978 attend school.

Baker, Jonathan E. — 1973, Peninsula Conf.; 1973-74 — School. 75 — Cecilton.

Barton, Chas. E. — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57-58, Concord-Grove; 59-64 — Dorchester, Secretary, Md.; 65-72 — Cheswold, Del.; 73 — Elkton-Providence.

Baynard, F. O. — 1940, Peninsula Conf. 40 — At School; 41-42 — Stanton; 43-45, Hosier Mem. and Hooper's Island; 46-47, Church Hill; 48-50, Wyoming; 51-54, Frankford; 55 — Queenstown; 56-58, Greenwood Circuit; 59-62, Clayton, Del.; 63-64 — Mt. Pleasant, Crisfield, Md.; 65-73 — Georgetown-Grace; 74-76 — Lincoln Charge; 77 —Chesapeake City-Trinity.

Beckwith, W. H. — 1956, Peninsula; 1957-58, School; 59 — New Jersey Conf. 1960 — Peninsula; 60-61, Chesapeake City, Md.; 61 — S. Dakota Conf.; 62 — Peninsula Conf. 62-63 — Mardela, Md.; 64-65 — Pocomoke-Salem; 66-70 — Assoc. Newark; 71-74 — Laurel. 75 — Chester-Bethel.

Beckwith, W. L. — 1936, Wil. Conf.; 36-38, Church Hill; Wilmington and Peninsula, 39-42 — Magnolia; 43-47 — Millsboro; 48-56 — Smyrna; 57-65 — Crisfield-Asbury; 66-74 — Chestertown-First. 75 — Retired.

Behm, Irvin M., Jr. — 1970, Peninsula Conf.; 71-74 — Dorchester Circuit. 75 — 77 Goldsboro. 78 Millsboro — Long Neck.

Benjamin, N. B. — 1966, Pen. Conf.; 1966-68 — Still Pond, Md.; 69-74 — Fruitland-St. John's; 75-76 — Crisfield-Asbury; 77 — Frederica Charge.

Bennett, E. L. — 1935, Wilmington Conf.; 35-36, Elliott's; 36-37, Beckwith and Spedden; 38-39 — Smith's Island; Peninsula Conf. 1940-45 — Dagsboro; 46-49 — Mt. Pleasant (Crisfield);

50-53, Berlin; 54-56, Centreville; 57 — Salisbury-Andrews & Stengle; 58-65 — Pocomoke-Bethany; 66-70 — Frankford; 71 — Sabbatical Lv.; 72 — Retired.

Bergman, R. W. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Cannon Charge; 63-65 — Mt. Pleasant, Colora, Md.; 66 — Skyline.

Blevins, E. B. — 1957, West Virginia; 1960, Peninsula; 1960-61, St. James; 62-66 — Laurel-Christ; 67-69 — Sudlersville, Md.; 70 — Kingswood.

Boda, A. L. — 1966 — W. Va.; 1968 — Pen. Conf.; 68 — Tilghman, Md.

Boney, Hanson R. — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 1977 Rock Hall-Fairlee.

Bostick, Joseph C. — 1969, Pen. Conf. ; 1969 — Burrsville; 70-74 — Greensboro-St. Paul's; 75 — Fruitland-St. John's.

Brewer, O. G. — 1949, Peninsula; 47-50, Wye Mills-Cordova; 51-58, Princess Anne; 59-65 — Denton, St. Luke's; 66-68 — Cambridge-Zion; 69-74 — Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.; 75 — Laurel-Centenary

Brittain, John N. — 1970, East Ohio; 1976 Penin. Conf., 76 — Bethesda, Salisbury Assoc.

Bruner, Frederick M. — 1963 — E. Pa.; 1969 — Peninsula Conf.; 69-70 — Associate, Salisbury-Asbury; 71 — Townsend, Del.; 72 — Wicomico County Mental Health Clinic, Salisbury.

Bryan, John L. — 1941, Pen. Conf.; 77 — Ezion - Mt. Carmel.

Buckley, F. G. — 1935, Wilmington Conf.; 1935, Pocomoke Cir.; 36, Annamessex; 37-38, Charlestown; 39-41, Wil. and Pen. Concord; 42-43, Bishopville; 44-47, Quantico, 48-49, Whaleysville; 50-53, Port Deposit; 54-55, Townsend; 56 — Centreville-Grace; 57-58, Camden, Del.; 59-63, East New Market; 64-65 — Chesapeake City, Md.; 66-69 — Church Hill, Md.; 70 — Retired.

Bundick, W. B. — 1950, Pen. 1950-51, Townsend, Del.; 52-53, Dagsboro-Bethel; 54-57, Mt. Salem; 58-62, New Castle, Del.; 63-65 — Christ Church, Brack Ex., Wilm., Del.; 66-68 — Centreville, Md.; 69 — Lewes-Bethel.

Burge, C. D. — 1960, Peninsula Conf.; 60, Magnolia, Del.; 61 — Townsend, Del.; 66 — Chaplain, U.S. Army.

Burris, Joseph Glenn — 1976 Penin. Conf., 76-77 — School. 78 Church Hill — Price.

Butler, Dallas W. — 1956 — West Pa.; 1970 — Pen. Conf.; 70 — Crisfield-Immanuel.

Butler, Widmon, Jr. — 1964, Delaware Conf.; 64, Denton-Williston, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Denton-Williston, Md.; 66-74 — Preston Circuit; 75-76 — Middletown-Summit; 77 — St. Michael's-Royal Oak.

Caldwell, H. T. — 1930, Wilmington Conf.; 29-30, Church Hill; 31-35, Felton; 36-41, Chesapeake City; 42-44, Hockessin; 45-48, Sharptown; 49-60, Rising Sun; 60 — Retired.

Caldwell, J. M. — 1974, Peninsula Conf.; 74-75 — School. 1976 — Bethel-Concord-Wesley.

Carpenter, C. I. — 1920-30, Newark Conf.; 31-33, Wil. Conf.; Rehoboth; 34-36, Federalsburg; Wil. and Pen., 37-60, Chaplain, U.S. Army; 61-67 — Avenue-Milford; 68 — Retired.

Carter, Wm. T. — 1963, Peninsula Conference; 1963-64 — At School; 65 — Chaplain, U.S. Army.

Catley, G. P. — 1972, Balti. Conf.; 1974, Peninsula Conf.; 74-76 — Dagsboro-Bethel; 77 — Assoc. Asbury-Minquadale.

Chancy, Augustus — 1944, Delaware Conf.; 44-47, Chestertown, Md.; 48-49, Bridgeton, N.J.; 50-54, Easton, Md.; 55-59, Salem, N.J.; 60-64, Mt. Joy, Wilm., Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69, Mt. Joy, Wilm., Del.; 70 — Retired.

Chandler, H. F., Jr. — 1929, Baltimore Conf.; 29-32, Relay; 33-34, Canton; 35-39; Montgomery Circuit; 40-52, Bethesda; Pen. Conf. 1953; 54-62, Easton, Md.; 63-68 — Dist. Supt., Dover District; 69-71 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 72 — Retired.

Cheadle, Ronald E., Jr. — 78 Pen. Conf. 78 — attend school

Clawson, E. J. — 1958, Peninsula; 58-59, Allen, Md.; 60-61, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon; 62-66 — Nanticoke-Bivalve; 67-71, Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 72-73 — Bishopville-Showell; 74-75 — East Cecil Charge; 76 — Wingate-St. Thomas.

Clendaniel, D. O. — 1951, Penin. Conf.; 51-55, Church Hill; 56-57, Federalsburg (Union); 58-63, Federalsburg (Union) and Federalsburg (Christ); 64 — Sabbatical Leave; 65-71 — Milford-Calvary; 72 — Claymont Atonement.

Clendaniel, D. O., II — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 69 — Gumboro; 71 — Roxana, Del.

Cohen, C. M. — 1963, Peninsula Conference; 1963-64-70 — At School; 65 — Assoc. St. Mark's-Easton, Md.; 66-76 — Federalsburg-Christ; 77 — North East.

Coleman, E. E. — 1926, Maryland Conf.; 24, Lewistown; 25, Wilm, (First); 26-27, Cecil; 28-32, Kemptown; 33-35, Delmar; Mary. and Pen; 36-42, Seaford (Olivet); 43-45, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 46-49, Middletown; 50-60, Chaplain, Wilm., Del.; 61-65 — Chaplain, Va. Marion, Ind.; 66 — Retired.

Collins, W. L. — 1926, Virginia Conf. ME. South; 1926, Phoenix; 27-28, Spotsylvania; 29-32, Lancaster; 33-36, Middle Bedford; 37-38, Cambridge, Md.; Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Salisbury (South); Pen. 42-45, Church Hill; 46-47, Mardela; 49-53, Bishopville; 54-57, Deal Island; 58-68, Hooper's Island; 69 — Retired.

Commodore, George O. — 1952, Delaware Conf.; 52, Unionville, Md.; 53-59, Nanticoke, Md.; 60-64, Pocomoke, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-68 — Pocomoke, Md. 69 — Cambridge-Waugh.

Cooke, B. E. — 1970, Pen. Conf.; 70-72 — School; 73-75 — St. George's-Delaware City; 76 — Snow Hill-Bates.

Cooke, R. J. — 1941, Pen. Conf.; 1941, At School; 42-43, Kingswood and Delaware City; 44, Bethel and Town Point; 45, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 46-47, Trappe; 48-49, Centreville (Epworth); 50-56, Seaford-St. John's; 57-58, Salisbury, Trinity; 59-64 — Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.; 65-70 — Newark, Del.; 71-75 — Conf. Council Dir.; 76 — Pres. Wesley College.

Covington, C. E. — 1953; 53-55, Marydel; 56-60, Ocean View, Del.; 61-74 — Rehoboth Beach, Del.; 75 — Union.

Cox, C. R. — 1956 — N.Y.; 1966 — Pen. Conf.; 66-67 — Wilm. Silverbrook; 68-76 — Crime Prevention Assoc. for Youth, Philadelphia, Pa.; 77 — Office of Navajo Econ. Opportunity.

Crockett, E. E. — 1935, Wil. Conf.; 1935-37, Girdletree; Wil. and Pen. Confs.; 38-41, Nanticoke; 42-44, Mt. Pleasant; 45-49, Retired; 49-50, Seaford Circuit; 51-61, Retired; 62, Restored Active Relation; 62-63, Farmington; 64 — Retired.

Crossan, Samuel Willard, III — 1972, Peninsula Conf.; 72-76 — School; 77 — Cherry Hill.

Cuff, G. Wayne — 1953, Delaware Conf.; 53-54, School; 55-57, Grenloch and Rhodes, N.J.; 58-62, Newport, Del.; 63-64, St. Michaels-Royal Oak, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-68 — Waugh, Cambridge, Md.; 69-74 — Dist. Supt. Wilm. District. 75 — Hillcrest-Bellefonte.

Cursey, Ellwood W. — 1945, Pen.; 45-47, Stanton; 48-49, Allen; 50-52, Hurlock (Washington); 53-54, St. Michaels, 55-56, Milton; 57-58, Centreville, Md.; 59-61, Emmanuel, Crisfield; 62-65 — Marshallton; 66-68 — Millington, Md.; 69-71 — Harrington-Trinity; 72 — Retired.

Davis, Harold M. — 1941, Pen. Conf.; 42, Farmington; 43-45, Odessa; 46-52, Milton (Goshen); 53-62, Elkton, Md.; 63-65 — Salisbury-Trinity; 66 — Easton-St. Mark's.

Dennis, Louis R. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68 — Retired.

Dickey, K. M. — Received by transfer from Southern Illinois Conference, May 15, 1946, Peninsula Conf.; 1946, Cecilton; 1947, Allen; 1948-49, Newark, Md.; 50-52, Hosier Memorial; 53, Sabbatical Leave; 54-55, Tilghman; 56-61, Nassau, Del.; 62, Houston; 63-67, Tome-Port Deposit, Md.; 68-70, Smith Island; 71-72, Parsonsburg, Md.; 73-74 — Mt. Vernon Charge, 75-77 — Greensboro-Burrsville. 78 Princess Anne — Antioch.

Diehl, J. R. — 1927, Wilmington Conf.; 1927-28, Greenwood; 29, Ellendale; 30, Mt. Vernon; 31-33, Cherry Hill; 34-35, Hopewell; Wil. and Pen.; 36-42, Parsonsburg; 43-46, Felton; 47-48, Seaford Circuit; 48-50, Federica; 51-55, Crisfield, Mariners; 56, Retired.

Dise, W. L. — 1935, Wil. Conf.; 1928-34, United Lutheran Church; 1935, Pittsville; 36-38, Wyoming; Wil. and Pen. Confs.; 39-42, Fruitland; 43, Hurlock (Washington); 44-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46, Sabbatical Leave; 47-50, Rehoboth; 51-52, Retired; 53-55, Centreville-Grace; 56-57, Smith Island; 58-59, Hebron-Nelson; 60, Retired; 61, Restored Active Relation; 61-65 — Salisbury, St. Andrews; 66 — Retired.

Donaway, W. S. — 1926, Maryland Conf.; 25, Snow Hill Cir.; 26-28, Powellville; 29-32, Accomac; 33-35, Wesley Chapel of Kent; Mary. and Pen. 36-40, Delmar, 41-42, Preston; 43-47, Fruitland; 48-50, Hillsboro; Wilm., Trinity, 51; St. Georges, 52, 56 (Clarksville); 57-58, Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 59 — Retired.

Donnachie, T. P. — 1972, East Penna., 1974, Pen. Conf.; 74-77 — Odessa. 78 Assoc. Easton — St. Marks.

Donaphan, Charles A. — 1973, Penin. Conf.; 68-71, Seaford Circuit; 72-73 — East Cecil; 74-76 — Queen Anne Charge; 77 — Millington-Crumpton.

Dore, William — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 58-59, St. James; 60-65 — Sudlersville, Md., 66-71 — Denton-St. Luke's; 72-77 — Snow Hill-Whatcoat. 78 — Ebenezer.

Downing, Chas. J. — 1978, Penin. Conf.; 1977 — Fishing Creek-Hooper's Is.

Dredden, A. J. — 1950, Delaware, Conf.; 50-52, Lewes, Del.; 53-56, Seaford, Del.; 57-64, North Berlin, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — North Berlin, Md.; St. Paul's; 67 — Chestertown-Pomona; 68-77 — Laurel-Delmar. 78 Lewes Charge.

Elliott, Lee — 1928, Maryland; 1932 Pen. 28-70 — Laurel Cir.; 71 — Retired.

Ellis, R. A. — 1958, Peninsula, 58-61, Holly Oak, Del.; 62-69, Georgetown-Wesley; 70-76 — Richardson Park; 77 — Seaford-St. John's.

Evans, H. E. — 1950, Pen.; 53, Mt. Vernon; 54-56, Salisbury, St. Andrews; 57-62, Snow Hill,

Whatcoat; 63-66 — Salisbury-Grace; 67-69 — Princess Anne, Antioch-Cokesbury; 70-74 — Georgetown-Wesley, 75 — Milton-Goshen.

Fitzhugh, William M. — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 1969-70, Assistant-Cambridge-Zion; 71-73, Royal Oak, Md.; 74 — Georgetown, Grace.

Flater, H. B. — 1935, Maryland, 35, Caroline; 36-38, Bivalve; Mar. and Pen.; 1938-40, Kent Island-Wye; 41-43, Still Pond; 44-45, Easton (Calvary); 46-52, Scott (Wil.); 53-60, Snow Hill — Bates; 61-63, Delmar, Mt. Olive; 64-66 — Oxford, Md.; 67-69 — Preston-Bethesda; 68 — Laurel-Christ; 70-71 — Quantico-Rockawalkin; 72-75 — Disability; 76 — Retired.

Foard, L. R. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 62-68 Slades; 69-70 Millington; 71-73 West Cecil Circuit; 74 Newark Charge

Foster, G. A. — 1948 Peninsula; 48-49 — At School; 50-54, Aldersgate; 55-56 — Winona School of Theology; 57-74 Wilmington-Union; 75-77 — Bridgeville; 78 — Red Lion.

French, J. E. — 1934, Wil. 1934-36, Cordova; Wil. and Pen., 37-39, Epworth (Wil.); 40, 42, Newcastle; 43-45, Denton, (First); 56-61, Supt., Salisbury District; 62-65 — Cambridge-Zion; 66-69 — Wilm.-Peninsula; 70-74 — Milford Avenue, 75-76 — Rehoboth-Epworth; 77 — Retired.

Gammon, G. S. — 1964, Peninsula; 64-68 — Wilmington, Calvary; 69 — Youth Services Commission, State of Del.

Gauger, John M. R., — 78 — Pen. Conf.; 78 — attend school.

Geoghegan, William D. — 1945, Pen. Conf.; 45-46, Christiana; 47-50, at school; 50-54, Chaplain, University of Rochester; 54 — Bowdoin College.

Gerald, C. D. — 1928, Delaware Conf.; 28-31, Keller, Va.; 32-33, Parsonsburg, Md.; 34-37, Pomona, Md.; 38-42, Cambridge, Md.; 43-48, Supt. Dover District; 49-51, Camphor, Phila.; Pa.; 52-56, Princess Anne, Md.; 57-62, Seaford, Del.; 63-64, Nassau, Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Nassau, Del.; 66 — Retired.

Given, R. G. — 1947, Pen.; 1947-48, Crapo; 49-51, Wesley Chapel of Kent; 52, Trappe; 53-56 — Quantico; 57-58, Vernon; 59-60, Whaleysville, Md.; 61-65 — Bishopville, Md.; 66-69 — Sharptown-Asbury; 70-71 — Bethel, Del.; 72-76 — Frederica Charge; 76 — Vienna-Elliotts; 77 — Lincoln Charge.

Glass, W. A. — 1935, Wil. 1935 — Burrsville; 36-37, Bayside; Wil. and Pen. 38-40, Galena; 41-43, Christiana; 44-45, At School; 46, 58, Registrar, Drew Seminary; 59 — Asst. Prof. Cedar Crest College.

Godfrey, George — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 57, Blades, Del.; 58-61, Conference Director of Camp and Youth Work; 1962 — Western Pa. Conf.; 62-64, Baldwin Community; 1965, Pen. Conf.; 65-68 — Assoc. St. Paul's, Wilm., Del.; 69-76 — Seaford-St. John's; 77 — Dover-Wesley.

Golden, A. B. — 1951; 51-73, Christiana, Del.; 74 — Wilmington-Christ.

Goodley, G. W. — 1939, Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Charlestown; 41, Ebenezer; 42-45, Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46-47, Associate Pastor, Asbury (Salisbury); 48-55, Hillcrest; 56-58, Denton (First); 59-66 — Newport, Del.-Peniel; 67-68 — Lewes-Bethel; 69-71 — Claymont-Atonement; 72-76 — Assoc. Wilmington Manor-Asbury; 77 — Retired.

Gordy, H. L., Jr. — 1956, Pen. Conf.; 56 — School; 57-60 — Quantico, Md.; 61-66, Chaplain, Wesley College; 67-74 — Wilm.-Silverbrook; 75 — Salisbury-Trinity.

Govatos, James A. — 78 Pen. Conf.; 78 attend school.

Graham, Ray F. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-72, School; 73-75 — Assoc. Red Lion-Glasgow; 76 — Trappe-Bruceville.

Green, H. S. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-71, School; 72-74 — Townsend; 75 — Georgetown- Indian Mission.

Green, R. E. — 1976 Penin. Conf. 1975-77 — Upper Fairmount. 78 — West Cecil Charge.

Greene, W. Hayward — 1958, Delaware Conf.; 58-59, Leemont, Va.; 60-64, Easton, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Milford, Del.-Harrington; 67-68 — Snow Hill Circuit; 69-73, Dover-Whatcoat; 74 — Pocomoke City Charge; 75 — Salisbury-Wesley Temple.

Greer, H. W. — 1975, Peninsula; 1974-75, Assoc. Ezion-Mt. Carmel; 76 — School; 77 — Church Hill-Burrsville.

Grier, Kenneth Wayne — 1973, Penin. Conf.; 1973-74 — Assoc. Camden-Woodside; 75 — West Harrington.

Hackett, W. O. — 1942, Pen. 1942-43, Elk Neck; 44-47, Wyoming-Woodside; 48-56 — Georgetown-Wesley; 57-60, Seaford-St. John's; 61-69 — Hillcrest, Bellefonte; 70 — Adm. Meth. Country House.

Hackshaw, Ewart C. — 1941-1959, British Methodist Church; 1959, Delaware Conf.; 59-64, Rock Hall, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Rock Hall, Md.; 67 — Berlin Cir.

Hall, R. P. — 1975, Peninsula; 1975-76 — Church Creek; 77 — Cheswold Charge.

Hamilton, Richard L. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Goldsboro, Md.; 63-65 — Asst. Dir. Development, Wesley Theo. Seminary; 66-70 — Aldersgate-Assoc.; 71-73, Drug Control Coordinator, State of Delaware; 74-76 — Special Consultation, White House Office for Drug Abuse; 77 — Director, Drug Abuse Admin., State of Md.

Hammond, Clayton E. — 1959, Delaware Conf.; 60-64, Darby, Pa.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-68 — Dover, Del.; (Whatcoat); 69-73, Assoc. Executive Sec. Com. on Religion & Race; 74 — Whatcoat; Dover.

Harris, C. M. — 1967, Peninsula Conference; 1967-71 — Oxford-Royal Oak; 72-73 — Disability; 74 — Retired.

Harris, R. L. — 1970, Pen. Conf.; 70-71 — Magnolia, Del.; 72-73 — Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 74-77 — Clayton Charge. 78 Seaford — Reliance.

Hart, C. B. — 1936, Ohio; 36-38, School-Union, N.Y.C., Supplied Asbury, Mt. Vernon, N.Y.; 39-40, N.Y. East, Mt. Vernon, Asbury; 41-43, Bethpage and Hicksville; 44-48, Huntington; 49-55, Waterbury Ct., First; 56-58, Babylon; 59-62, St. Louis (Missouri East, 61), Webster Groves, Mo., Webster Hills; 1963, Peninsula; 63-70, McCabe; 71-75 — Newark, Del.; 76 — Retired.

Hartman, James Lee — 1976, Penin. Conf.; 76 — Warwick; 77 — Mardela Springs.

Hastings, R. W. — 1938, Wil. 1938, Farmington; Wil. and Pen. 39-41, Church Hill; 42-44, Sharptown (Mt. Vernon); 45-47, St. Michaels (Sardis); 48-52, (Salem) Pocomoke City; 53 — Retired.

Hays, Clarence H. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-60, Bethel, Del.; 61-62, Ocean View, Del.; 63-64, Assoc. St. Marks, Easton, Md.; 65-67 — Goldsboro Circuit, Goldsboro, Md.; 68-69 — Smyrna-Asbury; 70-73, Seaford-Reliance; 74 — Centreville.

Helms, R. W. — 1957, Pen.; 57 — Minquadale, Del.; 58-59, Cherry Hill, Md.; 60-62, Galena, Md.; 63-65 — Church Hill, Md.; 66-77 — Newark-Ebenezer; 78 Peninsula — McCabe.

Hemphill, E. J., Jr. — 1941, Pen. 41, Kingswood, 42-43, Ebenezer; 44-73 — Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 74 — Sabbatical Leave; 75 — Retired.

Hemphill, Wm., Jr. — 1949, Pen.; 49-52, East New Market; 53-56 — Sudlersville, Md.; 57-61, Cambridge-St. Paul's; 62-69 — Dover, Wesley; 70-76 — St. Paul-Wilm.; 77 — Wilmington Dist. Supt.

Henderson, Gerald M. — 1957, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Mt. Pleasant-St. Georges; 63-72, Millsboro, Del.; 73 — Peniel.

Hermann, C. C., Jr. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Associate Grace, Wilmington; 63-66, Ocean View, Del.; 67-69 — School; 70 — North East-Bayview; 71-73 — Ass't. Professor Auburn University, Alabama; 74, Ass't Prof. Western Md. College.

Hill, G. W. — 1974, Peninsula Conf.; 73 — St. John's-Moore's.

Hill, P. O. — 1944, Genessee Conf.; 41-42, Farmersville Center; 43, Fair Haven (Va.); 44 — Attending School; 45-47, Queenstown, 48-50 — Christ, Federalsburg; 51-56 — Cecil United Parish; 57-58, St. George's Clarksville; 59-63, Milton; 64-68, Middletown; 69-73, Wilm.-Christ; 74-77 — Assoc. Aldersgate, Wilm; 78 Calvary — Eastlake.

Hitchens, Wm. — 1950, Pen.; 1950-52, Felton; 53-56, Clayton, Del.; 57-62, Christ Church, (Brack Ex. Wilm.); 63-74 — New Castle, Del, 75 — Silverbrook-Haven.

Holden, J. F. — 1965, North-East Ohio Conference; 1967, Peninsula Conference; 1967-71 — Assoc. Harrison St.; 72-74 — Harrison Street; 75 — Exec. Dir. West End Neighborhood House.

Holliday, J. V. — 1952, Pen.; 52-54, At School; 55, Georgetown Circuit; 56-59, Queenstown, Md.; 60-64, Rock Hall, Md.; 65-70 — Laurel-Centenary; 71 — Disability; 72-74 — West Harrington Charge, 75-77 — Marshallton-Cedars; 78 — St. Michaels — St. Lukes.

Hopkins, Raymond Thomas, III — 1976, Penin. Conf.; 76-77, At School; 78 — Cannon Charge.

Hopkins, R. W. — 1941, Pen.; 1941-42, Charlestown; 43, Port Deposit; 44-45, At School; 46-47, Perryville; 48-72, Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 73 — Retired.

Horney, E. J. — 1948, School; 49-55, Ebenezer; 56-62, Hurlock, Md.; 63-64 — Christ Imp., Chestertown, Md.; 65-67 — Asbury, Smyrna, Del.; 68, Chaplain — Del. Home & Hospital, Smyrna, Del.

Hornung, D. O. — 1938, Detroit; 1938-39, Clio.; Pen. Conf.; 41-42, Pomona; 43-44, Crumpton; 45-47, Ingleside and Barclay; 48-53, Ocean City; 54-58, Millsboro; 59-65, Centreville, Md.; 66-72, Pocomoke City-Bethany-Salem; 73 — Berlin-Stevenson.

Howell, Robert D. — 1969, Pen. Conf.; 69-71 — East New Market, Md.; 72-75 — Assoc. St. Paul's, Wilmington; 76 — Chaplain, Veteran's Admin. Hosp., Albany, N.Y.

Hubbard, R. C. — 1935, North East, Ohio; 35-36, At School; 37, Kenilworth, N. J. (Student Charge); 38, Seville, Ohio; 39-41, Peninsula, Ohio; 1942, N. J. Conference; 42-45, Spring Lake, N. J.; 1946-75 — Peninsula Conf. Cambridge (Grace); 76 — Retired.

Hudson, W. H. — 1940, Pen. 1940, St. Martins; 41, At School; 42-45, Milton (Goshen); 46-59, Brack-Ex.; 50-59, Chestertown (First); 60-66; Lewes, Del.; 67-72, Wilmington-Peniel; 73 — Millsboro-Grace.

Huffman, Charles C. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Preston, Md.; 63-67 — Galena, Md.; 68-69 — Crisfield-Asbury; 70-75 — Princess Anne-Antioch; 76 — Federalsburg Concord.

Hurley, Thomas W. — 1972, Peninsula Conference; 1967-70 — Church Creek; 71 — Assoc.-Wilm.-Peniel; 72-76 — Queenstown; 77 — Selbyville-Salem.

Hurst, D. J. — 1959, Louisville to Peninsula Conf.; 1959-61, Burrsville, Md.; 62-64 — Millington; 65-69 — Crisfield-Immanuel; 70-75 — Delmar-St. Stephen's; 76 — Christianna-Salem.

Hustead, Chester — 1969, Pen Conf.; 69-70, Milton-Goshen; 71-72, Marion Station-Mariners; 73 — SY; 74 — Retired.

Irwin, John A. — 1953, Ohio Conf.; 1954, Pen. Conf.; 54, Farmington; 55-56 — East New Market; 57-58 — Preston, Md.; 59-62 — Millsboro, Del.- 63-65 — Assoc. Newark; 66-76 — Selbyville-Salem; 77 — Seaford- Mt. Olivet.

Isaacs, E. C. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, St. Georges, Del.; 63-68 — Wyoming, Del.; 69-71 — Calvary-Eastlake; 72-75 — Denton-St. Luke's; 76 — Cambridge, Grace.

Isaacs, P.E. — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 77 — Laurel Charge.

Jeffers, H. C. — 1950; 52, Trinity & Quindocqua; 52-56 — Preston, Md.; 57-59, Sudlersville, Md.; 60 — Retired.

Jicha, Hubert F., Jr. — 1956, Erie Conf.; Assoc., First Church, Jamestown, N.Y.; 57-59, Clavendon, Pa.; 60-62 — Genesee Conf.; Gainesville, N.Y. At School; 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64 — Assoc., Wesley, Dover, Del.; 65 — Frankford, Del.; 66-70 — Perryville, Md.; 71-72, Clayton, De.; 73 — Georgetown Charge.

Johnson, Vaughn — 1974 — Penin. Conf.; 74 — School; 75 — Princess Anne-Metropolitan.

Jones, James Brochway — 1976 N.C. Conf.; 78 Pen. Conf.; 77 — East Cecil Charge.

Jones, J. E. — 1935, Wil. 1933, Williamsburg; 34-36, Cheswold; 37, Nanticoke; Wil. and Pen. 38-41, Roxana; 42-45, Brack-Ex; 46-69, Berlin; 50-53, Millsboro; 54-61, Wilmington-Harrison Street; 62-64 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 65-74 — Harrington-Asbury; 75 — Retired.

Kauber, D. M. — 1961, West Ohio; 1961-63, At School; 64 — Dir. Gen. Bd. Educ.; 1965 — Peninsula; 1965-68 — Church Ext. Society; 1969 — At School; 70-71 Staff MAP; 72-74 — Dir. Planned Parenthood of Del., 75 Dir. Planned Parenthood of Vermont.

Kay, J. M. — 1931, Maryland, 1931, Kent Island; 32-33, Claremont; 34-36, Greenwood; Mary. and Pen. 37-45, James; 46-50, Concord-Grove; 51-55, Fairmount & Westover; 56-57, Mardela, Md.; 58-63, Crapo, Md.; 64-67, Allen, Md.; 68 — Retired.

Keene, M. H. — 1938, Wil.; 1938, Henderson; Wil. and Pen. 39-40, Kingswood; 41-43, Mardela (Emmanuel); 44-45, Hurlock (Washington); 46-48, Chestertown (Christ); 49-53, Harrison St.; 54-59, Kingswood-Brookside; 60-65 — Seaford-Mt. Olivet; 66-76 — Administrator-Seaford Manor House, Seaford, Del.; 77 — Retired.

Kelly, R. G. — 1963-Penin. Conf.; 59-60, Minquadale; 61, Ebenezer Newark (Interim); 61-62, Warwick; 63-64, Cheswold; 65, Assoc. Elkton; 66-70, Withdrawn; 1970 Pen. Conf. (PM); 70-72, Lincoln; 73-77 — Laurel Mt. Pleasant; 78 Preston Charge.

Kendall, Eleanor A. — 1977, Peninsula Conf., 76 — St. George's-Delaware City.

Kester, E. E. — N. Indiana, 1974 Penin. Conf.; 73 Crapo Charge; 74-76 Galena; 77 — Queenstown-Grasonville.

Ketterman, Howard P., Sr. — 1972 Peninsula Conference; 1966, Mt. Hermon; 67-69, Nanticoke-Bivalve; 70-72, Queen Anne Ct.; 73-76 — Sudlersville; 77 — Crisfield-Asbury.

Kincade, Charles E. — 1920, Delaware Conf.; 20, Eastern Ct., Md.; 21-23, Sewell, N.J.; 24, Warren, Phila., Pa.; 25-30, Ossining, N.Y.; 31, Jersey City, N.J.; 32-33, Ocean City, N.J.; 34-40, Buttonwood, Del.; 41-42, Mt. Holly and Burlington, N.J.; 43, Townsend, Del.; 44-45, Wilm. City Missionary Society, Del.; 46-52, Delaware City, Del.; 53, Sabbatical Leave; 54 — Retired. 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.

Kirk, George P. — 1963, W. Va.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Bethel Circuit, Bethel, Del.; 67 — Secretary-Dorchester; 68-69 — Colora Mt. Pleasant; 70-76 — Sy.; 77 — Retired.

Knotts, J. W. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-65 — At School; 66-67 — Assoc. Peniel; 68-70 — Assoc. Wilm.-Grace; 71-75 — Salisbury-Grace; 76 — Sabb.; 77 — Assoc.-Newark.

Krams, H. K. — 1938, Balt. Conf. (South), 36 Pulaski Cir. (Holston Conf.); 37-38, Hiram Cir. (North Georgia Conf.); Baltimore and Penn. Conf. 39-40, Ingleside and Barclay; 41-44, St. Michaels (Sardis); 45-53, Marshallton; 54-60, Brandywine; 61-71 — Dir. Religious Services, Youth Service Commission, State of Delaware; 72 — Retired.

Krause, Harley H. — Holston Conference; 1964-66. Peninsula Conference; 67-70 — Marion Station-Mariners; 71 — East Cecil Ct.; 72-73 — North East, Bayview; 74-76 — Parsonsburg; 77 — Oriole; 78 — Crisfield, Mt. Pleasant.

Lasbury, C. E. — 1955, Pen.; 55-56 — Assistant, St. Paul's Wilm.; 57-63, Chester-Bethel; 64-68 — Fruitland-St. John's; 69 — Hockessin, Del.

Ledbetter, Pamela G. — 76 — Magnolia.

Lehman, Russell — 1978 — Penin. Conf.; 77 — Whaleysville.

Link, J. N. — 1913-15, Fairfax Circuit, Virginia; 1916-17, Warwick Circuit, Maryland; 1918-19, Accomac Circuit, Virginia; 1920-24, Deer Park Circuit, Maryland; 1925-27 Grace Church, Baltimore; 1928-33 Starr Church, Baltimore; 1935-37 First Church, Newark, New Jersey; 1938-46 Professor of Practical Theology, Westminster Theological Seminary; 1947-52 Peninsula Church, Wilmington; 53-58, District Superintendent, Wilmington District; 59 — Retired.

Littleton, D. A. — 1933, Wil. 1933, Pocomoke Cir.; 34-36, Ocean City; 37-39, Townsend; 40-45, Pen Conf. Chaplain, U. S. Army; 46, Odessa; 47-54, Chaplain Veterans Administration; 55-56, Cherry Hill, Md.; 57-58, Wilm.-Trinity; 59-60, Assoc. Wilm. Manor; 61-66 — Assistant Director Goodwill Industries, Wilm., Del.; 67 — Retired.

Lucia, Frank — 1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Georgetown Circuit; 59-63, Camden, Del., 64-74 — Chester-Bethel; 75 — Milford-Avenue.

Lyght, W. L. D. — 1930, Delaware Conf.; 31-32, Spring Lake, N. J.; 33-37, Smyrna, Del.; 38-40, Harrington, Del.; 41-46, Princess Anne, Md.; 47-50, St. Daniels, Chester, Pa.; 51-54, Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.; 55-60, Supt. Wilm. District; 61-64, Ezion, Wilm. Del.; 1965 Peninsula Conf.; 65-67, Ezion, Wilm. Del.; 68 — Retired.

Mackey, J. R. — 1938-48, Epperson; Norman Jax Dist. 38-40; Jacksonville Beach, Jax Dist. 40-48; Peninsula Conf. 48-69, Asbury-Salisbury; 70-74 — Aldersgate-Wilm., 75 — Retired.

Magill, Earl — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 70 — Ocean View.

Manchester, Harvey, Jr. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-72, School; 73-74 — Laurel Charge; 75-76 — Cherry Hill; 77 — LA; 78 Assoc. St. Paul's, Wilmilngton.

Mariotti, Dilio E. — 1964 — Troy — 1977 Colora - Hopewell.

Massimilla, John A. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66, Laurel, Del., (Mt. Pleasant); 67-69 — Dagsboro-Bethel; 70 — Clayton, Del.; 71-72 — Felton, Del. 73-75 — Magnolia; 76 — Sabb.; 77 — Retired.

Martin, L. A. — 1978 — Penin. Conf.; 77 — Still Pond-Betterton

Matthews, Gonzalee — 1976 Penin. Conf.; 1975-76 — Mt. Vernon-Grace; 77 — Easton-Bellevue.

May, Felton E. — 1962, Northern Illinois Conf.; 62-63 — Assistant St. James Meth. Church; 64-68 — Maple Park; 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68-69 — Meth. Mission & Church Extension Society; 70-74 — Ezion-Mt. Carmel, 75 — Easton Dist. Supt.

McBride, J. E. — 1925, Delaware Conf.; 25-27, Melitota, Md.; 28, Burlington, N. J.; 29-30, Taylor's Island, Md.; 31-34, Cordova, Md.; 35-40, Linkwood, Md.; 41-45, Taylor's Island, Md.; 46-50, Hurlock, Md.; 51-55, Ridgely, Md.; 56-57, Fruitland, Md.; 58 — Retired. 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.

McCabe, K. K. — 1962, Pen. Conf.; 62-63, School; 64-66, Smith Island-Ewells; 67-68 — School; 69-74 — Middletown-Summit, 75-76 — Seaford-Mt. Olivet; 77 — School.

McCoy, P. E. — 1938, Wil. 1938, At School; 39, Burrsville; Pen. 40, Warwick; 41, Galena; 42-43, Hillcrest; 44-45, Newport; 46, Grace (Wil.), Associate Pastor 47-48, (Ebenezer) Easton; 49, Chaplain U.S. Army; 50-52, Easton (Ebenezer); 53-58, St. Paul's, Wilm.; 59-62 — Salisbury-Trinity; 63-64 — Newark, Del.; 65-66 — Dist. Supt. Seaford Dist.; 67, Dist. Supt. Wilmington District; 68-73 — Grace Wilmington, 74-75 — Wilmington: St. Mark's; 76 — Newark.

McCullough, Robert A. Jr. — 78 Pen. Conf.; 78 — Attend School.

McIntyre, Ralph B. — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 71-72 — Nanticoke-Bivalve; 73 — Parsonsburg; 74-77 — Crisfield-Mt. Pleasant; 78 Oriole.

McKelvey, Paul T. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68-69 — School; 70-71 — Richardson Pk. Assoc; 72-77 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 78 Snow Hill: Whatcoat.

Meekins, Gary L. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-73 — Chestertown-Pomona, 74-77 Lewis Charge; 78 — Bridgeville Charge.

Merrill, Thomas R. — 1959, Pen. Conf.; 59, School; 60-62, Mardela, Md.; 63 — Chaplain U.S. Army.

Middlebrooks, Walter E. — 1978 Penin. Conf.; 77 — Federalsburg-Denton.
Milbury, F. D. — 1930, Wil. 1930, At School; 1931-35, Wyoming; 36-39, Federalsburg; Pen. 40-43, Mt. Salem; 44-46, Laurel (Centenary); 47, Newport; 52-55, Dir. Religious Education; 56-64, Milford, (Calvary); 65 — Assoc. Hillcrest Memorial-Bellefonte, Wilm. 66 — Retired.
Miller, A. S. — 1941, Pgh. Conf.; 1940-43, Beechview; 1943-45, Cambridge Circuit, Md.; 1945-48, Beaver Falls, Central; 1948-49, Uniontown, Calvary, Pen. Aug. 1949; 49-61, Cambridge (Zion); 62-67, Salisbury Dist. Supt.; 68 Claymont-Atonement; 69 — Staff Dept. of Finance & Field Service, Nat'l Division, Board of Missions.
Miller, N. L. — 1958, Delaware Conf.; 1965-67 — California Nevada, Assoc. Jones Methodist; 1967 — Pen. Conf.; 67 — Bridgeville; 68-69 — Snow Hill Circuit; 70-74 — Lincoln; 75 — Assoc. Coun. Dir.
Minker, R. L., Sr. — 1974 readmitted; 1974 — Retired.
Mitchell, J. F. — 1975, Peninsula; 1975-77 — Nanticoke-Bivalve; 78 — Assoc. Peninsula-McCabe.
Moore, Gary L. — 1973 Penin. Conf.; 73 — Magnolia Charge, 73-74 — Church-Hill-Price; 75-77 — Quantico-Rockawalkin; 78 — Greensboro-Burrsville.
Moore, Joseph F. — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 77 — Powellville Charge.
Moyer, Charles M. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Harbeson Circuit, Harbeson, Del. 67-70, Felton, Del.; 71 — Camden-Woodside, Del.
Mudede, Ebenezer B. — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 76 — Sharptown-Zion Charge.
Nicklas, H. N. — 1932, Maryland Conf. 31-32, Warwick; 33-35, Powellville; 36-39, Cecil; Pen. 40-42, Odessa; 43-47, Magnolia; 48-51, Trappe; 52-59, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon; 60, Bishopville, Md.; 61-62, Bethel, Del.; 63-65, Houston, Del.; 66 — Retired.
Nurse, Herbert N. — Virginia-North Carolina Conf.; 1962-64, Baltimore Conf.; 1965-66 — Supply Pen. Conf.; 1967-68 — Girdletree-Cool Spring — On Probation. Pen. Conf. 1969; 69 — Queenstown-Carmichael; 70-71 — Easton-Asbury; 72 — Chester-Stevensville; 73 — Sy.; 74 — Disability; 75 — Retired.
O'Dell, J. C. — 1962, Pen. Conf.; 62 — Assoc. Easton-St. Marks; 63-69 — Holly Oak; 70-72, Laurel-Mt. Pleasant; 73-76 — Colora-Hopewell; 77 — Galena.
O'Neil, James — 1928, Wil. 1928, Farmington; 29-31, Nassau; 32-33, Blades; 34-36, Kenton; Wil. and Pen. 37-40, Quantico; 41-42, Pittsville (Ayers); 43-44, Fairmount; 45-47, Greenwood; 48-51, Ellendale; 52-55, Ingleside; 56-57, Crisfield (Mariners); 58-59, Mardela; 60 — Retired.
O'Sullivan, Colleen Marie — 1976 Penin. Conf. 76-77; At School. 78 — Nanticoke-Bivalve.
Owens, Harold E. — 1968, Pen. Conf.; 68-70, North East-West Cecil; 71-72, Assoc.-McCabe-Pen.; 73 — Rising Sun-Janes.
Owens, J. R. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70 — Roxana; 71-74 — Milton-Goshen; 75-77 — Assoc. Asbury-Salis.; 78 — Seaford: St. John's.
Owens, W. H. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Perryville (Asbury); 59-62, Assoc. Dir. Home for Aged; 63-71 — Snow Hill, Whatcoat; 72 — Cambridge-Zion.
Painter, Buford E. — 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Worton, Md. (Saint James); 70-76 — Hurlock; 77 — Cambridge-St. Paul.
Parker, G. O. — 1967, Peninsula Conference; 67 — School; 68-70 — Secretary, Dorchester; 71 — Oriental Miss. Soc.
Parks, H. M. — 1925, Wil. 1925-26, Little Creek; 27-28, Mt. Lebanon; 29-31, St. John's; 32, Delaware City; 33-35, Marshallton; Wil. and Pen. 36-42, Asbury (Wil.); 43-47, Salisbury (Grace); 48, St. Michaels; 49-51, Rock Hall; 52-53, Townsend; 54-58, Port Deposit; 59-61, Millington, Md.; 62 — Retired.
Patterson, Harry Alton III — 1976 Penin. Conf. 76 — At School.
Paul, D. G. — 1959 Philadelphia Conf.; 1960 Peninsula; 1960, Warwick, Md.; 61 — Trappe, Md.; 62-65 — Rising Sun; 66 — Sudlersville, Md.; 67-72 — St. Georges-Del. City; 73-76 — Felton; 77 — Dagsboro, Bethel.
Payne, R. H., Jr. — 1958 Peninsula 58-59, Tilghman, Md.; 60-61, Still Pond, Md.; 62-65 — Queenstown; 66-71 — Marshallton; 72-73 — Odessa; 74-75 — Christiana-Salem; 76 — Laurel.
Phillips, Roy B. — 1955, Pen.; 55, Wesley Chapel; 56-58, Townsend, Del.; 59-60, St. Georges, Clarksville; 61 — Kent Island.
Pitsenbarger, H. W. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Church Creek, Md.; 63-66 — Preston, Md.; 67-74 — Federalsburg-Union; 75 — Field Rep., Finance & Field Rep., Board of Global Min.

Poukish, C. H. — 1958-62 — Mahony City; 1962 Pen. Conf.; 62-65 — Harrington-Trinity; 66 — Crisfield, Md.-Mt. Pleasant; 67 — Wilm.-Brandywine; 68-75 — North East; 76-77 — Delmar; 78 — Bridgeville.
Poultney, N. L. — 1971, Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Cherry Hill; 75 — Cambridge-Choptank.
Price, M. L. — 1974, Pen. Conf.; 74-75 — Bethel-Concord-Wesley; 76 — Milford, Avenue - Assoc.
Pritchard, D. T. — 1934, Wil. 1934-35, Somerset; 36-39, Newark, Md.; Pen. 40-41, Mt. Pleasant (Laurel); 42-46, Millington; 47-48, Odessa; 49-51, Harrington (Trinity); 52-59, Oxford; 60-61, Blades, Del.; 62 — Port Deposit-Tome; 63-65, Hopewell; 66 — Retired.
Pruett, D. R. — 1962, Peninsula Conf.; 62, Hopewell; 63-66, West Cecil Circuit; 67-71, Wyoming; 72-75 — Extension Agent-Youth-Delaware Coop. Ext. Service; 76-77 — Assoc. Dover-Wesley; 78 — Clayton.
Radway, G. H. — 1975 Penin., 1968-70 Sassafras; 71-77 Seaford Ct.; 78 — Laurel-Delmar.
Randolph, J. T. — 1961, Peninsula Conf.; 61-62, Cedars; 63-64 — School; 65-66 — Trappe, Md.; 67-69, St. Michaels-St. Luke's; 70-72, School; 73 — Wyoming.
Rash, R. C. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975-77 — Bethel; 78 — Assoc.-Aldersgate.
Reiter, C. L. — 1957, Pen. 57 — Readmitted and Retired.
Revelle, W. H., Jr. — 1945 Pen. Conf. 45-48, Port Deposit; 49-56 — Chestertown, Christ; 57-58, Smyrna-Asbury; 59-69, Wilm., St. Paul's; 70-72, Salisbury-Asbury; 73-74 — Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 75 — Dover Dist. Supt.
Reynolds, B. E. — Wil. 1938, 1938-39, Hoopers Island; Wil. and Pen. 40-42, Newark, Md.; 43-44, Marshallton; 45-73, Wilmington Manor-Asbury; 74 — Salisbury-Bethesda.
Rich, W. D. — 1956, Balti. Conf.; 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64 — Dir. Wesley Foundation for Eastern, Md.; 65-67, Ocean City, Md.-Atlantic; 68-75 — Assoc. Salisbury-Bethesda; 76 — Assoc. Grace-Wilmington.
Riddleberger, Robert L. — 1978 Penin. Conf.; 76 — Crapo.
Ridley, Douglas M. — 1969 Pen. Conf.; 69-71 — Still Pond-Betterton; 72-75 — Vienna-Elliotts; 76 — Chestertown-Christ.
Ridout, Daniel L. — 1924, Delaware Conf.; 24-26, Princess Anne Academy; 27-28, St. Peters, Wilm., Del.; 29-31, Hamilton, Atlantic City, N. J.; 32-33, St. Michaels, Md.; 34-40, Bridgeton, N.J.; 41-48, Camphor, Phila., Pa.; 49-52, Supt., Dover District; 53-64, Secretary, Baltimore Area; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-70 — Supt. Chestertown District, Chestertown, Md.; 71 — Retired.
Riffe, David — 1958-62, Wesley Foundation at W. Va. University; 62-68 — Wesley Foundation at Winston Salem, N.C.; 1968 Pen. Conf.; 68-75 — Wesley Foundation, Univ. of Del.; 76 — Assoc. Council Director.
Riley, James W. — 1972, Pen. Conf.; 1970-72, Hooper's Island; 73-75 — Ridgely Charge; 76 — Salisbury-Grace.
Roberts, D. Bruce — 1962, Peninsula Conf.; 62-64 — At School; 65-69 — Assoc. Brandywine-Trinity, Wilm., Del.; 70-73, School; 74 — Ass't. Prof. Christian Ed., Scarritt College.
Robinson, C. J. — 1960, Philadelphia to Peninsula, 60 — Dover Wesley & Air Base; 63 — Middletown, Del.; 64-70 — Assoc. Claymont; 71-74 — Assoc. Coun. Dir.; 75 — New Castle-Mt. Salem.
Robinson, W. L., Jr. — 1951; 51-52, Asbury, Wilmington; 53-55, Charleston, Md.; 56-60, Ebenezer-Newark, Del.; 61-66, Wilm.-Brandywine; 67-70, Salisbury-Grace; 71-77 — McCabe-Peninsula; 78 — Marshallton-Cedars.
Rose, Ken R. — Pen. Conf. 1965; 1965-73 — Salisbury-Bethesda; 74 — Grace Wilm.
Ross, G. S. — 1918, Maryland; 1918, Greenback; 19, Harpers Ferry; 20-23, Harmony; 24, Rowlandsville; 25-28, Cannon; 29, Kent Island; 30-34, Mardela; Mary. and Pen. 35-40, Milton; 41-43, Seaford Cir.; 44-48, Goldsboro; 49-50, St. Georges-Delaware City; 51-52, St. Georges-Summit; 53-55, Minquadale; 56, Retired.
Russell, Michele S. — 1978 — Penin. Conf.; 78 — Ellendale Charge.
Ruth, D. L. — 1947, Penin. Conf.; 44-47, Bozman; 1948-52, Easton-Trinity; 53-56 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 57-61, Laurel Centenary; 62-67 — Claymont; 68-73 — Dist. Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 74-76 — Field Representative, Dept. of Dev. and Promotion of the Peninsula United Methodist Homes & Hospitals, Inc.; 77 — Rehoboth Beach-Epworth.
Sanders, Samuel P. — 1947, Delaware Conf.; 47-49, New Rochelle, N.Y.; 50-52, South Berlin, Md.; 53-54, Pocomoke City, Md.; 55-57, Leemont, Va.; 58-62, Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.; 63-64, Nanticoke, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Nanticoke, Md.
Schauer, H. H. — 1933, Student Appointment-Grove; 33-37 — Northumberland; 38-40 — Caroline; 41-44 — Trappe; 45 — Sharptown; 46 — Sabbatical leave; 47-49 — Church Creek; 50-51 — Preston; 52-55 — Rock Hall; 56-61 — Voluntary Location; 62-66, East

Cecil; 67-71, Assoc. Asbury-Minquadale; 72-74 — Marshallton-Cedars; 75 — Retired.

Scott, Carrol — 1960, Delaware Conf.; 61-64, Unionville, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Oxford, Md., Bellevue; 70-74 — Princess Anne-Metropolitan; 75 — Preston Hurlock.

Seyfert, Frederick C. — 1957, Eastern Conf.; Denver-Trinity; 58-63 — North Hampton; 64-65 — Philadelphia-Third; 66-67 — Fairless Hills; 68 — Peninsula Conference; 68-71 — Associate, Dover-Wesley; 72-73 — Milford-Calvary; 74 — Holly Oak.

Seymour, David T. — 78 Pen. Conf., 78 - Attend School.

Shield, E. R. — 1936, Mary. Conf. 36-38, Powellville; Mar. and Pen. 1939-52, Snow Hill-Bates Memorial; 53-57, Pocomoke-Salem; 58-61, Georgetown-Wesley; 62-64 — Laurel-Centenary; 65 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 66-68 — Wilm.-Christ; 69-71 — Retired; 72-73 — Disability; 74 — Retired.

Shockley, J. R. — 1937, Del. Conf.; 37-38, Wachapreague, Va.; 39-42, Upper Hill, Md.; 43-48, Shiloh, Crisfield, Md.; 49-54, Cambridge, Md.; 55-60, Ezion, Wilm., Del.; 61-64, Supt. Wilm. Dist.; Wilm., Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-66 — Supt. Wilm. Dist., Wilm., Del.; 67-71 — Wilm., Harrison St.; 72-74 — Assoc. Council Director; 75-76 — Ezion-Mt. Carmel; 77 — Retired.

Shockley, O. J. — 1957, Pen.; 57-59, Cheswold, Del.; 60-63, Harrington-Asbury; 64-69, Richardson Park; 70-72, Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 73-74 — Dist. Supt. Dover District; 75 — Aldersgate.

Short, T. Chester — 1972, Peninsula; 72-74 — Harbeson Charge; 75 — Dorchester Charge.

Short, T. C. — 1960, Peninsula; 60-67, North East, Md.; 68-73 — Seaford-Mount Olivet; 74 — Asbury-Minquadale.

Simon, James A. — 1978 Penin. Conf.; 77 — Pocomoke City Charge.

Simpers, John W. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-57, School; 58-59, Charlestown, Md.; 60-68 — Hockessin, Del.; 69-73 — Centreville, Md.; 74 — Seaford-Mt. Olivet; 75 — Assoc. Coun. Dir.

Simpson, Sr. Robert E. — 1978 Penin. Conf.; 71 — Kirkwood.

Smith, C. W. — 1943, Detroit Conf.; at school; 44-63, New Hampshire Conf.; 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 1964-65 — East New Market, Md.; 66-70 — Townsend, Del.; 71-75 — Frankford, Del.; 76 — Allen.

Smith, Kyle N. — 1956, Western North Carolina Conf.; 1967, Pen. Conf.; 1967-69 — Greensboro-St. Paul's; 70-73 — Trappe-Oxford; 74 — Milford, Calvary.

Snapp, A. M. B. — 1928 Vermont; 1938, Balto. South; — Pen. 1940-41, Church Hill; 42-45, Chaplain, U.S. Army; 46-47, South & Allen (Salisbury); 48-50, Perryville; 51-53, Chaplain U.S. Army; 54-55, Dover Air Base-St. Paul's; 56-62, Wyoming, Del.; 63 — Retired.

Spedden, H. P. — 1962, Pen. Conf.; 62 — Concord; 63-66, Ridgely, Md.; 67-76 — Cambridge-St. Paul's; 77 — Richardson Park.

Spence, O. H. — 1918, Delaware Conf.; 18-19, Deal Island, Md.; 20-25, Horntown, Va.; 26-28, Royal Oak, Md.; 29-32, Milford, Del.; 33-38, Dover, Del.; 38-41, Montclair, N.J.; 42-48, Dist. Supt. Salisbury Dist.; 49-54, Ezion, Wilm.; 55-60, Asbury, Atlantic City, N.J.; 61 — Retired. 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.

Spence, P. W. — 1926, Wil. 1926-29, Christiana; 30-31, Delaware City; 32-33, Mt. Lebanon; 34-38, Preston; Wil. and Pen. 39-42, Bridgeville; 43-50, Claymont; 51-56 — Dist. Supt. Easton Dist.; 57-65 — Wilm.-Peninsula; 66 — Retired.

Spencer, C. P. — 1967, Pen. Conf.; 1967-69, Trappe-Easton Ct.; 70-71, St. Michaels-Royal Oak; 72 — Retired.

Squires, C. H. — 1938, Wil.; 1938, Girdletree; 39, Willards; Pen. 40-43, Bayside; 44-46, Hurlock (Unity); 47, Newark, Md.; 48-53, (St. Andrews) Salisbury; 54, Ocean City; 55-56, Cheswold, Del.; 57-58, Dagsboro-Bethel; 59-63, Perryville-Asbury; 64-67, Vienna, Md.; 68-69 — Galena; 70-72 — Hopewell-Ebenezer; 73-76 — Disability; 77 Retired.

Stapleton, J. G. — 1956 Peninsula Conf.; 56-57, Trappe, Md.; 58-63, Pocomoke-Salem; 64 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 68-69 — Milford-Avenue; 70-75 — Assoc. Council Dir.; 76 — Stanton-St. Mark's.

Starnes, Ronald W. — 1956, Pen. Conf.; 59-62, Dagsboro, Del.; 63-66, Odessa, Del.; 67-76 — Ass't. Professor Wesley College; 77 — Retired.

Starrett, R. W. — 1967 Peninsula Conference; 1967-69, Assoc.-Wilm., Aldersgate; 70 — School; 71 — Assoc. Claymont, Del.; 72-75 — Assoc. Dover-Wesley; 76 — Chaplain, Wesley College.

Staton, L. E. — 1958, Peninsula; 58, Minquadale, Del.; 59, Assoc. Easton-St. Marks; 60, Cheswold, Del.; 61 — Queenstown; 62-63, Chesapeake City; 64-67, Milton, Del., Goshen; 68-69 — Clayton, Del.; 70-75 — Laurel-Christ; 76-77 — St. Michaels-St. Lukes; 78 — Salisbury: St. Andrews.

Stazesky, R. C. — 1949 Pen.; 49, School; 50, Wilm. (Trinity); 51-57, School; 58-65 — Silverbrook; 66 — Dir. of Urban Ministry, Wilm. Dist. Church Extension Society; 67-70 — Executive Director, Meth. Mission & Church Ext., Society, Inc.; 71-73 — Ass't. Director for Client Services, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Dept. of Labor — Delaware; 74-75 — Brandywine-Trinity; 76 — Exec. Director, Church Home Foundation, Inc.

Steckman, I. D., Jr. — 1967 Peninsula Conference; 1967 — Hebron-Rockawalkin; 68-69 — Preston-Concord; 70 — Asbury-Smyrna.

Stellges, G. L. — 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 1964-65 — Cherry Hill; 66-68 — Hillsboro-Queen Anne; 69 — Hurlock-Williamsburg; 70-73 — St. Michaels-St. Luke's; 74 — Christ, Salisbury.

Sterling, W. T. — 1974, Penin. Conf.; 72-76 — Oriole; 77 — Sudlersville.

Stone, W. H. — 1932, Maryland, 1930, West Wilmington; 31-32, Carroll Cir.; 33-35, Uniontown; 36-39, First (Wil.); Pen. Conf.; 40-42. Hillsboro and Queen Anne; 43-59, Seaford (Mt. Olivet); 60-69 — Ex. Sec. Bd. of Education; 70 — Assoc. Council Dir. Pen. Conf.

Stubbs, S. N. — 1962, Lexington Conf.; 62, School; 1963, Delaware Conf.; 63, Denton-Williston, Md.; 64, Princess Anne, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Princess Anne, Md.; 66-68 — Pastoral Psychologist, Wash. Inst. for Emp. Train.; 69-71 — Program Coordinator Prince Georges County; 72-73 — Assistant Director, GUIDE, D.C. Catholic University; 74-76 — Director Community Services, Psychiatric Institute; 77 — School.

Stookey, L. H. — 1960, Peninsula; 60-62, Mt. Pleasant, Md.; 63-66, Harrison St., 67-70, School; 71-72, Perryville, Md.; 73 — Wesley Theo. Seminary.

Strickler, C. E. — 1961 Peninsula Conf.; 57-59 — Galena-Olivet; 60 — No Record; 61-75 — Snow Hill, Bates; 76 — Sabb.; 77 — Retired.

Swift, Carolyn R. — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 77 — Asst. Wesley-Dover.

Sye, Herbert E., Jr. — 1977, Peninsula Conf., 75-77 — Whaleysville Charge; 78 — attend school.

Tasco, Wm. M. — 1945, Delaware Conf.; 45-46 — Smyrna, Del.; 47-48 — Harrington, Del.; 49-65 — Frodville, N.J. Transferred to Southern N.J. Conf. 1965; Trans. to Philadelphia Conf. 1966. Fletcher, Phila. 66-68 (Leave 68-70). Reinstated 1970; 1971 Peninsula Conf. 71-74; Zion, Federalsburg; 75, Retired.

Tawes, R. L. — 1928, Wil. 1928-29, Millington; 30-32, Ridgely; 33, Ocean City; 34-36, Magnolia; 37, Seaford Cir.; Wil. and Pen. 38-42, Hurlock (Washington); 43-48, Silverbrook; 49-53, Milford-Avenue; 54-56, Wilm.-Peninsula; 57-62, Dist. Supt. Dover District; 63-65 — St. Marks, Easton; 66-68 — Salisbury-Trinity; 69-72, Elkton, Md.; 73 — Retired.

Taylor, A. E. — 1974 Penin. Conf.; 74 — School; 75 — Mt. Vernon Charge.

Thomas, E. C., Jr. — 1949, Peninsula Conf.; 49-51, Greenwood (Grace & Cannon); 52-58, Odessa; 59-62, Queen Anne, Md.; 63-68 — Elkton, Md.; 69-74 — Salisbury-Trinity; 75-76 — Wilmington Dist. Supt.; 77 — Salisbury Dist. Supt.

Thomas, E. P. — 1914, Wil. 1914-15, Pittsville; 16-17, At School; 18-20, Ocean City; 21-22, Epworth (Wil.); 23-28, Laurel; 29-32, Smyrna; 33-35, Dover; Wil. and Pen. 36-40, Easton; 41-44, St. Paul's (Wil.); 45-50, Supt., Easton Dist.; 51-55, Claymont; 56, Retired.

Thomas, Paul — 19__, Troy Conf.; 1961 Peninsula Conf.; 61-73 — Assoc. Aldersgate, Wilmington; 74 — Retired.

Thomas, R. L. — 1966, Pen. Conf.; 1966-67, Warwick-Town Point; 68 — Elkton, East Cecil; 69-72, Sharptown-Mt. Vernon; 73-74 — Crisfield-Asbury; 75 — Townsend.

Thomas, W. C. — 1930, Delaware Conf.; 30, Cottage Grove, Md.; 31-32, McDaniel, Md.; 33-37, Chapel, Md.; 38, Centreville Ct., Md.; 39-42, Centreville, Md.; 43, Sabbatical Year; 44-46, Nanticoke, Md.; 47-51, Townsend, Del.; 52, Upper Hill, Md.; 53, Deal Island, Md.; 54-55; 56, Retired; 57, Effective; 57-63, Cheswold, Del.; 64 — Retired, 1965, Transferred to Peninsula Conference.

Tingle, M. E. — 1953, S. C. Conf.; 1956 Baltimore Conf.; 1964, Peninsula Conf.; 64-73, St. Georges-Clarksville; 74 — Oxford.

Todd, O. M. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Goldsboro, Md.; 59-64, Princess Anne, Md.; 65-69, Director, Drayton Methodist Center; 70 — Thiel College.

Trader, Charles — 1950, Pen.; 50, Fairmount-Westover; 51-55, Vienna; 56-62, Church Hill, Md.; 63-65 — Queen Anne, Md.; 66 — Retired.

Trail, Gary W. — 1962, Central Penna. Conf.; 62 — School; 63 — Waffordsburg; 64-65 — Robertsdale; 1966, Pen. Conf.; 66-67 — Sherwood-Bayside; 68-71 — Preston-Bethesda; 72-76 — Chesapeake City; 77 — Hurlock.

Truitt, F. H. — 1936, Wil. 36-37, Pomona; 38-39, St. Johns; Pen. 40, Mt. Vernon; 41-46, Nassau and Unity; 47-49, (Trinity) Harrington; 49-52, St. Michaels (Sardis); 53-59, Sharptown-Asbury; 60-63, Hebron, Md.; 64-72, Berlin, Md.; 73-74 Disability; 75 — Retired.

Tubbs, Joseph J. — Baltimore Conf., 1973 Pen. Conf.; Chaplain, U. S. Navy; 74 — Wesley College-Staff.

Tulak, Frank E. — 1970 W. Pa.; 1972 Pen. Conf.; 1971-72, Church Creek; 73 — East New Market Charge; 74 — Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte.

Tulak, Gary S. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Cambridge-Choptank; 75-77 — Assoc. St. Mark's-Easton; 78 — Odessa.

Turkington, T. J. — 1922, Maryland; 1922-24, Chincoteague; 25, Wilmington, (Second Ch.); 26-30, First Ch. (Washington); Maryland and Pen. 31-59, Denton, (Grace); 60 — Retired.

Twilley, F. A. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975-76 — At School; 77 — Parsonsburg.

Valentine, K. S. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975-76 — At School; 77 — North East-Bayview; 78 — Assoc. Asbury-Salis.

Van Cleaf, R. E. — 1935, Maryland, 1935-39, Clayton; Pen. Conf. 40-43, Hurlock, (Unity); 44-45, Chaplain U. S. Army; 46-48, Mt. Vernon (Sharptown); 49-50, Georgetown (Grace); 51-55, Harrington-Asbury; 56-58, Middletown, Del.; 59-61, Eastlake-Wilmington; 62-68 — Chaplain U. S. Army; 69 — Queen Anne-Hillsboro; 70-71 — Odessa-St. Paul's; 72-74 — Bethel Charge; 75 — Retired.

Van Tine, J. W. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-72 — St. James-Worton, Md.; 73-76 — Cheswold; 77 Queen Anne Charge.

Varell, K. R. — 1972 Peninsula Conf.; 72-73 — School; 74-77 — Assoc. Seaford-St. John's; 78 — Bethel-Groome.

Vaughn, J. B. — 1931, Wil. Conf.; 1931-35, Bethel and Town Point; 1936-37, Madeley; Wil. and Pen. 1938-41, Milton; 42-43, Salisbury; 44-47, Centreville (Epworth); 48-49, (Washington), Hurlock; 50-54, United Parish; 55-56, Houston, Del.; 57-63, Berlin, Md.; 64-68 — Wilm. East Lake; 69 — Retired.

Volk, F. M. — Maryland Conf.; 1920-21, Melvin Chap., Cumberland; 22-23, Rowlandsville; 24-27, Kemptown; 28-30, Pipe Creek; 31, Harpers Ferry; Maryland and Pen. 1932-40, Pittsville; 41-45, Scott; 46-49, Mt. Olive (Delmar); 50-52, Cambridge (St. Paul's); 53-54, Milton- Goshen & Grace; 55-59, Fruitland; 60 — Retired.

Von Hagel, J. J. — 1932, Maryland, 1933-35, Walkers Chapel; 36-38, Claremont; 39-41, Greenwood, Grace and Cannon, Pen. Conf.; 42-43, Milton, Grace and Indian River; 44-46, Vienna; 47-51, Frankford; 52-55, Wyoming; 56-63, Salisbury (Grace); 64-66, Hurlock, Md.; 67-72, Rising Sun, Md. — Janes; 73 — Assoc. Wilmington-Grace; 74 — Retired.

Vroman, Dale L. — 1973, Detroit; 73 — Queen Anne Charge; 74-75 Detroit Conf.; 76 — East New Market.

Walker, D. E. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63 — St. Thomas; 64-69 — Mardela, Md.; 70 — Rock Hall.

Walker, Jesse H. — 1971, Pen. Conf.; 71 — Mt. Joy Buttonwood.

Wall, Thomas J. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64, Assoc. Hillcrest-Bellefonte; 65-66, Secretary-Dorchester; 67-72, Ridgely Circuit; 73 — Pocomoke City.

Wallace, Robt. O. — S. Dakota, 1974, Penin. Conf.; 74-75 — Trappe-Bruceville; 76 — North East-Harts.; 77 — Field Rep., Finance & Field Service, Bd. of Global Min.

Walseman, Howard G. — 1974 N. N.Y.; 77 — Penin. Conf., Ridgeley Charge.

Walters, Marlene — 1976 Peninsula Conf.; 76 — At School; 77 — Dept. of Pastoral Care, Wilmington Medical Center.

Walton, H. E. — 1953, South Carolina Conf.; 1967, Pen. Conf.; 67-70 — Min. Edu. Seaford-St. John's; 71-76 — Assoc. Newark; 77 — Middletown Charge.

Walz, James P. — 1970 Pen. Conf.; 70-75 — Mt. Lebano; 76 — At School.

Warner, Robt. L. — 1971 Pen. Conf.; 71-74 — Wilm.-St. Marks; 75 — Warwick; 76 — Sy.; 77 — LA.

Waters, Floyd E. — 1961, Delaware Conf.; 62, Odessa-Port Penn., Del.; 63-64, Port Deposit, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Port Deposit, Md.; 66-71 — Retired; 72 — Disability.

Weber, F. D. — 1971, Pen. Conf.; 71 — Crapo, Md.; 72-74 — Assoc. Newark; 75 — Calvary-Eastlake; 76 — Brandywine-Trinity; 77 — Executive Dir. NCCJ.

Wheatley, G. H. — 1929, Wil. Conf. 29-32, Onancock; 33-35, Newark, Md.; 36-39, St. Peters; Wil. and Pen. 40-41, Marian (Trinity); 42-43, Ingleside and Barclay; 44-48, Rock Hall; 49-59, Greensboro; 60 — Retired.

White, Dorothy E. — 1972, Peninsula Conf.; 72-75 — School; 76-77 — Mt. Lebanon-Mt. Salem; 78 — Community Ministries.

Whitlock, Robert — 1957; 57-59 — Chesapeake City, Md.; 60-63 — Fruitland, Md.; 64-69 — Delmar, Del-St. Stephens; 70-76 — Wesley-Dover; 77 — Wilm. St. Paul's.

Wilcox, C. E. — 1956, Peninsula Conf.; 56-58, Harrington (Trinity); 59 — Odessa, Del.; 60-63, Calvary-Wilmington; 64-65 — Hebron, Md.; 66 — Sabbatical Leave; 67-68 — Trappe-Faith Chapel; 69 — Salisbury-St. Andrews; 70 — Mt. Salem; Retired.

Wildey, D. C. — 1943, Pen. Conf.; 43-44 — Leeds, Md.; 45-46 — U. S. Navy Chaplain; 47 — Kingswood; 48 — Hillcrest; 49 — California-Nevada Conf.; 49 — Peninsula; 49-52 — Ocean View; 53-55 — Milford-Calvary; 56-59 — Executive Secretary Bd. of Education; 60-69 — Executive Secretary, Md. Council of Churches; 70 — Peninsula-Wilm.; 71-77 — McCabe-Pensinula; 78 — V.P. Wesley Theo. Seminary.

Wilkins, Edw. R. — 1954-55, At School; 56-59, Assoc. Pastor, Wesley, Dover; 60-64 — Bridgeville; 65-66, Princess Anne-Antioch; 67-75 — Chaplain Wesley College; 76 — Denton.

Wilkins, H. O. — 45-46, St. John's; 47-49, Camden; 50-55, Middletown; 56-60, Hillcrest, Del.; 61-67, Seaford, St. John's; 68-72, Dist. Supt. Wilm. Dist.; 73 — Asbury-Salisbury.

Wilkins, Samuel L. — 1950, Delaware Conf.; 50-53, Grenloch and Rhodes, N.J.; 54-59, Buttonwood, Del.; 60-63, Grace, Chester, Pa.; 64, School; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65 — Townsend Circuit, Del.; 77 — Disability Leave; 78 — Whaleysville Charge.

Willink, Alvin J. — 1963, Peninsula Conf.; 63-64 — Mt. Lebanon; 65-74 — Bridgeville-Union; 75 — Harrington-Houston.

Willis, Charles L. — 1947 East Tennessee Conf.; 1960, Delaware Conf.; 60-62, Nanticoke, Md.; 63-64, Fairlee, Md.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-70 — Church Creek, Md.; 71 — Disability Lv.; 72 — Retired.

Wimberly, E. V. — 1940, Delaware Conf.; 40, Jersey City, N. J.; 41-44, John Simmons, Phila., Pa.; 45, Newport, Del.; 46-47, Milford, Del.; 48-58, Lawnside, N. J.; 59-60, Siloam, Chester, Pa.; 61-64, Mt. Carmel, Wilm., Del.; 1965, Peninsula Conf.; 65-69 — Mt. Carmel, Wilm., Del.; 70 — Retired.

Wimbrow, L. E. — 1962, Balti. Conf.; 1967, Pen. Conf.; 67 — North East-West Cecil Circuit; 68-74 — Ocean City-Atlantic; 75— Chestertown-First.

Wood, F. D. — 1975 Peninsula; 1975 — At School.

Woodruff, E. P. — 1974, Penin. Conf.; 72 — Crapo Circuit; 73-77 — Worton-St. James; 78 — Bethel Charge.

Young, J. M. — 1961, Balti. Conf.; 61-62 — North Rehobeth (Mass.); 63-66 — New Harbor-Round Pond; 1966 — Maine Conf.; 66-73 — Bangor-Grace; 1974 — Penin. Conf.; 74 — Executive Director MAP.

Zollenhoffer, Henry — 1977, Peninsula Conf.; 77 — Smith Island.

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PASTORAL RECORD

*Associate Members

Abbott, Wilmer E. — Peninsula Conference; 1946 — Parsonsburg; 47 — St. John's; 50-59 — Madley; 60 — Charlestown; 61-62 — Felton; 63-67 — Cedars; 68 — Retired.

***Barclay, Howard F.** — 1972 — Dea Island Circuit.

Beckett, Noah L. — 1973-76 — Wittman-McDaniel; 77 — Ridgely-Marydel.

***Bishop, George W.** — Peninsula Conference; 57-58 — Nanticoke; 59-60 — Mt. Vernon; 61-71 — Frederica; 72 — Retired.

Black, William H. — Delaware Conference; 1963-64 — Delaware City-Port. Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Delaware City-Port Penn.; 66 — Christiana-Kirkwood.

Blackburn, J. — 1974 — Glasgow.

Brackeen, Joseph — 1977 — Mt. Vernon-Grace.

Brittingham, A. — 1975 — Georgetown.

***Brown, Claude C.** — Peninsula Conference; 1958 — St. Martins; 59-63 — Upper Fairmount; 64-66 — Wingate; 67 — Harmony; 68-69 — Hebron-Rockawalkin; 70-73 — Galena, Kennedyville; 74-75 — Blades; 76 — Sharptown-Asbury.

Brown, Robert M. — 1977 — Cambridge-Aireys.

***Bryant, Commander R.** — Delaware Conference; 1948-50 — St. John's Mission; 51-57 — Crumpton; 58-64 — Pomona; Peninsula Conference; 65-66 — Bridgeville Circuit; 67-69 — St. Michael's-Royal Oak; 70-75 — Ridgely-Marydel; 76 — Retired.

Burbage, John D. — Peninsula Conf. 1971; 71-76 — Smith Island; 77 — Melson.

Burke, Clarence R. — Delaware Conference; 1964 — Stockton-Shiloh; Peninsula Conference; 1965 — Stockton-Shiloh.

***Caulk, Jacob C.** — Delaware Conference; 1949-56 — St. Georges-Kirkwood; 57-58 — Odessa-Port Penn; 59-64 — Buttonwood-Christiana; Peninsula Conference; 1965-69, Buttonwood-Christiana; 70, Haven-Mt. Pleasant; 71-72, Millsboro Ct.; 73 — Retired.

***Chase, Harvey G., Jr.** — Delaware Conference; 1955-64 — Cordova-Earle's Chapel; Peninsula Conference; 1965-67, Ridgely-Greensboro; 68-75 — Cambridge Circuit; 76-77 — Harrison Street; 78 — Dale's Memorial.

***Conway, James A.** — Delaware Conference; 1955-57 — Seaford Circuit; 58-64 — Newark, Md.; Peninsula Conference; 1965-67 — Newark; 68-71 — Crisfield-Shiloh; 72 — Retired.

Crockett, Dewey — 1973 — Deal Island-St. John's.

***Dennis, Edgar N.** — Delaware Conference; 1962-63 — Manokin; 64 — Mount Vernon; Peninsula Conference; 1965-70 — Mt. Vernon; 68-71 — Eden, Md.; 72 — Crisfield-Shiloh.

Dennis, Roland W. — Delaware Conference; 1961-62 — White Haven; Pen. Conf.; 1962-69 — Wittman-McDaniel; 70-76 — Trappe-Oxford; 77 — Cambridge-Vienna.

***Doughten, James B., Jr.** — Peninsula Conference; 1959-60 — Leipsic-Little Creek; 61-63 — Gumboro; 64-69 — Lincoln; 70-73 — Dagsboro-Bethel; 74 — Greenwood Charge.

***Downing, Ivon P.** — Peninsula Conference; 1958 — Mt. Zion-Wesley; 59-60 — Ellendale; 61-65 — Roxana; 66-69 — Reliance; 70-73 — Newark-Bethany; 74 — Clarksville-St. George's.

Downing, Wm. — 1973-76 — Powellville Charge; 77 Girdletree-Stockton.

***Fansler, K. G.** — 1970 — Eastern Penna. AM; 70 — Assoc. Covenant, Springfield; 71-72 — Assoc. First, Corning; 73 — Assoc. Aldersgate, Wilm.

Ford, W. J. — Pen. Conf.; 1969 — Salisbury-Riverside.

Fox, Clarence J. — Peninsula Conf.; 1946-49 — St. Thomas; 50-56 — Hebron Nelson; 57-59 — Bishopville; 60-65 — Pittsville-Ayres; 66-68 — Powellville; 69 — Retired.

***Garrett, William J.** — Peninsula Conference; 1948-50 — Bozman-Neavitt; 51-55 — Beckwith-Spedden; 56-57 — Pittsville-Ayres; 58-61 — Parsonsburg; 62-64 — Sharptown--Asbury; 65-68 — Harrington-Trinity; 69-71 — Chesapeake City-Trinity; 72-74 — Calvary Eastlake; 75 — Retired.

Gehring, Steven D. — Pen. Conf.; 1970-74 — Assistant-St. Mark's Easton.

Gibbs, Mrs. Marie F. — Peninsula Conf.; 72 — Boyer's Chapel.

***Gladden, Edward M.** — Peninsula Conference; 1958-61 — Galestown; 62-63 — Smith Island; 64-69 — Newark, Md.; 70-73 — St. Andrews-Salisbury; 74-75 — St. Michael's, St. Luke's; 76-77 — Calvary-Eastlake; 78 Laurel-Mt. Pleasant.

***Gladden, Herbert H.** — Peninsula Conference; 1957-65 — Powellville; 66 — Hebron.

***Grattan, Harold N.** — S. New Jersey Conference; 1966 — Evan. Peninsula Conference; 67, Smith Island; 68-70, Girdletree-Stockton; 71-72, Mardela Springs; 73 — Retired.

***Greene, Wallace L., Sr.** — Delaware Conference; 1964 — Taylors Island. Peninsula Conference; 65 — Taylors Island.

***Hackett, Thaddeus** — Delaware Conference; 1942-44 — Galena; 45-48 — Millsboro; 49-64 — Harrington. Peninsula Conference; 65-75 — Sharptown-John Wesley; 76 — Retired.

***Handy, Clarence E.** — Delaware Conference; 1962-64 — Tyaskin; Peninsula Conference; 65 — Oakville-Cottage Grove.

***Henry, Phillip A.** — Delaware Conference; 1955-62 — Fairlee; 63-64 — Milford, Peninsula Conference; 65-68 — Wilmington-Simpson; 69 — Assoc. Wilmington-Ezion; 70 — Millington- Pondtown.

Highby, Theodore D. — 1977 Ellendale Charge.

***Hilbert, James J.** — Wyoming Conference; 1938-53. New York Conference; 1954-58. Central Pa. Conference; 1959-64. Peninsula Conference: 1966-67 — Cherry Hill; 68-69 — Port Deposit-Tome; 70 — Retired.

***Hilton, Paul R.** — Delaware Conference; 1952 — Buttonwood; 53-58 — Still Pond; 59-64, Millington, Peninsula Conference; 65-67, Millington; 68-72, Rock Hall; 73 — Coleman.

Hope, Clifton — Peninsula Conference; 1956-63 — Newark-Bowen; 64-65 — Associate-Trinity, Salisbury; 66 — Quantico (Interim Pastor); 67-69 — Deal Island; 70-72 — St. Martin's; 77 — Gumboro-Whiteville.

Hughes, Ralph H. — Peninsula Conference; 1953-55 — Bellefonte; 56-67 — St. Marks, Stanton; 1968 — Retired.

Hurd, Russell C. — 1977 — Milton-Nassau.

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James, Ophelia O. (Mrs.) — Delaware Conference; 1949-64 — Sassafras-Galena. Peninsula Conference; 65-67 — Sassafras-Galena; 1968 — Retired.

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***Lewis, David T.** — Delaware Conference; 1953-54 — Seaford Circuit; 55-59 — Oriole; 60-64 — Whaleysville. Peninsula Conference; 65-68 — Whaleysville; 69 — Girdletree--Coolspring.

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Roberts, Maxwell J. — Peninsula Conference; 1948-49 — Royal Oak; 50-53 — Cambridge Circuit; 54-56 — Church Creek; 57-58 — East New Market; 59-60 — Frankford; 61-62 — Stockton-Girdletree; 62-65 — Parsonsburg; 66-68 — Salisbury-St. Andrews; 69 — Retired.

Robinson, Frank W. — 1977 — Wittman-McDaniel.

Russell, William E. — Delaware Conference; 1964 — New Castle-Mt. Salem. Peninsula Conference; 1965-68 — New Castle-Mt. Salem; 69 — Wilmington-Simpson.

***Shufelt, Vinton D.** — Peninsula Conference; 1950-56 — Harmony; 57-62 — Ridgely; 63-65 — St. Michael's; 66 — Salisbury-Christ; 67-73 — Salisbury-Christ & Mt. Hermon; 74 — Retired.

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Thompson, Daisy — 1973 — Lewes Charge; 74 — Retired.

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Wallace, W. T. — 1974 — Mt. Calvary-Fruitland.

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White, Isaac H. — Delaware Conference; 1945-47 — Keller, Va.; 48-53 — Greenwood; 54-56 — Dames Quarter; 57-60 — Cottage Grove; 61-63 — Hopewell; 64 — Wesley Circuit; 65 — Retired.

White, Mildred — Delaware Conference; 1978 Retired.

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Wilson, George B. — 1950 — Delaware Conference; 50-51, Port Deposit; 51-54 — Still Pond; 54-59 — Rock Hall; 59-61 — Nassau, DE; 61-62 — Wattsville, Va.; 62-67 — Fruitland, Md.; 67-68 — Girdletree, Md.; 68 — Retired.

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