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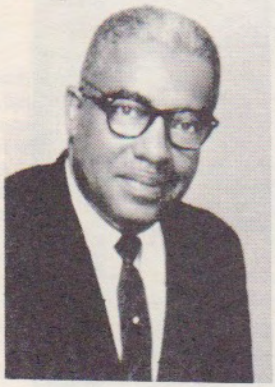

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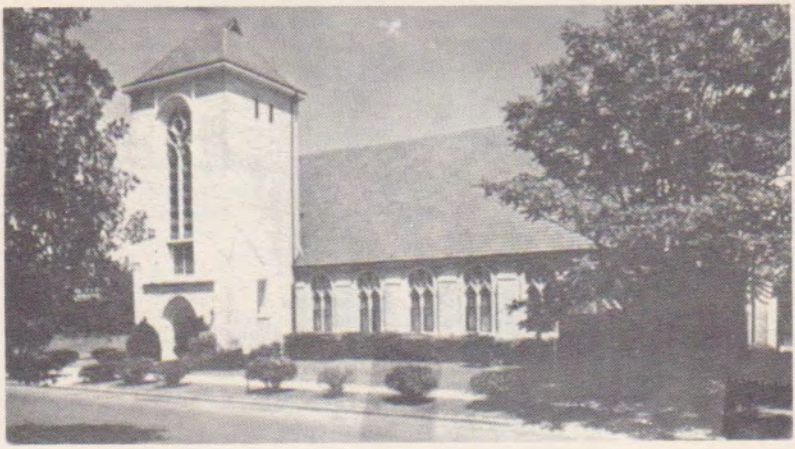

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W. D. Lester
C. G. Tillmon
H. W. Johnson

PROCEEDINGS

June 1, 1972, Thursday

9:00 a.m.	REGISTRATION
12:30 p.m.	Lunch
2:00 p.m.	Pre-conference session with Dist. Supt. and committees
5:30 p.m.	Dinner
7:30 p.m.	COMMUNION SERVICE Bishop Paul V. Galloway, Communicant assisted by the District Superintendents and Host Pastor Sermon - Bishop Paul V. Galloway Music - Wesley United Methodist Church Choir Offering - Wesley Ushers

June 2, 1972

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE

Effective Elders:

1. W. H. Bass
2. R. B. Brown
3. J. T. Counts
4. Connie Davis
5. Harold Flowers
6. C. C. Hall
7. E. T. Hickman
8. J. W. Hobbs
9. Joe Hughes, Jr.
10. E. M. Johnson
11. W. D. Lester
12. J. W. Lofton
13. W. H. Piggee
14. R. C. Preston
15. Elijah Morgan
16. M. D. Nelson
17. Negail R. Riley
18. William Robinson
19. C. H. Roe
20. Lloyd Smith
21. T. E. Snow
22. F. C. Souder
23. J. H. Thompson
24. C. G. Tillmon
25. A. S. Wamble, Sr.
26. W. D. Waterford

APPROVED SUPPLY

T. R. Green
E. F. Shannon

RETIRED RELATIONS

Little Rock District

Clifton Banks
W. H. D. Bright
P. H. Myers
D. W. Terry
L. T. Thompson
G. G. Troupe

Oklahoma District

H. A. Davie
Fay Norman
J. H. Oliver
Ira A. Pointer
J. M. Smith
E. L. Stewart
C. L. Watson
J. C. Tyus

June 2, 1972, Friday

8:30 a.m. -- Devotion - Reverend J. W. Hobbs

8:45 a.m. -- CONFERENCE BUSINESS

Bishop Galloway presented Dr. Miller from the Board of Pensions.

A courtesy committee was appointed consisting of: Rev. J. H. Oliver and R. C. Preston.

A check from the Methodist Publishing House, in the amount of $1,658.75 as our share of publishing interest which was presented to Rev. Hall for the Board of Pensions.

A check in the amount of $4,450.00 was presented by Rev. Hall, Conf. Bd. of Pensions Chairman, to Dr. Miller. This includes the monies collected from all sources.

Dr. Miller explained the distribution of pension monies. It will be distributed as following:

Little Rock Conference 43%
North Arkansas Conference 31%
Oklahoma Conference 26%

He outlined plans of the pension Board relative to merger.

An equitable distribution formula was introduced as an interim procedure. This formula facilitates new pension rates being effective July 1, 1972. He stated the present annuity rate for the other three conferences. These are: Oklahoma $78, Little Rock Conference $61.00 and North Arkansas $61.00. Also, widows, ministers children, active ministers and others who will become eligible for other benefits.

The announcement that Mrs. Harris from Little Rock will be here to enroll people interested in the various insurance programs, was made by the Bishop.

Rev. C. G. Tillmon nominated Rev. A. S. Wamble as conference secretary. Nomination carried.

Dr. Lester established the first 8 rows across the front of the church as the bar of the conference.

Seating arrangement of delegates was established, and voting procedures were explained.

An official count of ministerial and lay delegates was taken. Totals are: 34 ministers and 32 lay delegates.

Dr. W. D. Lester, chairman of the S.W. Conference Ad Hoc Comm. presented the propose plan of merger of the Little Rock, North Arkansas, Oklahoma and S.W. Conference of the S.C. Jur. for vote. Rev. Hickman seconded the movement for the adoption of the report. See report.

Dr. Lester outlined the work of the committee expressing limitations and other features of the plan, but the committee felt that the plan is suitable for the present. After adoption, an implementation committee will be involved in placing the plan into affect.

Results of the voting was: Ayes 57 -- 5 abstains -- 4 not voting.

Bishop Galloway addressed the conference regarding his feelings toward this merger. He expressed concern for the success of the merger, and will start working immediately placing former SW conf. people on various boards and agencies of the merged conferences.

Bishop Galloway announced the appointment of Rev. C. C. Hall as District Superintendent. He then asked the conference to stand for a moment of prayer in gratitude of the combined efforts of all concerned.

Dr. Lester motioned that there be an annual reunion of the Sons & Daughters of the former S.W. Conference. Seconded by R. B. Brown. The adjent to the propose plan of merger was read by Rev. Bass, moved for the adoption by the same and seconded by Dr. Lester.

Corrections to the daily proceedings were made by Dr. Lester. Changes were adopted.

Lucille VanZant and J. W. Lofton were elected as assistant secretaries.

Rev. J. L. Jones, Comm. on Religion and Race addressed the conference. He extended congratulations on the mergers and expressed the importance of the action the conference has taken and the work facing the conferences.

Retired Bishop, W. C. Martin was presented to the conference by Bishop Galloway. He brought greetings to the conference.

Dr. Negail Riley, National Division of the Board of Missions, spoke to the conference, expressing his impressions of his tours throughout the world inspecting the various programs of the Board of Missions.

Mrs. Alice Preston, President of the S.W. Conf. W.S.C.S., introduced Mrs. E. T. Davenport, President of the Little Rock Conf. W.S.C.S. She also presented Mrs. Jordon, Dean of the Inter-conference School of Christian Missions, which will be held at Hendricks College, Conway, Arkansas. Mrs. Jordon outlined plans for the school and other activities.

Dr. Holt, Perkins School of Theology, S. M. U., Dallas, Texas, was presented to the conference.

Mrs. Lula Tillmon read the report of the Program Council. See report. Rev. Preston made a correction, stating the conference youth camp would not be held, due to merger. Report adopted with this notation.

Report of the Board of Pensions - Rev. Hall. See report.

11:45 - MEMORIAL SERVICE
Devotion -- Rev. J. W. Lofton
Sermon -- Rev. C. C. Hall

Friday Afternoon Session

Worship - Mrs. Alice Preston - Meditation from Upper Room, May 1972.
W.S.C.S. - Mrs. Alice Preston, presiding.

BUSINESS SESSION ...

Rev. J. W. Lofton appointed to the Board of Trustees of The Bishop Residence.

Board of Evangelism report - Rev. R. B. Brown. See report.

Report of the Board of Trustees - Rev. Harold Flowers.

Added to the report was property at Canfield, Arkansas. This property was not previously listed in the journal as being for sale.

RECOMMENDATION FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES: that the proceeds from the sale of property of the former S. W. Conference be used toward the development of ministries in the black community. Report adopted with recommendation. See report.

Rev. Negail Riley submitted an amendment to the report of the Board of Trustees. The amendment states: "That the trustees of the former S. W. Conference, incorporate in order to transact such business as necessary, to sell properties and recommend distribution of proceeds for the development of ministries within the black communities of Oklahoma and Arkansas until such time as this function is no longer necessary."

Visitors to the conference for today's proceedings were: Rev. and Mrs. Ben Jordan, First UMC, Conway, Arkansas; Mrs. Marie Harris, Insurance Clerk of Little Rock Conference; Rev. Alf. Eason, Program Chairman, Little Rock; Rev. J. E. Dunlap, District Supt., Little Rock; Alfred A. Knox, Editor, Arkansas Methodist; Rev. Sloan, A. M. E. Zion, college minister at Philander.

7:30 Friday Evening Session

PHILANDER SMITH COLLEGE NIGHT
Clinton Anderson, presiding
Worship - Rev. Harold Flowers
Address - Dr. Walter R. Hazzard
Offering - $501.50

June 3, 1972 - Saturday

8:30 a.m. Worship - Rev. C. G. Tillmon, Presiding
CONFERENCE BUSINESS
Bishop Galloway Presiding - Reports Continued

9:00 a.m. SPECIAL
The combined Youth Choirs of St. Paul Maurmelle and Marks Chapel, Pankey, Arkansas. Rev. William Robinson pastor, rendered the music.
Dr. Maurice King delivered the message.
CONFERENCE BUSINESS
Bishop Galloway presiding.
Reports Continued.

Ministers Wives
Board of Pensions - Approved
Presentation by Dr. Walker R. Hazzard, President of Philander Smith College, his highlights were pretaining to the college and its relationship to the churches.
Benediction - Adjournment

2:00 p.m. Devotion - Mrs. Lucille VanZant
2:10 p.m. CONFERENCE BUSINESS
Bishop Galloway presiding
4:30 p.m. Anniversary - United Methodist Youths - Miss Karren Moore, presiding.

7:00 p.m.- Saturday Evening

Worship Service ---------- Rev. R. B. Brown Presiding
Rev. E. T. Hickman
Retirement Services ------ For Rev. E. M. Johnson
Rev. C. H. Roe
Sermon ---------- Dr. John H. Graham
The National Board Mission
United Methodist Church
New York, New York
Music ---------- Combined Choirs of the United Methodist Church of Greater Little Rock of the Southwest Conference
Benediction ---------- Adjournment

8:30 p.m. Student Union Bldg.
Reception in Honor of Bishop and Mrs. Galloway.
Other honors and awards were given to the members of the conference by Bishop Galloway.

June 4, 1972 - Sunday Morning

9:30 a.m. Love Feast
In charge - Rev. J. H. Oliver
Rev. W. H. D. Bright
Rev. Ira Pointer

10:40 a.m. Dr. W. D. Lester presiding.
Scripture ---------- Rev. J. H. Thompson
Prayer ---------- Rev. A. S. Wamble, Sr.
Music ---------- Wesley United Methodist Church Choir
Sermon ---------- Dr. John H. Graham
Offering
CONFERENCE BUSINESS
Reading of appointments
The report of the committee on Journal was filed with the Conference Secretary.
Rev. E. Fredrick Shannon was read into full membership of the Conference by Bishop Galloway.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION

This is to certify that on (4th) fourth day of June, A.D. 1972, under the election of the Southwest Conference of The United Methodist Church, I ordained (assisted by several elders) as ELDER:

E. Frederick Shannon

(Signed); Paul V. Galloway
Resident Bishop

We the undersigned, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct report of the Daily Proceedings of the Forty-Fourth Session of the Southwest Conference of the United Methodist Church, held in Wesley United Methodist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas, June 1-4, 1972.

(Signed); Paul V. Galloway
Resident, Bishop & Pres.
(Signed); A. S. Wamble, Sr.
Secretary

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the Southwest Annual Conference held in Little Rock, Arkansas from June 1, 1972, through June 4, 1972. Bishop Paul V. Galloway, Presiding; Date When Organized 1928; Number of This Session, Forty-fourth (44th).

PART I ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium: (Para. 661. 6, 909)
   Secretary - Amos S. Wamble, Sr.
   Address - 3004 N. Creston Drive, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111
   Statistician - Joseph W. Hobbs
   Address - 931 East Drive, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105
   Treasurer - J. H. Thompson
   Address - 1922 So. Martin, Little Rock, Arkansas 72204
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? (Para.661. 1) Yes
3. Bonding and auditing: Yes
   a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? (Para. 913, 1508) Treasurer - J. H. Thompson - $15, 000. 00
   b) Have the books of said officers or persons been audited? (Para. 909, 913, 1508) Yes
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected?
   (Answer Yes or No)
   a) Annual Conference Program Council - Yes
   b) Board of Christian Social Concerns - Yes
   c) Board of Education - Yes
   d) Board of Evangelism - Yes
   e) Board of Health and Welfare Ministries - Yes
   f) Board of Laity - Yes
   g) Board of the Ministry - Yes
   h) Board of Missions - Yes
   i) Board of Pensions - Yes
   j) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference - Yes
   k) Commission on Archives and History - Yes
   l) Commission on Enlistment for Church Occupations - Yes
   m) Commission on Minimum Salaries - Yes
   n) Commission on World Service and Finance - Yes
   o) Committee of Investigation - Yes
   p) Committee on Publishing Interest - Yes
   q) Conference Women's Society of Christian Service - Yes
   r) District Boards of Church Location and Building - Yes
   s) District Committee on the Ministry - Yes
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The United Methodist Church? (Para. 664. 6) - Yes
6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report of Journal.)
7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report of Journal.)

8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See report in Journal)
9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? (Para. 924) See Report of the Commission on World Service and Finance.
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? (Para. 908) See Report of World Service and Finance.
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? (Para. 1380. 4, 6) See Report.
12. What are the apportionments to this conference?
    a) For the World Service Fund? See Report
    b) For the Episcopal Fund? See Report
    c) For the General Administration Fund? See Report
    d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? See Report
    e) For the Temporary General Aid Fund? See Report
    f) For the National Ministerial Education Fund? See Report
    g) For the maintenance of our institutions of higher learning? See Report
13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: (Para. 902) World Service? %
    Conference benevolences %
14. What are the reports, recommendations and plans of the conference agencies:
    a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions? (Para. 1380) See Report
    b) What is the report of the Board of Mission of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? (Para. 1366) See Report
    c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? (Para. 898, 918) See Report
    d) What is the report of the Commission on Enlistment for Church occupations? (Para. 666) See Report
    e) What are the other reports? See Report
15. What United Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for pension responsibility? (Para. 1379. 4g) See Report
16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday? (Para. 1178)
17. Conference lay leader (Para. 1250)
    a) Name - Mr. Vernell Norman, 13th at State Street, Little Rock, Ark.
    b) What is his report? See Layman's Report %Philander Smith College
    c) Who are district and associate district lay leaders? (Para. 1264) See Report.
18. What local churches have been?
    a) Organized? (Para. 142) None
    b) Merged (Para. 1547-48) None
        1) United Methodist with United Methodist - None
        2) Other Mergers - None
    c) Discontinued or abandoned? (Para. 130, 351. 2, 1550) Jackson Chapel, United Methodist Church, Eufaula, Oklahoma
    d) Relocated and to what address? No
    e) Changed name of church? (other than change in the denomination) Ex: "first" to "Trinity" - None
    f) Transferred into this conference from other United Methodist conference(s) and with what membership? (Para. 668)
        1) This year - None
        2) Previously this quadrennium - None
    g) What other changes have taken place in the list of churches? None
19. What changes have been made in district and charge lines? See question #51

PART II PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

20. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes
21. Who constitute the Conference Committee on Investigation? (Para. 1740.1) J. W. Lofton, C. G. Tillmon, R. C. Preston
22. Who are eligible to be appointed as:
    a) Full-time lay pastors? (Para. 348.1) and what progress has each made in the course of study? Timothy R. Green (First Year Course of Study)
    b) Part-time lay pastors? (Para. 348.2) and what progress has each made in the course of study? Herbert Scott
    c) Student lay pastors? (Para. 348.3) and in what schools are they enrolled? Arthur Parham (Attending Inter-denominational Theological Seminary - Gammon - 1st year)
23. What lay pastors are granted pension credit on account of approved full-time service during the past year? (Para. 1379.3b) Timothy Green, Eddie Frederick Shannon
24. What preachers, coming from other Christian churches, have had their orders recognized?
    a) As deacons? None
    b) As elders? None

NOTE: If your conference has admitted or ordained persons to accommodate another conference, list these persons in Question 35 only. If persons have been admitted or ordained by another annual conference to accommodate your conference, list these persons in Questions 25-34, whichever are appropriate, giving the date and name of the accommodating conference.

25. Who have been admitted from other Christian churches? (Para. 375-375.3)
    (List Alphabetically--See note preceding question 25)
    a) As Associate Members? None
    b) As Probationary Members? None
    c) As Members in Full Connection? None
26. Who have been admitted as Associate Members? (Para. 323)
    (List Alphabetically--See note preceding question 25) None
27. Who are admitted as Probationary Members? (List Alphabetically-- See note preceding question 25)
    a) With degrees from accredited or approved colleges and credits from accredited or approved school of theology? (Para. 327.1-327.2)None
    b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from accredited or approved school of theology? (Para. 328.1) None
    c) With degrees from accredited or approved college or university, 2 yrs. advanced study beyond requirement for Associate Membership and 2 years of service as an Associate Member. (Para. 328.2) None
28. Who are continued as Probationary Members and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies? (Para. 329)
    a) As students in approved schools of theology? None
    b) As graduates of approved schools of theology? None
    c) In the advanced ministerial course of study? None
29. Who are discontinued as Probationary Members? None
30. Who are admitted into full connection? (Para. 333) (List Alphabetically--See note preceding question 25) Eddie Frederick Shannon
31. Who have been elected deacons: (Para. 312) (List alphabetically--See note preceding question 25)
    a) Lay pastors received into Associate Membership? (Para. 312.1) None
    b) Theological students? (Para. 312.2) None
32. Who have been ordained deacons? (Para. 314) (List alphabetically--See note preceding question 25) None

33. Who have been elected elders: (Para. 314) (List alphabetically--See note preceding question 25)
    a) Theological graduates? (Para. 314.1) None
    b) Probationary Members previously Associate Members? (Para. 314.2) Eddie Frederick Shannon (Probationary and Associate Member status received from previous Conference relationship and history).
34. Who have been ordained elders? (List alphabetically--See note preceding question 25) Eddie Frederick Shannon
35. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences: (See note preceding question 25)
    a) Admitted:
        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
36. Who are readmitted? (Para. 367)
    a) As Associate members? None
    b) As Members in Full Connection? None
37. What retired members have been made effective:
    a) As Associate Members? None
    b) As Members in Full Connection? None
38. Who have been received by transfer? (List alphabetically. If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate. See note preceding question 25) None
39. Who have been transferred out? (List alphabetically. If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate. See note preceding question 25) None
40. Who have had their conference membership terminated: (If an Associate Member, so indicate. Give date when this action became effective) None
    a) By voluntary location? (Para. 366) None
    b) By involuntary location? (Para. 368) None
    c) By Surrender of Ministerial Office? (Para. 371) None
    d) By withdrawal? None MPME
    e) By judicial procedure (expelled)? (Para. 1740.5) None
41. Deceased (List alphabetically) None
    a) What Associate members have died during the year? None
    b) What Probationary Members have died during the year? None
    c) What Members in Full Connection have died during the year? None
    d) What lay pastors have died during the year? None
42. Who are the supernumerary ministers and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? (Para. 358) None
43. Who are granted sabbatical leave? (Para. 356) (Give date when this relation became effective) W. D. Lester
44. What actions have been taken concerning disabled ministers and lay pastors? None
    a) Who were granted disability leave since the last Annual Conference session? (Para. 357.2) (Give effective dates and indicate if Probationary Member or Associate Member.)
    b) Who have had their disability leave terminated since the last conference session? (Para. 357.5) (Give effective date of terminations.)
    c) Who are granted disability leave at this session? (If Probationary Member or Associate Member, so indicate.) E. M. Johnson (Full member and ordained)

d) What lay pastors have been recommended by the joint Committee on Disability for disability benefits during the ensuing year? (To be answered by the Board of Pensions.) E. M. Johnson

45. What members in Full Connection have been retired? (List alphabetically giving full -- first, middle, last -- in that order)
    a) This year? C. H. Roe
    b) Previously?
46. What Associate Members have been retired: (List alphabetically giving full name -- first, middle, last -- in that order.)
    a) This year? None
    b) Previously? None
47. What lay pastors have been retired:
    a) This year? None
    b) Previously? None
48. Who are appointed to attend school? (Para. 352. 7) (List alphabetically all those whose prime appointment is to attend school)
    a) Associate Member?
    b) Probationary Member?
    c) Members in Full Connection? None
49. What is the number of:

Pastoral charges? 33	Readmitted? 0
Lay pastors? 3	Discontinued? 0
Received as Associate Members 0	Withdrawn? 0
Received as Probationary Members? 0	Expelled? 0
Received into Full Connection? 1	Located? 0
Transferred In? 0	Deceased? 0
Transferred Out? 0	Retired made effective 0
Received fromother evangelical churches? 0	

50. What is the number of ministers? 25

Categories	Members in Full Connection	Probationary Members	Associate Members
Pastors and District Superintendents	34	0	0
Special Appointments	1	0	0
Appointed to Attend School	0	0	0
On Sabbatical Leave	1	0	0
Disability Leave	1	0	0
Supernumerary	0	0	0
Retired	16	0	0
Total Number Ministers	53	0	0
Grand Total All Ministers	53	0	0

51. What other personal notation should be made? The Southwest Conference voted 57 yes, 5 abstained, and 4 not voting to merge with the following Conferences: The South Central Jurisdiction, The United Methodist Church; The Forty-third (43) Session, 2 June, 1972, Little Rock, Arkansas.
    The North Arkansas Conference
    The Little Rock Conference
    The Oklahoma Conference
    Effective upon Adjournment June 4, 1972

PART III CONCLUDING BUSINESS

52. Where shall the next Conference Session be held? Southwest Conference (Non-existent)
53. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? (Attach list) (Include Special Appointments and give effective dates of all changes)
54. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (Attach list of appointments including special appointments. List all special appointments according to categories of annuity claims.) See Appointments

PROPOSED PLAN OF MERGER OF THE LITTLE ROCK, THE NORTH ARKANSAS, THE OKLAHOMA AND THE SOUTHWEST ANNUAL CONFERENCES OF THE SOUTH CENTRAL JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PREAMBLE

We, the people of The United Methodist Church, residing in the Arkansas and Oklahoma areas, serving, as we do, one Lord whose Gospel declares that in Christ there is neither Greek nor barbarian, bond nor free, male nor female, but that all of us, without distinction, are the children of God whose love is all-inclusive, do now declare our earnest hope that The United Methodist Church in our areas shall truly become an inclusive Church.

In order to foster such an inclusive brotherhood, to eliminate all forms of racial exclusion and discrimination, to develop greater understanding and brotherhood in all aspects of church life and work, and more effectively to serve the Christ who died for us, we do adopt and establish this Plan of Merger, to merge the four (4) existing Conferences of the Arkansas and Oklahoma areas of The United Methodist Church into three (3) new conferences, as follows:

The North Arkansas, The Little Rock and The Oklahoma Conferences whose boundaries shall be the same as described in the 1968 Discipline. Those portions of the Southwest Conference lying within the geographical boundaries of the three conferences described above shall become a part of those conferences.

I. GENERAL PRINCIPLES

While the Plan of Merger now adopted will comprise agreements on major issues concerning our coming together, it is recognized that there are many details which will not be covered by the specifics of this plan. It is therefore agreed that, after merger, all matters not herein specifically provided for will be determined in accordance with The Discipline of The United Methodist Church.

INCLUSIVENESS OF THE CHURCH

The United Methodist Church is a part of The Church Universal which is one Body in Christ. Therefore, all persons, without regard to race, color, national origin, economic condition, or sex, shall be eligible to attend its worship services, to participate in its programs, and when they take the appropriate vows, to be admitted into its membership in any local church in the connection (in accordance with The Discipline, paragraph 107). In The United Methodist Church no church or conference or any other organizational unit of The Church shall be structured so as to exclude any constituent body of the church because of race, color, national origin or sex.

II. That portion of the Southwest Annual Conference lying within the geographical boundaries of the Oklahoma Annual Conference shall be merged with that Conference by the Plan of Merger mutually agreed upon, as follows:

Desiring that The United Methodist Church in Oklahoma might become a truly inclusive Church, we enter into this Plan of Merger of the Oklahoma Annual Conference of The South Central Jurisdiction of The United Methodist Church, and that portion of the Southwest Annual Conference lying within the geographical bounds of the Oklahoma Annual Conference.

1. Upon merger, it is agreed that one member of the former Southwest Annual Conference shall serve as a full time staff member of the Program Council of the Oklahoma Annual Conference.

2. Upon merger, it is further agreed that ministerial and lay persons from the former Southwest Annual Conference shall serve upon Boards, Commissions and Agencies of the Oklahoma Conference.

3. Upon merger, it is agreed that all matters not herein specifically provided for will be determined in accordance with The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church.

III. That portion of the Southwest Annual Conference lying within the geographical boundaries of the state of Arkansas shall be merged with the Little Rock and North Arkansas Annual Conferences, as follows:

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

The ministerial and lay persons or their successors now serving on Boards, Agencies and Committees of the Southwest Annual Conference shall serve during the current quadrennium on like, or similar, Boards, Agencies and Committees shall be open to all persons without regard to race or sex. It is further agreed that in ensuing quadrennia all Boards and Agencies of the North Arkansas and Little Rock Conference (or their successors) shall be racially inclusive.

Within the boundaries of such continuing conferences, opportunities for spiritual and intellectual growth in Christian service shall be made available to all without regard to race or sex. Such equal opportunities shall be provided, particularly in such aspects of conference programs as activities of United Methodist Women, United Methodist Men, United Methodist Youth, Leadership Training Enterprises and the Board of the Laity.

ALL institutions (i.e. Offices, colleges, hospitals, homes, camps, etc.) supported by and related to the newly merged conferences, shall be structured so as to include black persons for membership on boards of directors, professional and non-professional staff, constituencies served and/or services.

ALL former chairmen of Boards and Agencies of the merging Conferences immediately prior to the effective date of merger, shall serve as co-chairmen to the same, or similar, Board or Agency of the conference of which he or she is a member, for the quadrennium of 1972-76. That, in the following quadrennia, one or more of the standing Boards and Agencies of successor conferences be chaired by a former member of the Southwest Conference.

The Program Council of each of the successor Conferences shall be structured and shall function as provided in The Book of the Discipline.

At the time of merger, a full time staff person from the former Southwest Conference will be appointed to the Program Council in the Arkansas Area.

The Southwest Annual Conference shall have a District Superintendent appointed to aid the churches, pastors and members in the transition period.

IV. THE MINISTRY

ALL rights, privileges, and responsibilities permanently granted to any person in his or her conference, prior to merger, whether conference member, probationer, associate, lay pastor (all classes), elders, deacons, or retired, shall be maintained in the successor conferences.

The standards for ministerial training and qualifications shall be the minimum standards set forth in THE BOOK OF DISCIPLINE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 1968.

The same allowance for these individuals preparing for the ministry shall apply to these successor conferences as are now in effect in the Little Rock and North Arkansas Conferences.

The Bishop and the Cabinets are urged to make full application of paragraph 391.1 of THE BOOK OF DISCIPLINE in regard to opportunities for Christian service and spiritual growth of persons engaged in the ministry.

V. PENSIONS

The annuity rate, death benefit, and hospitalization program of the successor conferences shall be the same for all who are entitled to annuity and benefits as set by the Annual Conferences for the annuitants of the former Methodist Church, according to THE BOOK OF DISCIPLINE and pensions regulation.

VI. MINIMUM SALARY

The minimum salary schedule for the successor conferences shall be the same for all ministers under the requirements adopted by the successor conferences.

VII. DISTRICTS

Each Annual Conference and the Bishop and his Cabinet shall determine the number of districts in the respective conferences.

VIII. GENERAL AND JURISDICTIONAL CONFERENCE DELEGATES

It is recommended that successor conferences give special consideration to the election of one layman or one minister from the former Southwest Conference to the delegation to General or Jurisdictional Conference.

RESOLUTION AND ENABLING ACT

TO BE ADOPTED BY EACH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

May or June 1972

WHEREAS, the South Central Jurisdictional Conference has given its approval to the merging of overlapping Conferences of the former Central Jurisdiction and the South Central Jurisdiction (See Report No. 5, Committee on Annual Conference Boundaries, page 262, 1968 JOURNAL, South Central Jurisdictional Conference) and

WHEREAS, The Little Rock Annual Conference, The North Arkansas Annual Conference, The Oklahoma Annual Conference and The Southwest Annual Conference of the South Central Jurisdiction of The United Methodist Church did separately appoint committees to prepare and present a Plan and Basis of Merger for the said Annual Conferences, and

WHEREAS, the said committees did prepare such Plan and Basis of Merger to be presented to each of the Annual Conferences separately,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Plan and Basis of Merger, as herewith submitted in printed form be, and the same is hereby approved, accepted and adopted by a majority vote of this Conference, present and voting.

RESOLUTION

An adjunct to the proposed plan of merger of The Little Rock, The North Arkansas, The Oklahoma and The Southwest Annual Conference of the South Central Jurisdiction of the United Methodist Church

WHEREAS, the General Conference legislation of the United Methodist Church has determined that merger shall be complete by 1973; and

WHEREAS, previous General Conference history on the desire for merger has been pursued, we commend to the highest the direction taken in the last General Conference; and

WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Annual Conference, the Little Rock Conference and the North Arkansas Conference have voted for merger with the Southwest Annual Conference, this Christ-like action exemplifies a real and equitable desire for the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of man here in these Conferences and in God's Kingdom here on earth;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SOUTHWEST ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, THAT:

1. The Southwest Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, in session at Wesley United Methodist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas, June 2, 1972, insist that there shall be continuing Southwest Conference leadership at all levels of Conference life, especially the District Superintendency;

2. We further reaffirm the General Conference legislation that provides for the establishment of a Commission on Religion and Race in the mergering Conferences;

3. We strongly request that proceeds from sale of former Southwest Conference properties be designated to the development of the ministry in the black community.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY BY THE SOUTHWEST ANNUAL CONFERENCE MEETING HELD IN LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS, JUNE 2, 1972.

Respectfully submitted, Negail Riley, Harry Bass, William Robinson

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Nominee to Jud. Health & Welfare -- Mrs. Lula Tillmon -- 507 E. Ute Pl., Tulsa, Okla.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MINISTRY

June 3, 1972

I. RECOMMENDATIONS

1. Full-time lay pastor: Timothy R. Green (1st yr. course of study)
2. Part-time lay pastor: Herbert Scott
3. Student lay pastor: Arthur Parham - attending Interdenominational; Theological l Center (Gammon), 1st year.
4. Lay pastors granted pension credit on account of appapro full-time service during the last pear: Timothy Green, Eddie Frederick Shannon
5. Admitted into full connections: Eddie Frederick Shannon
6. Elected elder: Eddie Frederick Shannon
7. Ordained elder: Eddie Frederick Shannon
8. Granted Sabbatical leave: W. D. Lester
9. Granted disability leave: E. M. Johnson
10. Retirement of members in full-connection: C. H. Roe
11. Attending school: Arthur Parham
12. To be referred to merged Boards of Ministry in Arkansas and Oklahoma conferences for recommendation regarding relationship: Amos Causey, Hayward Henry and Perry Lomax

II. Information Background of men coming before Board of Ministry.

Amos Causy, 216 Granite Mountain, Little Rock, Arkansas 72206; Born: 3/18/29, Drew Mississippi; AB, Arkansas Baptist College, 1956; BD, School of Ministrial Studies; Ordained Elder, 1970, AME by Bishop Nichols; 12 years service as minister; married (6 children, born from 1956-71).

Timothy Green, 1501 N.E. 43, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma-Tel: (405) Born: 2/12/23, LaGrange, Ga.; College/ two years service in SW Conf.; Married (Annie Lois) - 2 children, born '47 '51.

Haywood Henry, Rt. 4, Box 204, Pine Bluff, Ark. 70671; Tel. (501) 536-4416; Born: 9/12/30, St. Landry Parish, La.; Completed H.S.; BA, Leland College, 1950; Seminary-Leland Theology Dept., 1953; 9 mo. Military Academy; 2 years pastoral service, Evansville, Ind. Ordained Elder and Deacon (not verified); Health - Excellent; US Army Chaplain, 1954 to 1970; Supplied Faith Presbyterian Church, Pine Bluff, 1970; Chaplain, Arkansas Department of Corrections; 1972; Married (Mildred) -- Children born 1954 and 1959.

Perry D. Lomax, 635 Crescent Street, Hot Springs, Arkansas; Tel. (501) 624-6962, Born: 9/9/39, Staraville, Miss.; High School Equivalency, Lansing, Mich.; attended Hood Theological Seminary; served Payne Chapel AME Zion Church, Little Rock, 1966-'68; Salesman, 1968-present; Ordained Elder in Baptist Church, 1961 or '62 (not verified) Ordained Elder AME Zion Church, 1967 (not verified); married (Ruby)

Eddie Frederick Shannon, 543 No. 7th, Muskogee, Oklahoma 74401 Tel. (918) 682-2823; Born 12/20/24, DesMoines, Iowa; H. S. grad, 1942; Armed service, '43-49; Received Civil Service Award; Attended Coffeeville Jr. College, 1950; Attended Bacone College, 65 hours credit; Service in ministry since 1959, began in 1959; Ordained Deacon, Central West Conf. 1965; received with more than 2 years on trial; married (Verddie Mae); Children born '43, '44, '53, '60.)

OKLAHOMA DISTRICT APPOINTMENTS

A. S. Wamble, Sr., District Superintendent ( ) Denotes Supply

St. Paul - Anadarko
Bethel - Seminole ---------- Connie Davis
Park's - Wewoka - (Associate) ---------- (T. R. Green)
Bowman Chapel - Purcell ---------- (To be supplied)

Warren Memorial - Ardmore
Reed's Chapel - Wynnewood ---------- E. T. Hickman

Mt. Vernon - Cresent
Oak Grove - Langston ---------- J. W. Hobbs

St. Paul - Guthrie ---------- G. D. Waterford

Spencer Memorial - Muskogee
Franklin Memorial - Okmulgee
Norris Chapel ---------- (E. G. Shannon)

Paul's Chapel - Hugo ---------- (To be supplied)

Van Buren ---------- (To be supplied)
Mallalieu - Fort Smith ---------- R. C. Preston
Danville ---------- (To be supplied)

Murfreesboro
Clow ---------- J. T. Counts
Center Point
Hall's Chapel - Texarkana ---------- J. C. Tyus

Macedonia - Lockesburg
Mt. Carmel - Lockesburg
Foreman
Dequeen
Horatio ---------- (J. H. Oliver)
Wesley - (Tulsa) ---------- C. G. Tillmon
Quayle - Oklahoma City ---------- F. C. Souder

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS: - Oklahoma District
District Director of Evangelism ---------- R. C. Preston
District Director of Missions ---------- F. C. Souder
District Director of Town and Country Work ----- J. W. Hobbs
District Director of Christian Social Concern ---- Mrs. Lucille Vanzant
District Director of Christian Vocation --------- Mrs. Bozie M. Walker
Lewisville ---------- H. A. Davie
Saratogo ----------
Hope
Nashville

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT
APPOINTMENTS

C. C. Hall, District Superintendent

Conway Charge
Center Ridge
Conway
Morrilton ---------- L. T. Thompson

Springfield
Marche ---------- M. D. Nelson

Cotton Plant Charge
Brinkley
Cotton Plant ---------- (To be supplied)
Vernell Norman

Duncan Circuit
Duncan
Sweet Hine
Lonoke ---------- R. B. Brown

Fordyce Circuit ---------- T. E. Snow

Hot Springs
Caddo Gap ---------- Loyd Smith
Johnsville Circuit ---------- C. D. Roe
Little Rock (Wesley) ---------- (To be supplied)
Little Rock (White Memorial) ---------- J. W. Lofton

Marianna Enlarge Charge
Claredon
Marianna
Scruggs
Forest City ---------- Joe Hughes Jr.

Kokomo
Hughs ---------- C. B. Banks
Newport---------- W.H.D. Bright
St. Paul - (Maumelle) ---------- Wm. Robinson

North Little Rock Circuit
Bullock Temple & Hensley ---------- W. H. Piggee
McCabe ---------- (To be supplied)
Mark Chapel ---------- Elijah Morgan

Pine Bluff Enlarge Charge
St. James ---------- W. H. Flowers
St. Mark
McGhee---------- D. W. Terry
Gould
Dermott ---------- G. G. Troupe

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS - Little Rock District
District Secretary of Mission ---------- Wm. Robinson
Evangelism ---------- R. B. Brown
Social Concern ---------- J. W. Lofton
Town & Country ---------- Idabell Mitchell
Family Life ---------- Hattie Smith
SPECIAL APPOINTMENT: Board of Mission ---- Negail Riley
(Without Annuity)
Conference Director of Evangelism ---------- R. B. Brown
Conference Director of Missions

REPORTS

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S COMPOSITE

GREETINGS: Bishop Galloway, Ministers, Lay members, and friends of Southwest Conference.

With certainty we come to this our Forty-Fourth Annual Session of this our great conference (The Southwest) with mixed emotions.

For every song that we sing, every scripture that we read, every prayer that we pray, every motion that we make, and every sermon that we preach will be our last under the caption that we have known for many years the - Southwest Conference - Naturally we recall the glorious past, which has brought us the present as we respectfully look to the future.

We are even grateful to God for His many Blessings, especially for the great leadership which has been ours in the Episcopacy.

We, the District Superintendents, include among the many finals these reports.

CHURCHES: CHARGES AND MEMBERSHIP

In the Southwest Conference we represent 33 charges, 53 churches, 3,072 members, served by 31 conference members and 2 Lay Pastors.

We are grateful to the North Arkansas Conference and the Oklahoma Conference for lending us pastors to serve at Fayetteville and Huge - Rev. Lewis Chesson and Rev. LeRoy Sebastian.

PHYSICAL IMPROVEMENTS:

One Church on the Oklahoma District - Park's United Methodist Church, Wewoka, has been completely renovated and looks as though it was a new church. Thanks to First Church, Wewoka, and the Oklahoma Conference Board of Missions for their generous gifts and donations.

Two new churches have been guilt at Bullock and St. James, under Rev. W. H. Piggee and Rev. R. B. Brown. Pews have been put in the Churches at McCabe, and Marianna. All of the churches have shown improvement this year.

EDUCATION:

Our financial givings relating to our college (PSC) must continue in order that we might be able to meet the inevitable rising cost.

SOCIAL CONCERN:

The need for Social Concern is continuously urgent so that the principles of Christianity might be applied and broadened.

STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE:

Programs, projects and seminars must be frequent in order to keep us aware that if we are to be heard, we must be diligent in this area. Also, we are shamefully negligent in systematic giving.

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

Our hats are always off to our gallant women. Our societies both District and Conference have had their Annual Sessions with success and proficiency.

It goes without saying that the Ministers' Wives are always at our backs with acts and words of continuous encouragement.

They are to be more than admired, they are to be adored. May God always bless them so that all may be blessed because of their loyalty.

MINISTERIAL

Ministerial leadership has been wonderful. Where there has been the slightest misunderstanding, Christian principles in all of its implimentations has been the source of mending.

As we close another chapter, we shall never close the book wherein it says, "I am the way, the truth, and the life." Some will remain together, others will part, all for a better work in Kingdom building.

"So may the love of God, Almighty, and His constant communion of His Divine Spirit abide in our memories, hearts and souls forever, Amen."

Respectfully submitted, A. S. Wamble, J. H. Thompson

PROGRAM COUNCIL

Bishop Galloway, Members of the Southwest Annual Conference and visiting Friends: Much has happened since the 1971 annual conference session and we join with Charles Wesley, in his hymn titled "And Are We Yet Alive," by saying, we must heartly give glory and thanks to Jesus for his grace that enables us to see each others face. Yes, we've seen troubles and conflicts. We've been engaged in fightings without and plagued from fears within. Yet out of all this, the Lord has enabled us to meet again in an Annual Conference. For this we are most grateful.

To borrow a phrase from the Episcopal Address to the General Conference, Quote, "The decisive fact of these days in which the Church's life has fallen is pervasive change. The whole culture dins into our ears that we must yield to the demands of a new age or break before its inexorable pressures, or retreat into the limbo of the obsolete," unquote.

The Southwest Conference is not retreating, nor do we intend to be so obstinate that it will cause us to break but, by the help of God we are trying to cope with the times we live in.

We have held two council meetings this conference year, with Boards and auxiliaries reporting, evaluating and recommending goals as follows:

1. EVANGELISM . . . At the first meeting it was observed that, a chairman for the board had not been confirmed since the former chairman (J. H. Oliver) was retired at the annual conference. W. M. Robinson was appointed until the cabinet could confirm same.

Recommendations:

a. Continuation of Key 73 Program
b. Youth Evangelistic Crusade, Thanksgiving weekend with Mallilue United Methodist Church, Ft. Smith, Ark.
c. Conference Workshop on Evangelism, September 25, in Little Rock.
d. That churches not already engaged in the Church Attendance Crusade, observe the Lenten Season in this effort, and that special reciprocal Lenten services be conducted in each church throughout the conference. This we felt would strengthen the Spiritual life of the churches.

2. MISSION . . . This Board met with their newly elected chairman (G. James Washington). They reviewed the six recommendations of the board to the 1971 Conference and voted their continuation for 1972 with a few changes of dates.

There was a Workshop in Mission, March 21-22 with three representatives from the General Board. Dr. J. H. Graham directing. This was most helpful in assisting members to clearify responsibilities and set obtainable goals.

3. EDUCATION . . . This board began with reports from the Youth Division.

a. The director (Clark Preston) was absent and the business manager, Wm. Robinson gave a partial report of the camp at Lake Texoma, Oklahoma.

There were (56) fifty-six youth and adults in attendance. With the support of the churches involved and a $200.00 compensation from the bishop, the camp was financed adequately.

Recommendations:

a. The 1972 camp be held at Aldersgate, Little Rock, Ark., July 10-14.

b. That the camp be financed from Registrations, Voluntary Gifts from the local churches, and a substantial amount from each district and from the TRAFCO budget.

c. The Student Center Project: . . . The center at A. M. & N Pine Bluff, Ark. was reported as lacking the necessary interest for advancement and it was left for the board to decide what can be done.

II. CHILDREN'S DIVISION . . . Realizing that the future of the church is in the coming generation, the importance of Vacation Church School in each local church was stressed.

III. HIGHER CHRISTIAN EDUCATION . . . We were urged to report regulary on the $2,000.00 pledge to Philander Smith College for the Fund Drive. To stimulate interest, two workshops on Higher Education was recommended. Dates to be set later.

IV. ADULT DIVISION . . . Adults are involved in all areas of the church program. For leadership development it was recommended that an appreciative number attend the Adult Ministries Regional 11 at Mt. Sequoyah, July 28-30. Such persons would then be eligible to help in workshops on sub-district level, with Frank Hoyton and Joe Washington from the General Board of Education as resource persons. Dates and places to be decided by the district superintendents.

Also two 16 hour Adult Lab-Schools be conducted Dates and Places:
Oklahoma District, September 22-24. Place to be determined.
Little Rock District . . . date and place pending.

That

Where and when possible, Southwest Conference becomes a part of the other three conference. Leadership Interprises.

4. PENSIONS . . . The chairman (C. C. Hall) alerted the council of certain conditions relative to retired ministers and their families. We immediately considered statements made and voted actions that relieved the crisis being faced. Pastors were again advised and urged to make regular reports to the Conference treasurer.

March 19 was scheduled as RETIRED MINISTER'S Sunday or as near this date as possible, when pastors would place special emphasis on congregation support.

5. SOCIAL CONCERN . . . District superintendent, J. H. Thompson stated that the Foundation in Little Rock wanted this board and the Women's Society to work closely with them in the rehabilitation of young parolees in the state of Arkansas. Future plans in process.

6. LAITY . . . Under the leadership of chairman Varnell Norman, a planning meeting was held, October 16, 1971 at Mallilue United Methodist Church, Ft. Smith, Arkansas. There, plans were made:

a. Lay Speakers Workshop, November 26-27, 1971, Philander Smith College.

b. Lay Retreat, March 4-5, 1972, Camp Egan, Tahlequah, Okla. Both projects were quite successful. Eleven (11) laymen and one (1) minister were in attendance at the workshop held at Philander. Eight (8) Lay Speakers were certified. The board recommend that the Lay Speaker Workshop remain on conference level another year. We have had no official report from the retreat at this writing, but comments from individuals reveal a most rewarding experience as they look forward to the 1973 retreat.

7. HEALTH AND WELFARE . . . This board with Mrs. Alice Preston, chairman is getting off to a good start. So that she would have an official group to work with, the chairman asked the Cabinet to name a committee. The discipline calls for 1/2 ministers and 1/2 laymen.

By virtue of office four (4) persons would be members of this committee. Cabinet Member, J. H. Thompson; District Chairman, Vida Thompson and Lula Tillmon and Conference Chairman, Alice Preston. Others were named by the cabinet.

Recommendations:

a. That two (2) workshops be held, open to participation across districts based on travel mileage.

One such workshop was held February 19, 1972, at Spencer Memorial United Methodist Church, Muskogee, Oklahoma with pastors and members from several churches on the Oklahoma District, with Mr. John Norwood from the General Board as resource person.

b. That Golden Cross Sunday be celebrated in each local church in 1972. Proceeds sent to the conference treasurer earmarked for future projects. Survey of needs and possibilities to be made and reported at the next meeting of the committee.

c. Local churches were urged to use the filmstrip "A Way To Care" at every available opportunity.

8. TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION . . . This commission has not had a meeting but the chairman recommended that the cabinet along with the commission, study the present situation of the small churches in the light of the new structure, so that we might lead the church to a more effective ministry through the total membership.

9. W.S.C.S. . . . The women are holding their own as pioneers in New Fields of Missions. The studies this year "New Machines and The New Humanity:" "New Generation in Africa", were most appropriate.

With Men going to the moon and women dying for liberation, these two studies created an atmosphere for understanding the ambitions of both. The study of Matthew seasoned the whole with the spirit of love for all mankind.

10. Minister's Wives are continuing in their courageous efforts to support and strengthen the bond of loving concern for ministers and their families throughout the conference. Too much cannot be said for these precious souls who gave their cloak when asked for their coat and go the other mile for the cause.

Bishop, other reports will reveal the work some of the groups are doing in its entirety.

Budget items from each will be directed to the commission on World Service and Finance.

I wish to thank the chairmen, presidents and members of each board and auxiliary for your cooperation this conference year. We did not do all that we could do but, what we've done is history and cannot be erased. But let us take courage, put on the whole armor of God and go forward in His name.

To use another statement from the General Conference Episcopal Address: Quote, "Do not misunderstand. For all its faults, this is a better world than that in which Christianity first made its way. One of the miracles of our day is the host of devoted men and women of every race and nation who find in Christ the Lord of Life. In a world which discourages us with its cruelty and its suffering there are many who still cherish Christ in their hearts. There are stirrings in our young people that are prophetic of better things. We cannot forget when prompted to brood over the failings of the time, to the awareness of Christians to social needs far surpassing our fathers. Not withstanding there is a gradual weakening of Christian belief

that must become a first concern. Our prayer should be that of the man of the New Testament" "We believe; help thou our unbelief," unquote.

Respectfully submitted, C. G. Tillmon, Chairman;

E. M. Johnson, Director

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Class of 1972	Class of 1973	Class of 1974
E. T. Hickman	F. C. Souder	J. T. Counts
Homer Winstead	James Washington	Lillian Vanzant
Lloyd Smith	Varnell Norman	W. Harold Flowers
Elvin Miller	E. M. Johnson	Ben Moses

The board met April 27, 1972 at White Memorial with the Rev. C. C. Hall, presiding at the request of the Chairman pro tem, W. Harold Flowers.

The report of the sale of the property at Camden to Benjamin F. Pickens for $800.00 was approved, and the money has been received by the conference treasurer.

The report of the sale of the property at Crawfordsville was approved and the purchase price paid of $700.00 has been turned over to the conference treasurer.

The board recommends that unless the Cemetery Association at National Stops has effected a structure to receive the offer made by the board that the property be deeded to it for burial purposes on or before July 1, 1972, that the property be sold for the sum of $200.00.

The Board is requesting the conference to name a Task Force to investigate the abandoned properties in Oklahoma and Arkansas, for the purpose of determining whether the lands should be sold, and to further ascertain whether there are members living in and about properties.

The Board recommends that the Conference authorize the sale of the properties at: Sologohatchia, Roland, Caldwell, Fargo, Stamps.

The board recommends that the proceeds of the sales of lands be turned over to the conference treasurer subject to the action of the conference board of trustees.

That the Trustees of the former Southwest Conference Inc. in order to transact such business as necessary to sale properties and recommend distribution of proceeds for the development of ministries within the black communities of the Oklahoma and Arkansas areas, until such time as this function is no longer necessary.

Respectfully submitted, W. Harold Flowers, Chairman pro tem

BOARD OF MISSIONS

To our presiding Bishop, Ministerial and Lay Members of our Annual Conference, Visitors and Friends; it gives me great pleasure to make my report as Chairman of your Board of Missions.

On June 28th through July 2nd, 1971, it was my pleasure to attend The South Central Jurisdiction Conference on "The Church An Agent Of Change"? at Mount Sequoyah, Fayetteville, Arkansas.

On August 18th, 1971, a call meeting of the Southwest Conference Board of Missions was called to meet at White Memorial United Methodist Church, 28th and Wolfe Streets, Little Rock, Arkansas at six o'clock. The agenda for this meeting was to review, and affirm or reject applications for Action Ministries Of The Southwest Conference. There were eight officers and members of the Board present.

On January 14th and 15th, 1972, I with nine other Board Members attended the Program Council meeting at Wesley United Methodist Church, Eleventh and State Streets. When all Boards and Committees held their

respective meetings, we approved a request from Mallalieu United Methodist Church for aid from the General Board of Missions for $2,500.00 to be paid monthly beginning in May for a community center.

We also approved an asking for, The Inter-Conference School of Missions. The amount approved was $100.00 to be paid by our Conference Treasurer.

On March 22nd and 23rd, 1972 Dr. John H. Graham, Dr. Carl Ezera Jones and Rev. John Curry, conducted a very informative and inspirational Workshop at White Memorial United Methodist Church, Little Rock, Ark. We are very grateful to the General Board of Missions for sending fine gentlemen to us. We look forward to their coming to us next year.

Salary Supplement For Action Ministry Of The Southwest Conference:

Little Rock District		Oklahoma District	
Conway	$ 300.00	Anadarko	$ 300.00
Cotton Plant	300.00	Ardmore	300.00
District Superintendent	250.00	Crescent	300.00
Duncan Chapel	250.00	District Superintendent	250.00
Fordyce	300.00	Fayetteville	300.00
Marianna	300.00	Fort Smith	300.00
Saint Marks	150.00	Guthrie	200.00
North Little Rock	300.00	Hugo	300.00
Pine Bluff	300.00	Muskogee	300.00
Hot Springs	200.00	Nashville	200.00
White Memorial	200.00	Seminole Wewoka	41.66
Total	$2,850.00	Total	$2,791.66

Little Rock District -----$2,805.00
Oklahoma District -------2,791.66
Total ----------5,641.66

National Division of the Board of Missions Aid for Black Methodist For Church Renewal, Inc.

Little Rock District ----$ 5,000.00
Oklahoma District -------5,000.00
Total ----------$10,000.00

Recommendations:

1. That we seek to have District and Sub-District Schools of Mission on both Districts using the Guidelines for Missions.
2. Continue our pledge of $250.00 to Aldersgate Camp for Advance Special.
3. Seek to add new paid leaders and up grade salaries of present leaders.
4. Seek to increase our membership and attendance Conference wide.
5. Seek to have Group Ministry Conference Wide.

Roll of Southwest Conference Board of Missions

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Rev. C. G. Tillmon
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Brinckley, Ark.
Miss Karen Moore, Youth
6402 Shirley Drive, Little Rock, Ark.
(We are asking the Cabinet to name 2 Young Adults to the Board.)
Approval of South Central Jurisdiction Advance Special.

BOARD OF PENSION

Bishop Paul V. Galloway, Ministerial Lay Members of our Annual Conference, Visitors and Friends:

The Conference Board of Pension met March 15, 1972, at the Arkansas Methodist Headquarter Building.

The Board of Pension in Evanston borrowed $17, 587. 00 in order to meet our responsibility to our Pensioners. The Southwest Conference voted to withdraw from our Reserves Pension Fund $33, 000. 00 in order to repay the loan $17, 587. 00 also to meet our obligation to our Pensioners for the remainder of the Conference year, leaving a balance of $11, 060. 00 in the Reserves Pension Fund in Evanston.

Correction . . . Rev. Lloyd Smith's name was omitted from the Conference Board of Pension roll.

Respectfully submitted, Hattie Smith, Acting Secretary;
Rev. C. C. Hall, Chairman

RECOMMENDATIONS

#1 For the board of Evangelism for 1972 & 1973:
That we continue Lay Renewals of the Church in keeping with the general Board of Evangelism.
That each District will hold Two Eight hour Evangelism Institute.

#2 And Two 6 hour institute on Conference level.
Also that the Preaching Mission be Continued
The Month of March and April 1973.
Holy Week Service.
We Recommend that $350 for General and Annual Conference Travel Expense.
$300 for Conference Cultivation.

Respectfully submitted, W. D. Lester, Conference Chairman;
R. B. Brown, Conference Secretary

MINISTERS WIVES OF THE OKLAHOMA DISTRICT

The Ministers' Wives of the Oklahoma District are busy working with the Interdenominational Ministers Wives' Alliance, this group of ladies meet once a month. Our goal is to help some young man or lady. Each year we give a 100.00 dollar scholarship. This year we gave the scholarship to a young men who is going into the Ministry.

To raise the money for the scholarship in November we have a bazaar.

Rev. Franklin Souder is Secretary; Mrs. Amos Wamble, Treasurer; Mrs. G. D. Waterford, Program Chairman; Mrs. B. F. Scott, and Mrs. Timothy Green are new members. Mrs. Green is Chairman by Memorial Committee. Mrs. C. G. Tellman also works with the Interacial Interdenominational Ministers' Wives of Tulsa.

Mrs. E. T. Hickman is quite busy in Ardmore.

We count this an honor and a great privilege to be co-workers with you for God in proclaiming the good news of Jesus Christ to our world.

As I make this report I think we are aware of the tangled "World" we live in. This is a time of great social and political upheaval. Patterns and attitudes are changing rapidly. We are challenged to respond to and become involved in the changes that are being made. We can no longer build walls between our selves and the problems of the rest of the world.

May I share with you the report of the ministers' wives association of Southwest Conference ... the United Methodist Church.

Activities of the Little Rock District, Wives and Widows Alliance:

Their first meeting after the vacation period was in September at the home of Mrs. Vida Thompson. Mrs. Rose Morgan gave an inspiring meditation. Program plans were discussed for the year. Each person present told of interesting things done and places visited during the summer.

In October Mrs. Flordia Wilburn was the hostess. Her home was beautifully decorated with the holiday motif. Mrs. Willie Mae Love (at present Pointer) led the group in a spiritual meditation, closing with a poem, "He Keeps The Key." Plans were completed for a retreat. A delicious dinner was served and Mrs. Hattie Smith thanked the hostess.

9:30 a.m. ---------- Registration
10:00 a.m. ---------- Inspiration Worship and Singing
Mmes. Troup, Franklin and Hall
10:30 a.m. ---------- Memorial Services for the deceased Ministers' Wives.
11:00 a.m. ---------- Panel-Topic: "Where Friend Held Fellowship With Friend".
1. Relaxation - Mrs. W. R. Hazzard
2. Emotionally - Mrs. E. M. Johnson
3. Spiritually - Mrs. R. B. Brown
Song: "Every Stormy Wind That Blows"
12:00 Noon ---------- Lunch
Conversation: On today's problems
1:00 p.m. ---------- Worship
Mmes. Love, Thompson, Oliver.
1:15 p.m. ---------- Sharing time
2:15-3:00 p.m. ---------- Recreation
Benediction

The annual picnic was a very "gala" affair, well attended, held at White Memorial United Methodist Church, with Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Hall as host and hostess.

The Christmas party was a delightful affair in the home of Mrs. Ruth Johnson, Mrs. Hattie Smith led the meditation and the group responded with "What Christmas Means To Me." Gifts were exchanged and all present

had a lovely time. Mrs. Sarah Robinson thanked the hostess.

Mrs. Idabell Mitchell was hostess for the January meeting and Mrs. Vida Thompson brought the meditation. The program leader was Dr. W. D. Lester using the theme: "Open Up Your Life." A delicious dinner was served and Mrs. Hall thanked the hostess.

The group took a trip to Conway for their February meeting and was entertained at the home of Mrs. Ellen Thompson. She also gave the meditation. Rev. J. H. Thompson brought the message of Lenten Thoughts on Christian Growth. A delectable dinner was served by the hostess and Mrs. Rose Morgan thanked her.

The March meeting was at the home of Mrs. Mamie Wallace. Mrs. Idabell Mitchell chose to illustrate the meditation with a college on "Joy." Mrs. Alexina Hazzard demonstrated knitting which was fascinating to all present. A tasty dinner was served and the president thanked the hostess.

The April meeting was at the home of Mrs. Roberta Piggee. Mrs. Queen E. Brown gave the meditation. Mrs. Johnson gave a summary of the years' activities 1971-72. A lovely dinner was served by the hostess. Mrs. L. T. Thompson thanked the hostess.

Oklahoma District Wives and Widows

The Wives and Widows of the Oklahoma District have the problem of distance and yet many of them are active ecumenically. For instance: At Ardmore Mrs. Ianthia Hickman is involved with wives in that area. At Ft. Smith Mrs. Clark Preston shares the fellowship of wives there. In Tulsa Mrs. Lula Tillmon is vice president of the Inter-Denominational and Inter-Racial Ministers Wives' Council, that has a membership of twenty-three. These women meet monthly with the exception of June-August. Their activities vary from fun and frolic to the serious business of learning to be more Christian.

I am sure there are others whom I (as president of the conference) do not have a record of, but in my conclusion, may I express my thanks to you for your fine cooperation and the magnificent job you have done and still doing.

We need more dedicated women, not only as ministers wives, but women to serve throughout the world as you are serving in your church and community. To serve this age is like dreaming the impossible dream. Therefore we need more dreamers. It is like fighting the unbeatable foe, so we need more fighters; but the artillery and weapons we need today are not guns and bombs nor tanks, but Education, Dedication, Love for our fellowman and willingness to serve. Ladies "You Are The Greatest" continue to go forth and serve.

Respectfully submitted, Mrs. Willie Mae Pointer
(Mrs.) Vida Thompson, Little Rock District President
(Mrs.) Amos S. Wamble, Sr., Oklahoma District President
(Mrs.) I. A. Pointer, Conference President

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT:

Mrs. Annie Scrugg	$ 1.00	Mrs. D. H. Hazzard	$ 15.00
Mrs. Zella Banks	25.00	Mrs. R. B. Brown	10.00
Mrs. E. M. Johnson	100.00	Mrs. M. F. Strong	100.00
Mrs. W. H. Piggee	50.00	Mrs. E. F. Wallace	100.00
Mrs. A. Roe	5.00	Mrs. J. I. Davis	80.00
Mrs. M. T. Snow	32.00	Mrs. W. M. Wilburn	50.00
Mrs. W. D. Lester	100.00	Mrs. A. C. Cabean	100.00
Mrs. W. H. Flowers	50.00	Mrs. J. H. Thompson	100.00
Mrs. L. F. Smith	15.00	Mrs. C. Mitchell	15.00
Mrs. M. D. Nelson	25.00	Mrs. G. G. Troupe	100.00
Mrs. W. H. D. Bright	5.00	Mrs. L. T. Thompson	100.00

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Mrs. D. W. Terry	$ 50.00	Mrs. P. V. Galloway	$ 100.00
Mrs. C. C. Hall	100.00	Total	$1,428.00

OKLAHOMA DISTRICT:

Mrs. A. S. Wamble	$ 100.00	Mrs. J. T. Counts	$ 25.00
Mrs. C. G. Tillmon	100.00	Mrs. C. Davis	20.00
Mrs. C. L. Watson	100.00	Mrs. H. A. Davie	25.00
Mrs. E. T. Hickman	100.00	Mrs. E. F. Shonnon	14.00
Mrs. J. H. Oliver	100.00	Mrs. F. Norman	11.00
Mrs. B. F. Scott	105.00	Mrs. E. L. Stewart	7.00
Mrs. T. R. Green	55.00	Mrs. G. D. Waterford	5.00
Mrs. F. C. Souder	50.00	Mrs. J. W. Hobbs	50.00
Mrs. I. A. Pointer	40.00		
Mrs. R. C. Preston	25.00	Total	$ 982.00

THE WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE
WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD

Four years and a few months ago I began this most exciting and challenging period of my life. I began it with the new name - Women's Society of Christian Service-Wesleyan Service Guild. Now as proof of the theme "Times are a Changing" as I prepare this my final report a new society has been approved by the General Conference of the United Methodist Church. A society that unites the Women's Society and the Wesleyan Service Guild. The new name is UNITED METHODIST WOMEN.

I am grateful for this change and ask all persons concerned to make a concerted effort to promote the union for a greater service in Mission. Our officers are the same as listed in your 1969 journal. Mrs. Hattie Smith has the new address at 3001 Marshall Street, Little Rock, Arkansas and Mrs. F. C. Souder is at 2810 N. Missouri, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111. I have been "busy as a bee" trying to fulfill the duties of my office.

To name a few things:

The Regional School Planning (two meetings) Dallas, Texas - as Association Chairman.

The Legislative Study Program - Washington, D. C.

The Inter-conference School of Missions Planning Committee - The Methodist Building, Little Rock, Ark.

The Creative Leadership Workshop in Fayetteville, Ark. (Mt. Sequoyah).

The Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma District Women's Society - Guild in Fayetteville, Ark.

The General Conference of the United Methodist Church, Atlanta, Georgia.

The annual meeting of the Little Rock District Women's Society - Guild in Brinkley, Arkansas.

I have attended some meetings of the Aldersgate Board. Many times I was absent because of conflicting meetings. I have been present in "cluster group" meetings of local societies. We have also been involved in the study of women in the local church.

Now, as I close this report, my last word is SHALOM!!

HEALTH AND WELFARE

This ministry is "More Than Bricks and Mortar". I repeat these words from a reprint from Together Magazine, August-September, 1971. Please find your copy and study the print there or recover some of the reprints from your district chairman and in one of your groups get togethers, hold a discussion.

Our Board has met once. The meeting was held in Muskogee, Oklahoma. Dr. John F. Norwood from the Evanston Office was our resource leader. We

made plans for Golden Cross Sunday. It is too early for me to include the results in this report. I hope to be able to make a supplementary report at the seat of our conference.

OUR BOARD MEMBERS:

Alice L. Preston, Chairperson - P. O. Box 98, Murfreesboro, Ark. 71958
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Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Dist. Chairperson, 1922 So. Martin, Little Rock, Ark. 72204

Healing of the wounded, spiritually, socially, and physically is our tradition. Shalom!!!

Respectfully submitted, Alice L. Preston, Conference Chairperson

BOARD OF THE LAITY

This conference year was inspirational as well as informational for me and I am grateful to the board for the support and the confidence place in me.

In the planning meeting of the board, plans were made to have the following activities: Lay Speaker's Workshop and a Lay Retreat. We are grateful to Rev. R. C. Preston and members for hosting our meeting. In our Planning Meeting Dr. Charles P. Kellogg from the General Board of the Laity was present to give assistance.

Our Lay Speaker's Workshop was held at Philander Smith College and was well attended and seven laymen were awarded certificates: Clinton Anderson, Homer Winstead, Wesley UM Little Rock, Edward Davis Livingston UM Mariana, Arkansas, W. H. McCain, Quale UM Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Lucille Vanzant, Winnewood, Oklahoma, Elvin Miller, St. Paul UM Little Rock, Arkansas, Varnell Norman, Duncan UM Little Rock, Arkansas. Thanks to President Walter Hazzard and the Philander Smith College family, Dr. W. D. Lester, Wesley UM Little Rock and Rev. J. H. Thompson for the use of their facilities and inspirational remarks. We feel that we had the best staff for our workshop that could be found Drs. Wm. Sheperd, J. Argue and R. Bearden from the Little Rock Conference, M. Randolf, Philander Smith College, William Walker H. U. D. Rev. E. M. Johnson, Southwest Conference. This was an experience that we will never forget.

The Lay Retreat was held at Camp Egan Talequah, Oklahoma. The topics that were discussed were: The Black Church, Merger and Church Structure. Dr. Woody White, Commission on Race and Religion led our session on the Black Church. Our session on Churcn Structure was led by our own Lucille Vanzant and Wanda Irby. The Laymen were very interested and participated very enthusiastically. The worship periods were led by our Retreat Chairman Elvin Miller. The Board of the Laity had its final meeting before Conference and at this time a report from the Conference Lay Leader was given and voted unamiously to have a Lay Speaker's Workshop and Retreat during the next conference year and also voted to ask the conference for $2,000 to carry on the work of the Board of the Laity. This meeting was concluded with the Holy Communion administered by Rev. Frederick Shannon, Pastor of Spencer Memorial U. M. Church Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Respectfully submitted, N. R. Coulter, Sec'y.; Varnell Norman, Conference Lay Leader

LAY DELEGATES

- Little Rock District -

Mrs. Glady Alley----------1101 N. Cedar, Pine Bluff, Ark.
Mrs. Janie Bledsoe----------13401 Hyway. 10, Little Rock, Ark. 72207
Mrs. Ora Clinkscall---------Rte. 2, Box 50, Center Ridge, Ark. 72027
Mrs. Elsie Mae Coley--------2719 Rock Str., Little Rock, Ark. 72206
Mr. Edward Davis----------Rte. 3, Box 60, Marianna, Ark.
Mrs. Clark Dixon----------P. O. 276, Gould, Ark. 71643
Mrs. Edwinia Horton---------323 Johnson, Little Rock, Ark. 72204
Mrs. Fredonia Hudson-------P. O. 316, Hensely, Ark. 72065
Mrs. Opal Jones----------Rte. 1, Box 35A, Foreman, Ark.
Mr. Elvin Miller----------5009 Comerce St., Little Rock, Ark. 72207
Mrs. E. Carter Rand--------1402 Bush, McGhee, Ark. 71654
Mrs. Martha Stephens--------Rte. 2, Box 356, N. Little Rock, Ark. 72118
Mr. C. James Washington----1720 Johnson, Little Rock, Ark. 72204

- Oklahoma District -

Mrs. Snowie Brown----------P. O. Box 19, Horatio, Ark. 71842
Mrs. Jessye Bouren---------419 S. Broadway, Hugo, Okla.74743
Mrs. Neman Burris---------1109 E. 2nd, Okmulogee, Okla. 74447
Mrs. H. A. Davie----------Hope, Ark.
Mrs. Callie Franklyn--------P. O. Box 251, Dequeen, Ark. 71832
Mrs. E. T. Hickman--------39 G Street S. E., Ardmore, Okla.
Mrs. Lillie Phillip----------Crescent, Okla.
Mrs. E. F. Shannon---------541 N. 7th St., Muskogee, Okla.
Mrs. C. G. Tillman---------507 E. Ute Place, Tulsa, Okla.74106
Mrs. Lucillie Vanzant--------P. O. Box 67, Wynnewood, Okla.
Mrs. B. M. Walker---------1139 N. E. 19 St., Oklahoma City, Okla. 73117
Mrs. C. G. Washington------1216 N. 8th St., Fort Smith, Ark. 72901

COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

1) That Mrs. H. H. Torrence and Mr. Homer Winstead be designated as auditing committee to secure an audit by August 1, 1972 before the financial records of the Southwest Conference are closed and delivered to successor conferences.
2) That Rev. C. G. Tillmon, Mrs. H. H. Torrence, and Mr. Homer Winstead be named to serve on a World Service and Finance Committee representing Oklahoma and Arkansas Conferences to:

1. Develop a new budget for former Southwest Conference Churches for the remainder of 1972.
2. Determine disposition of former Southwest Conference balances.
3. Attend to any other business necessary to attain a fair arrangement of finance during the period of transition.

Respectfully submitted, N. R. Riley, Chairman; C. G. Tillmon,
Mrs. H. H. Torrence, Secretary; Homer Winstead, Vice Chmn.

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1971 to December 31, 1971

DISBURSEMENTS

SALARIES:	
Amos S. Wamble	$ 6,799.92
John H. Thompson	6,799.92
E. M. Johnson	5,224.32
E. M. Johnson (back pay)	650.00
OTHERS:	
Conference Expense	463.70
Evangelism	448.00
Program Council	443.60
Ad-Hoc	374.47
Pension Expense	115.00
Aldersgate Camp	50.00
Race Relation	435.00
Camp Planning Meeting	584.00
Refund to Gen. Bd. of Mission	36.00
Health and Welfare	35.00
Perkin's Book Store	167.00
Statistician	250.00
Secretary	430.00
Treasurer	600.00
Pensions	10,504.73
Education	88.00
Mt. Sequoyah Registration	10.00
Mt. Sequoyah Assembly	11.00
Lay Activities	106.00
Ark. Council of Churches	20.00
Fidelity Realty Co.	72.00
Pre-Conf. Reports	128.30
Apportionment Sheets	40.00
TOTAL	$34,305.96

Total Income of Churches & Ministers	$29,278.27
Ministers' Wives	2,238.25
Methodist Publishing House	2,419.00
TOTAL	$33,935.52

Balance last year	$ 5,259.83
Grand Total	39,195.35
Less	34,305.96
1971 Balance	4,889.39

Respectfully submitted, J. H. Thompson, Treasurer

ENABLING ACT

Whereas the Little Rock Conference and the Southwest portion of the Lincoln Conference, comprising the state of Oklahoma, were merged to form what is now known as the Southwest Conference, November 28, 1928, at McGehee, Arkansas.

Be it resolved that: The notation of the Annual Session be dated from the time of origin of the Little Rock Conference, February 21, 1879, at Van Buren, Arkansas.

Be it further resolved that: That all times, during the existence of the said Southwest Conference or in consideration of further mergers, recognition of the contribution of the former Lincoln Conference be duly reflected.

The foregoing instrument expresses the desire of the Cabinet and members of the Southwest Conference in session at Ardmore, Oklahoma, June 23, 1956.

- Edwin C. Sanders, Secretary

IN THE PULASKI COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Re: Incorporation of "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church"
#44296

PETITION FOR INCORPORATION

Come Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Jr., Edwin C. Sanders, Ira A. Pointer, Eustace F. Wallace, Joyce G. Dozier and others, in their articles of association, states:

1. That the name of this organization shall be and is "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church" with temporary headquarters at 1418 Chester Street in Little Rock, Arkansas.

2. That the objects and purposes of this organization are strictly outlined upon a benevolent basis, for the mutual benefit of its members, for the promotion of religious activities and for such other purposes as may be consistent with the laws of Arkansas governing the operation and conduct of such benevolent associations.

3. That a list of the officers and members are as follows:

Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Jr.	President
Edwin C. Sanders	Secretary
G. James Washington and Ernestine Miller	Assistant Secretaries
Ira A. Pointer	Statistician
J. H. Thompson and Clifton Mitchell	Assistant Statisticians
Eustace F. Wallace	Treasurer
Joyce G. Dozier	Registrar

Members of the Board of Trustees are as follows:

Faye Norman, Chairman	A. L. Woodard
Ernest English	B. F. Littlejohn
Clifton Mitchell	Frank A. Young
C. C. Hall	W. H. Bass
W. Harold Flowers	

A list of the members are as follows: Garfield F. Tipton, Phamous H. Kelley, Benjamin F. Neal, General G. Troupe, Anthony L. Woodard, John H. Oliver, Benjamin F. Littlejohn, William H. D. Bright, Cortelyou C. Hall, Frank Sanders, Cleveland G. Tillmon, Daniel D. Hawkins, Ira A. Pointer, Emanuel M. Johnson, E. L. Stewart, Fay Norman, J. I. Davis, Eustace F. Wallace, James C. Tyus, Simmie P. Holland, Elliott M. Douglas, Roy B. Brown, Elizah T. Hickman, Clifton C. Mitchell, Charles H. Roe, Edwin C. Sanders, Joyce G. Dozier, Lewis T. Thompson, Hilliard A. Davie, Carter L. Watson, Oliver W. Gibson, William H. Bass, Jr., E. L. Lloyd, Franklin C. Souder, Ralph G. Nathan, and others.

4. That attached hereto is a copy of the constitution which is made a part and parcel of this petition for incorporation.

WHEREFORE, petitioners pray that they be declared a body politic under the name and style of "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church", with temporary situs in the city of Little Rock, Arkansas, as provided under Section 2252-2261 inclusive of Pope's Digest of the laws of Arkansas, providing for incorporation of benevolent association, and for all further and proper relief.

Bishop Matthew W. Clair, Jr., Edwin C. Sanders, Ira A. Pointer, Eustace F. Wallace, Joyce C. Dozier

By: Thad D. Williams, their attorney

CONSTITUTION

First. The name of said corporation shall be "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church."

Second. The object of said corporation shall be to receive, hold and administer any and all moneys, funds, and property, real and personal, that may from time to time come into its hands by donation gift, devise, bequest or otherwise for any of the uses, purposes and needs of the Southwest Conference, particularly funds and property for the use and benefit of superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of deceased preachers of said conference.

Third. Said Board is authorized to invest or place at interest any and all funds that may come into its hands for the use and benefit of the said Conference and shall make a full and complete report of its acts and doings in that behalf to the annual meetings of the said Southwest Conference for its approval, showing disposition of the interest and funds so received, provided always the Board shall carry out the wishes of the donors of said funds or property.

Fourth. That all vacancies in said Board shall be filled by the said Southwest Conference, but in the interim such vacancies may be filled by theiremainder of said Board, and the persons so appointed to fill vacancies shall hold until the next meeting of the said conference.

Fifth. That the regular meeting of said Board shall be on the first day of the annual session of the said Conference and at same place as the conference is held.

Provided also the President of the Board may call a meeting of the Board whenever deemed necessary.

Sixth. That the officers of said Board shall consist of a President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be elected every two years, provided those elected at the first meeting shall hold until the regular annual meeting.

Seventh. Four members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

IN THE PULASKI COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

Re: Incorporation of "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church"

#44296

ORDER

On this 22nd day of May, 1957, is presented a petition asking that "The Southwest Conference of the Methodist Church" be declared a body politic under Sections 2252-2261 inclusive of Pope's Digest of the laws of Arkansas.

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that the petition is granted and the Clerk of this Court is directed to issue a charter accordingly.

- Guy Amsler, Circuit Judge

SESSIONS OF THE LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1879 Feb. 21	Van Buren	Andrews	I. G. Pollard
1880 Feb. 11	Jacksonport	Merrill	I. G. Pollard
1881 Feb. 3	Hot Springs	Foss	I. G. Pollard
1882 Feb. 9	Little Rock	Peck	I. G. Pollard
1883 Feb. 8	Pine Bluff	Hurst	I. G. Pollard
1884 Feb. 13	Little Rock	Wiley	W. O. Emory
1885 Feb. 19	Van Buren	Mallilieu	Thomas Mason
1886 Feb. 11	Little Rock	Bowman	W. O. Emory
1887 Feb. 17	Hot Springs	Fitzgerald	Thomas Mason
1888 Feb. 15	Little Rock	Warren	Thomas Mason
1889 Feb. 7	Hot Springs	Fitzgerald	Thomas Mason
1890 Feb. 13	Fort Smith	Vincent	Thomas Mason
1891 Feb. 22	Texarkana	Newman	Thomas Mason
1892 Feb. 3	Van Buren	Mallalieu	Thomas Mason
1893 Feb. 9	Little Rock	Newman	Thomas Mason
1894 Feb. 7	Hot Springs	Bowman	Thomas Mason
1895 Feb. 2	Pine Bluff	Walden	W. R. Duncan
1896 Jan. 22	Batesville	Ninde	Thomas Mason
1897 Jan. 28	Forrest City	Andrews	Thomas Mason
1898 Jan. 27	Van Buren	Merrill	W. R. Duncan
1899 Feb. 3	Hot Springs	Joyce	H. P. Strong
1900 Jan. 1	Little Rock	Goodsell	H. P. Strong
1901 Feb. 7	Brinkley	Warren	H. P. Strong
1902 Feb. 6	Fort Smith	Fowler	H. P. Strong
1903 Jan. 22	Clow	Walden	H. P. Strong
1904 Feb. 21	Pine Bluff	McCage	J. W. Reed
1905 Jan. 19	Fordyce	McDowell	J. W. Jackson
1906 Jan. 11	Fayetteville	Fitzgerald	J. W. Jackson
1907 Jan. 17	Cotton Plant	Warren	J. W. Jackson
1908 Jan. 23	Little Rock	Berry	J. L. Wilson
1909 Jan. 28	Clow	Neulson	J. L. Wilson
1910 Feb. 10	Van Buren	Smith	J. L. Wilson
1911 Feb. 1	Marianna	Quayle	M. N. Langston
1912 Feb. 29	Pine Bluff	Moore	M. N. Langston
1913 Jan. 29	Newport	Quayle	D. W. Boatner
1914 Jan. 29	Texarkana	McIntyre	D. W. Boatner
1915 Jan. 28	Cotton Plant	Leete	L. G. Hodges
1916 Jan. 26	Fort Smith	Bristol	S. J. Saxon
1917 Jan. 17	Little Rock	Stuntz	S. J. Saxon
1917 Dec. 6	Stamps	Quayle	S. J. Saxon
1918 Dec. 4	Batesville	M. S. Hughes	J. W. Jackson
1919 Dec. 17	Hot Springs	Quayle	J. W. Jackson
1920 Dec. 8	Cotton Plant	Quayle	B. F. Neal
1921 Dec. 14	Fort Smith	Quayle	B. F. Neal
1922 Dec. 6	Helena	Clair	B. F. Neal
1923 Dec. 5	Little Rock	Stuntz	B. F. Neal
1924 Dec. 3	Fayetteville	Clair	B. F. Neal
1925 Dec. 17	Texarkana	Jones	B. F. Neal
1926 Dec.	Batesville	Clair	B. F. Neal
1927 Dec.	Little Rock	Clair	L. C. Williams
1928 Nov. 28	McGehee	Clair	J. M. Smith
1929 Dec. 3	Muskogee	Clair	J. M. Smith
1930 Nov. 5	Little Rock	Clair	J. M. Smith
1931 Dec. 28	Fort Smith	Clair	P. W. Webb

SESSIONS OF THE SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE - CONT:

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary
1932 Oct. 26	Muskogee	Clair	W. D. Lester
1933 Oct. 28	Hot Springs	Clair	W. D. Lester
1934 Oct. 29	Tulsa	Clair	W. D. Lester
1935 Oct. 30	Little Rock	Cushman	W. D. Lester
1936 Oct. 28	Oklahoma City	Jones	W. Louder
1937 Oct. 20	Pine Bluff	Jones	J. N. Wallace
1938 Oct. 19	Hot Springs	Meade	J. N. Wallace
1939 Oct. 25	Muskogee	Jones	C. K. Brown
1940 Oct. 30	Texarkana	Shaw	C. K. Brown
1941 Oct. 1	Ardmore	Jones	Chas. F. Golden
1942 Oct. 14	Little Rock	Jones	T. J. Griffin
1943 Oct. 10	Fort Smith	Jones	T. J. Griffin
1944 Oct. 11	Tulsa	Kelley	T. J. Griffin
1945 Oct. 25	Texarkana	Kelley	T. J. Griffin
1946 Oct. 30	Muskogee	Kelley	T. J. Griffin
1947 Oct. 22	Little Rock	Kelly	E. F. Wallace
1948 Oct. 20	Oklahoma City	Kelly	E. F. Wallace
1949 Nov. 9-13	Fort Smith	Kelly	C. Jarrett Gray
1950 Nov. 1-5	Muskogee	Kelly	C. Jarrett Gray
1951 Oct. 23-28	Little Rock	Kelly	C. Jarrett Gray
1952 Oct. 15-19	Tulsa	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1953 Oct. 14-18	Hot Springs	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1954 June 2-6	Muskogee	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1955 June 9-12	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	J. G. Dozier
1956 June 20-24	Ardmore	Clair, Jr.	Edwin C. Sanders
1957 Juen 13-16	Fort Smith	Clair, Jr.	Edwin C. Sanders
1958 June 12-15	Oklahoma City	Clair, Jr.	Edwin C. Sanders
1959 June 10-14	Pine Bluff	Clair, Jr.	H. Reeves Washington
1960 June 15-19	Tulsa	Clair, Jr.	H. Reeves Washington
1961 June 14-18	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1962 June 13-17	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1963 June 12-16	Little Rock	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1964 June 3-7	Oklahoma City	Clair, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1965 June 2-6	Little Rock	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1966 June 1-5	Little Rock	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1967 June 5-8	Tulsa	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1968 June 3-6	Little Rock	Moore, Jr.	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1969 June 2-5	Little Rock	Galloway	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1970 June 1-4	Little Rock	Galloway	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1971 June 7-9	Little Rock	Galloway	A. S. Wamble, Sr.
1972 June 1-4	Little Rock	Galloway	A. S. Wamble, Sr.

In Memoriam

"Servant of God, well done! Thy glorious warfar's past;
The battle's fought, the race is won, And thou art crowned at last"
- Charles Wesley, 1707-1788

Name - Born	Entered Ministry	Died
Williamson, J. W.	----	Jan. 20, 1884
Tate, Albert	1884	July 7, 1887
McDonald, Henry - Nov. 27, 1857	1872	March 6, 1888
Speers, Alexander - January 1, 1858	1883	Dec. 31, 1889
Lemons, June - 1859	----	May, 1891
Sama, George - 1844	1886	Dec. 1, 1891
Lacy, M. L.	1889	1895
Peele, Jefferson A. - February 3, 1851	1879	Feb. 3, 1897
Bailey, Thomas J. - February 12, 1862	1882	July 5, 1897
Spencer, E. D. - August 2, 1851	1889	Nov. 15, 1897
Fletcher, A. J. - September 27, 1853	1888	
Crawley, A. C. - February 25, 1858	1876	Jan. 3, 1898
Phillips, A. J. - October 10, 1848	1879	Jan. 31, 1898
Hamilton, J. A. - December 14, 1860	1892	Oct. 22, 1898
Henry, J. H.	----	Oct. 5, 1899
Todd, W. M. - February 3, 1858	1897	March 30, 1902
Crump, H. G.	1890	Aug. 2, 1902
Thompson, J. G. - 1852	1875	March 20, 1903
Crawford, W. H.	1879	1905
Jackson, G. W.	1897	February 6, 1905
Taylor, G. W. - 1832	1872	1906
Davis, S. B.	1872	1906
Brooks, Washington	----	Feb. 17, 1907
Johnston, D. W.	1896	April 3, 1907
Izard, G. W. - 1858	1883	1907
Fuller, William	1883	1907
Higgins, W. S.	1899	March 2, 1908
Witherspoon, S. B.	1891	April 1, 1908
Scruggs, P. F.	1880	April 3, 1908
Strong, H. P. - February 14, 1860	1887	Dec. 20, 1908
Johnson, John D. - April 24, 1860	1874	1908
Clark, J. M.	1892	May 22, 1909
Thompson, T. J.	1889	Feb. 10, 1910
Kitchens, U. S.	1880	1910
Burns, U. W.	1882	1910
Auston, J. H.	----	1910
Duncan, W. R. R.	1884	1914
Fagin, R. B.	1897	1912
Morris, W. H.	1881	May 23, 1913
Barnes, J. B.	1884	May 24, 1913
Dunlap, H. C.	1897	Nov. 1, 1914
Johnson, B. H.	1888	April 27, 1915
Doncey, G. B.	1888	1916
Griffin, B. J.	1887	Nov. 30, 1917
Evans, W. D.	1914	1917
Owens, Phillip	1887	March 3, 1918
Hall, David	----	1918
Roberts, Ezra	1876	Dec. 22, 1919
Smith, S. N.	----	May 10, 1920
Hines, J. H.	1904	March 20, 1920

Foster, M. H.	1888	1920
Whitehead, C. W. - February 9, 1863	1887	April 4, 1921
Cain, S. M.	1890	Feb. 28, 1923
Smith, Nathaniel	1883	March 7, 1923
Hawkins, J. T.	1892	July 4, 1923
Wilson, J. R.	1900	Aug. 31, 1923
Watson, Z. K.	1904	Nov. 2, 1923
Taylor, C. F. - May 4, 1856	1911	1923
Washington, E.	1911	1923
Lamar, C. E.	1909	May, 1924
Cain, M. B. A.	1897	Sept. 7, 1924
Sampson, C. W.	1907	Oct. 4, 1924
Swift, J. A.	1884	Sept. 1925
Jackson, J. W.	1922	1925
Bryant, J. L.	1904	1927
Cunningham, W. J.	1923	1927
Baxter, James	1884	1928
Coulter, H. P. - September 11, 1867	1889	Aug. 18, 1929
Stokes, S. M.	1814	1928
Hatchett, J. H.	1909	1930
Simpson, W. H. - 1865	1897	Nov. 18, 1930
Rivers, W. C.	1914	1931
Kyles, C. L.	1907	1932
Johnson, S. T.	1894	June 13, 1932
Preston, L. G. - 1843	1891	Oct. 26, 1932
Harris, D. H. E.	1891	Oct. 26, 1932
Byrd, K. T.	1926	1932
Stephens, A. T.	1895	1933
Johnson, J. W.	1914	1933
Gibson, J. D.	1896	1933
Smith, Fletcher	1921	1933
Nelson, W. - 1884	----	June 1, 1934
Qualls, John - June 1, 1858	1878	July 5, 1897
Hall, G. A.	1892	Sept. 2, 1934
Miller, April S.	1904	Aug. 29, 1935
Johnson, G. N.	1881	1935
Taber, Charles - April 6, 1861	1897	Oct. 6, 1936
Speed, William	1894	1937
Neal, L. E.	1919	1937
Nelson, J. L.	1925	1938
Bright, Haywood	1895	1939
Hodges, L. G.	1896	1939
Jordan, B. J.	1912	1939
Howell, C. H.	1912	1939
Cobbel, J. P.	1929	1939
Prewitt, Paul	1894	1940
Harston, D. G.	1896	1940
Adams, J. C.	1894	1941
Brown, J. W.	1902	1941
Turner, E. J. - December 18, 1871	1902	Jan. 2, 1942
Coburn, Dudley	----	1943
Clark, F. J.	1926	1943
Nunn, E. A.	----	1943
Ray, A. R.	1900	July 7, 1943
Sherrill, W. S. - 1860	1894	March 1, 1944
Maxwell, R. B.	1894	April 5, 1944
Tucker, B. T.	1918	1944
Thompson, C. W. - 1912	----	Jan. 2, 1945
Scott, Benjamin F. - May 18, 1888	1916	July 15, 1945
Moses, Bennie	----	Aug. 14, 1945

McIntosh, Waters	1891	Oct. 16, 1945
Langford, W. S. - 1855	1875	April, 1946
Fields, Z. R. - 1901	----	Sept. 27, 1946
Henry, Joseph	1910	April 16, 1946
Williams, L. C. - 1911	----	June, 1946
Dorsby, C. H.	----	1946
Wallace, J. N.	1907	Oct. 22, 1947
Cabean, A. C. - March 17, 1878	1915	May 30, 1947
Strong, M. F. - April 4, 1875	1897	Feb. 8, 1948
Cox, J. W.	----	1948
Richardson, J. H.	1916	April 26, 1948
Moore, William M.	----	1948
Young, B. F.	----	----
McDonald, Silas	----	----
Harris, Archie - May 25, 1875	----	Dec. 25, 1949
Edwards, T. H. - January 1, 1896	1917	July 13, 1950
Franklin, D. G. - April 5, 1869	1892	Sept. 19, 1950
Coburn, Nathan - August 20, 1883	1914	1951
Smith, W. A. - October 1, 1865	1902	Oct. 18, 1952
Johnson, S. E. - December 1, 1884	1931	1952
Tolbert, R. J., Sr. - February 17, 1890	1923	Nov. 22, 1953
Moss, Oscar G. - March 3, 1869	1921	1954
Stokes, J. S. - February 9, 1876	1907	1954
Nelson, Lee - October 15, 1858	1898	Sept. 28, 1954
Smith, Dudley - March 14, 1867	1898	Aug. 8, 1955
Roe, D. J. - January 9, 1882	1904	Dec. 16, 1955
Johnson, I. G. P. - July 21, 1907	1933	April 16, 1956
Taylor, S. S. - November 21, 1886	1933	May 18, 1956
Brooks, Charles	1913	Oct. 26, 1957
Tipton, Garfield F.	1910	Nov. 20, 1957
Kelley, Phamous H. - June 25, 1884	1911	May 8, 1958
Johnson, Willis D.	1919	May 11, 1958
Douglas, L. E.	----	----
Sanders, Edwin C.	1944	Feb. 12, 1959
Allbright, H.	----	----
Moore, C. E.	----	----
Neal, B. F.	----	----
Thomas, S. N.	----	----
Winston, John W.	----	1960
Perry, E. W.	----	1960
Bochanan, A. L.	----	1962
Parker, Isaac P.	----	1962
Davis, J. I.	1938	1963
Hill, B. Moore	----	Dec. 22, 1960
Tolfree, M. P.	----	Aug. 15, 1963
Marbly, E. S.	----	1963
Lloyd, E. L.		1965
Hawkins, D. D.		1965
Hannah, William		1965
Sanders, Frank		1965
Sims, Andrew		1967
Shaw, Love S.		1967
Holland, Needham		1968
Wallace, E. F.		1969
Love, J. M.		1969
Mitchell, Clifton		1970
Woodward, A. L.		1970
Wilburn, M. M.		1970
Littlejohn, B. F.		1970

PASTORAL RECORD

Indicates (Supply)
*Retired

Received into Full Membership	Name and Address
1950	Bass, W. H., 1113 State Street, Little Rock, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Banks, Clifton, P.O. Box 257, Marianna, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Bright, W.H.D., P.O. Box 3045, Little Rock, Arkansas
1943	Brown, R. B., 4916 Rightsell, Little Rock, Arkansas
1969	Counts, J. T., Rt. 1, Box 199, Nashville, Arkansas
*(Supply)	Davie, H. A., Apt. 10, Oak Street, Bell Loop, Hope, Ark.
1971	Davis, Connie, Rt. 2, Box 9, Purcell, Oklahoma
1971	Flowers, Harold, Masonic Building, Pine Bluff, Ark. or #4 Eastwood Ct.
(Supply)	Green, Timothy R., 1501 NE 43rd, Oklahoma City, Okla.
1932	Hall C.C., 102 Robin Street, Hot Springs, Arkansas
1943	Hickman, E. T., 39 "G" Street, Ardmore, Oklahoma
1953	Hobbs, Joseph W., 931 E. Drive, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
1971	Hughes, Joe Jr., 560 E. Ashley Rd., N. Little Rock, Ark.
1927	Lester, W. D., 1113 State Street, Little Rock, Arkansas
1971	Piggee, W. H., Route 55, Box 369, Little Rock, Arkansas
1971	Nelson, M. D., 2714 W. 11th, Little Rock, Ark.
1971	Morgan, Elijah, 57 Grantie Mtn. Circle, Little Rock, Ark.
1968	Preston, Clark, 1113 9th Street, Ft. Smith, Arkansas
1958	Riley, Negail R., 475 Riverside Drive, New York, N.Y.
1970	Robinson, William, R.F.D. 5, Box 571-A, Little Rock, Ark.
	Shannon, E. Frederick, 534 N. 7th Street, Muskogee, Okla.
1954	Smith, Lloyd, 3001 Marshall, Little Rock, Arkansas
1971	Lofton, J. W., #15 W. 21st St., N. Little Rock, Ark.
1971	Snow, T. E., 9500 Warden Road, N. Little Rock, Ark.
1952	Souder, F. C., 2801 N. Missouri, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
1956	Thompson, J. H., 1922 Martin Street, Little Rock, Arkansas
1932	Tillmon, C. G., 507 Ute Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma
(Supply)	Tyus, J. C., P.O. Box 31, Lockesburg, Arkansas
1948	Wamble, Amos S. Sr., 3004 N. Creston Dr., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
(Supply)	Doss, Franklin, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
1970	Waterford, G. D., 4809 Everest Street, Oklahoma City, Okla.

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL - EFFECTIVE ELDERS

Name	On Trial	Deacon	Elder	Years of Service
Lester, W. D.	1921-1923	1924	1927	50
Hall, C. C.	1930	1930	1932	42
Tillmon, C. G.	1930	1930	1932	42
Johnson, E. M.	1933	1933	1935	39
Hickman, E. T.	1943	1941	1934	30
Roe. C. H.	1939	1939	1944	28
Bass, W. H.	1949	1949	1950	22
Wamble, A.S. Sr.	1940	1948	1960	25
Hobbs, Joseph W.	1953	1955	1962	19
Souder, F. C.			1953	19
Smith, Lloyd	1954	1954	1967	19
Thompson, J. H.	1956	1956	1964	16
Riley, Negail R.,	1956	1956	1958	14
Preston, Clark			1968	5
Robinson, William		1969	1970	5
Waterford, G. D.	1968	1969	1970	5
Counts, J. T.			1971	2
Davis, Connie			1971	2
Flowers, Harold			1971	2
Hughes, Joe			1971	2
Lofton, J. W.			1971	2
Morgan, Elijah			1971	2
Nelson, M. E.			1971	2
Piggee, W. H.			1971	2
Snow, T. E.			1971	2
Brown, R. B.	1941	1941	1943	30
Shannon, E. F.				1
Green, T. R.				

LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT	RETIRED
Banks, Clifton	P.O. Box, Marianna, Arkansas
Bright, W.H.D.	P.O. Box 3045, Little Rock, Arkansas
Myers, Patrick H.	(Address Unknown)
Terry, D. W.	N. Little Rock, Arkansas
Thompson, L. T.	Conway, Arkansas
Troupe, G.G.	1821 Scull Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
Johnson, E. M.	3424 W. 14th Street, Little Rock, Arkansas
Roe, C. H.	Route, Box 234, Linden, Louisiana

OKLAHOMA DISTRICT	
Davie, H. A.	Apt. 10, Oak Street, Bell Loop, Hope, Arkansas
Norman, Fay	331 Cedar Street, Wewoka, Oklahoma
Oliver, John	235 Walnut Street, Hot Springs, Arkansas
Pointer, Ira A.	713 Elgin Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Smith, J. Murray	628 So. 3rd St., Muskogee, Oklahoma
Stewart, E. L.	2746 N. Boulder, Tulsa, Oklahoma
Watson, C. L.	711 "I" Street, Ft. Smith, Arkansas
Tyus, J. C.	P.O. Box 31, Locksburg, Arkansas

The Southwest Conference
South Central Jurisdiction
January 1, 1971 to December 31, 1971

	CHURCH AND CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	LOCAL CHURCH EXPENDITURES: Principal & Int. on Indebtedness, Loans, Mortages, etc.	Buildings and Improvements (not including funds borrowed)	Church School: Lesson Materials Supplies Adm, etc.	Other Current Expenses, etc.	W.S.C.S.	Miscellaneous enevolences	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT: PASTOR'S SALARY: Amount Set	Amount Paid	ASSOCIATE'S SALARY: Amount Set	Amount Paid	Total Paid 36b+ 37b	TRAVEL ALLOWANCE PAID: Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	UTILITIES PAID: Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENCY: Apportioned
			30	31	32	33	34	35	36a	36b	37a	37b	37c	38a	38b	38c	39a	39b	39c	40a
	LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT																			
1	Conway Charge		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
2	Springfield	M. D. Nelson	800		48	59				600			600							
3	Center Ridge	M. D. Nelson			28	52				400			400							
4	Conway																			
5	Marche																			
6	Morrilton																			
7	Cotton Plant Charge																			
8	Brinkley			440	115		37	33		1,500			1,500							
9	Cotton Plant	H. Flowers		1,320	32		6		600	400			400	120		120	240		240	
10	Forest City	E. V. Scruggs			30	45	30			300			300							
11	Scruggs	E. V. Scruggs																		
12	Duncan Charge									3,600			3,600	120		120	100		100	
13	Duncan	R.B. Brown																		
14	Sweet Home																			
15	Fordyce Circuit																			
16	Bethel																			
17	Mt. Olive																			
18	Parham Chapel				83		128	522		4,080			4,080	60		60	150		150	
19	Hot Springs-Haven	Lloyd Smith																		
20	Johnsville Circuit																			
21	St. Francis																			
22	Wilson Chapel																			
23	Mt. Moriah																			
24	Little Rock-Wesley				600	2,210	350			3,900			3,900	300		300				
25	Little Rock-White	C. C. Hall																		
26	Marianna Circuit																			
27	Clarendon																			
28	Marianna	Joseph Hughes	4,949	2,700	60			50		1,200										
29	KoKomo																			
30	Hughes																			
31	Maumelle-Pankey																			
32	St. Paul				60	430	77	50		1,800			1,800	75		75	81		81	
33	Marks Chapel																			
34	Newport																			
35	North Little Rock Cir.																			
36	McCabe																			
37	Lonoke	R. B. Brown	6,432	4,000		80			700	494			494	39		35			35	
38	Bullock Temple																			
39	Hensley																			
40	Pine Bluff Charge																			
41	St. James	J. W. Lofton	1,275	1,500	125	1,200	65	50	4,500	4,500			4,500	520		520				
42	St. Mark																			
43	Gould																			
44	McGhee																			
45	Dermott																			
		Total	$13,456	$9,960	$1,181	$4,076	$693	$705	$5,800	$22,474		$20	$22,474	$1,234		$1,234	$606		$606	
		Total Last Year	2,600	5,485	968	1,266	982	1,180		23,512			900			2,288			773	
		Increase	10,856	4,475	213	2,810						20	21,504			1,054			167	
		Decrease	$	$	$	$	$289	$475	$	$ 1,038		$	$	$		$	$		$	
	OKLAHOMA DISTRICT																			
1	Anadorko Circuit		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$	$	$		$	$		$	
2	St. Paul	Connie Davis	1,260	75	130	150														
3	Bethel	Connie Davis			29	33			1,100	1,100			1,100	50		50				
4	Park's	T. R. Green		5,000			71	4,929		300			300							
5	Ardmore Circuit																			
6	Warren	E. T. Hickman		400	80	300			4,400	4,400			4,400	200		200	300		300	
7	Lee's Chapel																			
8	Reed's Chapel	E. T.Hickman			40	80				400			400	40		40				
9	Cresent Circuit																			
10	Mount Vernon	J. W. Hobbs			50		50	30	1,014	1,014			1,014	50		50				13
11	Oak Grove	J. W. Hobbs			25	10	20		360	360			360			30				4
12	Fayetteville-St. James																			
13	Ft. Smith Circuit																			
14	Malleilu	R. C. Preston	4,775	4,661	314	1,175	300		4,425	4,190			4,190	780		780			632	74
15	Van Buren	R. C. Preston		882	32		308		480	480			480						48	
16	Danville	R. C. Preston		343	153	400			400	400			400							
17	Guthrie-St. Paul	G.D. Waterford		600	15	28				254			254							
18	Hugo-Paul's Chapel	L. Sebastian			921	317			600	600			600	200		200				
19	Lockesburg Circuit																			
20	Macedonia	J. H. Oliver		1,200	90	376		50	600	600			600	108		108	36		36	1
21	Mt. Carmel	J. H. Oliver			97				600	600		38	438				15		15	1
22	Foreman																			
23	DeQueen	J. H. Oliver		185	37	270	65	50	600	600			600	100		100	36		36	1
24	Horatio	J. H. Oliver		155	57	172	37	44	500	500			500	50		50	48		48	1
25	Mufreesboro Circuit																			
26	Center Point	J. T. Counts		480	96	57	68	42	700	400			400	38		38				
27	Wiley	J. T. Counts		220	40	78	35		550	496	75	75	571	50		50	67		67	
28	Valley Grove	H. A. Davie							342	278			298							
29	Nashville	J. T. Counts			45	340	25		450	450			450	50		50				
30	Muskogee Circuit																			
31	Spencer	E. F. Shannon	1,500	86	179	1,560			3,575	3,575			3,575						450	
32	Franklin	E. F. Shannon			431	167			900	900			900							
33	Norris																			
34	Jackson																			
35	Lewisville Circuit																			
36	Quayle	F. C. Souder			635	7,434	400		5,356	5,356			5,356	1300		1,300				1,
37	Texarkana Circuit																			
38	Hall's	J. C. Tyus		1,000	69	112			2,600	2,600			2,600	75		75				2
39	Scott																			
40	Wesley-Tulsa	C.G. Tillmon	4,875	8,356	405	43,945	519	300	6,500	6,500		342	6,842							
41	Bowman-Purcell	A.S. Wamble, Sr.	1,300	500	125	70		150	600	600			600	40		40	105		105	
		Total	$12,410	$23,643	$3,970	$57,004	$1,898	$5,445	$36,052	$36,153	$75	$455	$36,608	$3121		$3,131	$502		$1,632	$3,
		Total Last Year	4,744	11,226	2,712	34,356	2,144	55		24,314			24,314			3,217	165		1,311	
		Increase	7,666	12,417	1,258	22,648		5,390		11,839	75	455	12,294	3121			337		321	
		Decrease					246									96				

Financial Report

ERIAL SUPPORT												CONNECTIONAL FUND										BENEVOLENCES										
												General Jurisdictional Adminstration Fund		Area Conference, District Administration		Interdenominational Cooperation Fund		Temporary General Aid Fund		Total Connectional Funds		World Service & Ministerial Conf. Benvolences Bd. Fund										
LITIES PAID		DISTRICT SUPT. FUND		EPISCOPAL FUND		CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S FUND		MINIMUM SALARY FUND		TOTAL SUPPORT OTHER THAN LOCAL CHURCH																						
Associate(s)	Total Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering & Serv.	United Methodist Student Day	Youth Service Fund
39b	39c	40a	40b	41a	41b	42a	42b	43a	43b	44a	44b	45a	45b	46a	46b	47a	47b	48a	48b	49a	49b	50a	50b	50c	51a	51b	52	53	54	55	56	57
$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$	$	$	$		$	$	$	$
			50				60				710		6		44									32								
			50		8		40						10		30																	
			100						1,500																				41	35		
	240		10				10						8		5		1							10								
			30				10																	12								
	100				72		648				4,540				20				20		40			45			10					
	150		300		34		341		10						10									20					10			
			429		78		711		50		1,268		38		50		10		8		106			261		15	204		25			2
	81																															
	35																										20					
			233	94	72		393		25				10		77									81					10			
	$806		$1,202	$94	$264		$2,210		$1,585		$6,518	$	$72		$236		$11		$28		$146			$461		$15	$234	$	$86	$35	$	$2
	773		2,242		314		1,805		120		2,669		129		373		6		76		421			730		62	127	16	46	71	65	
	167		1,040		50		405		1,465		3,849						5										107		40			2
	$		$	$	$		$		$		$		57		137				48		275			269		47		16		36	65	
			$	$	$		$		$		$	$	$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$		$	$	$	$	$	$	$
																								50								
																						160		98								
			10		2		71								25														8			
			400		40		200						10		8												80					
			60		4		28						2											20								
		131	131	15	20	45	45	20	20			60	60	65	65	2	2				127		40	40		5			12	2	8	
		41	40	7	7	22	22	30	30			50	50	38	38	1	1				89		25	25					5	3	5	
		741	741	89	89	796	796					72	72	350	350					422	422	329	329	329								16	
			88		8		22		12			5	5	30	30							16	16	16								
			129		8	72	72						13		78							38	38	38								
		5	5			19	19			24	24		1		1									10				2	2			
											117		11		63									34				5			10	
	125		70	12	12	108	56						9		2									26								
	102		38			108	10															35		10								
	102		102	12	12	128	128			102	102	2	2	31	31	2	2			2	2			71						4	3	
	133		133	10	10	90	90					13	13	70	70	2	2	1	1			57	57	57					2	5		
		76	40	14	6	126	50	21	4			2	2	63	22	2	2	38	4			161		44								
		57	57	9	9	87	60	5	5			1	1	13	13	1	1					23	23	20		2						
		10		10		26							35				10							30		3						
		47	48	9	9	81	38	23	11			1	1	15	15	1	1	23	11			19	19	19								
	450												15		56									68								
		1,601	1,601	107	107	964	964	161	161			103	103	193	193							311	311	311					46	42	50	
		220	229		11		112								15									23								
			1,088		75		1164				2,327		272		572						844			400		25						
5	105	80	80	12	12	12	12				692	50	25	35	30	50	40	10	10	195	105	50	50	50	10	10	25	5	5	8	3	
2	$1,632	$3,380	$5,020	$284	$439	$2,646	$3973	$260	$243	$126	$2,570	$309	$677	$868	$1,647	$11	$21	$62	$16	$424	$1,484	$1149	$858	$1739	$10	$35	$80	$9	$73	$56	$92	$
5	1,311		4,561		385		3617		189		1,157		328		1,454		6		7		914			2291		5	35		67	10	99	
7	321		459		54		356		54		1,413		349		193		15		9		570					30	45		6	46		
																								552							7	

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	CONNECTIONAL FUND								BENEVOLENCES																							
	al Jurisdictional tra- Area Conference, District Administration		Interdenominational Cooperation Fund		Temporary General Aid Fund		Total Connectional Funds		World Service & Ministerial Conf. Benvolences Ed. Fund					Other Conference Benevolences																	
	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering & Serv	United Methodist Student Day	Youth Service Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Fund for Reconciliation	Christian Education Sunday	Higher Education	Conference Advance Specials	Hospitals and Golden Cross	Homes for Children Youth and Aged	Reserve Pension			All Other Benevolences	Grand Total Paid (lines 30-68)
	45b	46a	46b	47a	47b	48a	48b	49a	49b	50a	50b	50c	51a	51b	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
	$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$	$	$	$		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$	$		$	$	$
6			44									32									10											1,709
10			30																													618
																	41	35			163	100										2,564
												10									5											2,033
8			5		1							12																				471
			20				20		40			45			10						20											9,195
			10									20					10				10											5,758
38			50		10		8		106			261		15	204		25			25	110		10	100								9,485
																															66	9,025
															20																	11,100
10			77									81					10					100		140								10,376
72		$236		$11		$28		$146				$461		$15	$234	$	$86	$35	$	$25	$318	$200	$10	$240	$			$	$	$	$66	$62,334
129		373		6		76		421				730		62	127	16	46	71	65		243		40	207	12			736	12	7	253	46,855
				5											107		40			25	75	200		33								15,479
57		137				48		275				269		47		16		36	65				30		12			736	12	7	187	
	$	$		$		$		$	$		$			$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$			$		$	$	$
												50																				2,625
									160			98																				1,325
			25														8				60											10,547
10			8												80						28											6,446
2												20																				572
50	65	65		2	2			127		40		40		5			12	2	8		10		5	20		2	2				52	1,860
50	38	38		1	1			89		25		25					5	3	5		8		4	3		2	1				40	797
32	350	350					422	422	329	329		329							16		22											20,564
5	30	30							16	16		16																12	22			1,965
13		78							38	38		38																36				1,670
1		1										10				2	2			3		10		10	2							986
11		63										34				5			10					46					15			2,443
9		2										26																5				2,450
									35			10																				570
2	31	31		2	2		2	2				71						4	3		5		30									1,735
15	70	70		2	2	1	1		57	57		57				2		5						26				26				1,498
2	63	22		2	2	38	4		161			44									8							12	2			1,367
1	13	13		1	1				23	23		20		2							15							4				1,148
35					10							30		3							30							22				421
1	15	15		1	1	23	11		19	19		19									14											1,070
15		56										68									7							28	14	15		75,213
																														321		1,819
103	193	193							311	311		311					46	42	50	120								16	186	250		19,293
		15										23									17										68	1,427
272		572						844				400		25							100	50	54	900								69,942
25	35	30	50	40	10	10	195	105	50	50		50	10	10	25	5	5	8	3	3	20		10	10	5						6	1,810
677	$868	$1,647	$11	$21	$62	$16	$424	$1,484	$1149	$858		$1739	$10	$35	$80	$9	$73	$56	$92	$123	$324	$60	$93	$1,005	$2	$4	$3	$161	$239	$586	$160	$162,081
328		1,454		6		7		914				2291		5	35	9	67	10	99	3	341	82	9	77	11	4	9	179	856	42	169	92,047
349		193		15		9		570						30	45		6	46		120			84	928						544		70,034
												552							7		17	22			9		6	18	617		9	

CHURCH AND CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	Principal & Int. on Indebtedness, Loans, Mortgages, etc.	Buildings and Improvements (not including funds borrowed)	Church School: Lesson Materials Supplies Adm.,etc.	Other Current Expenses, etc.	W.S.C.S.	Miscellaneous envelopes	PASTOR'S SALARY Amount Set	PASTOR'S SALARY Amount Paid	ASSOCIATE'S SALARY Amount Set	ASSOCIATE'S SALARY Amount Paid	Total Paid 36b-- 37b	ALLOWANCE PAID Pastor	ALLOWANCE PAID Associate(s)	PAID Total Paid	PAID Pastor	PAID Associate(s)	PAID Total Paid	Apportionment
LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT		30	31	32	33	34	35	36a	36b	37a	37b	37c	38a	38b	38c	39a	39b	39c	40a
1 Conway Charge		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
2 Springfield	M. D. Nelson	800		48	59				600			600							
3 Center Ridge	M. D. Nelson			28	52				400			400							
4 Conway																			
5 Marche																			
6 Morrilton																			
7 Cotton Plant Charge																			
8 Brinkley																			
9 Cotton Plant	H. Flowers		440	115		37	33		1,500			1,500							
10 Forest City	E. V. Scruggs		1,320	32		6		600	400			400	120		120	240		240	
11 Scruggs	E. V. Scruggs			30	45	30			300			300							
12 Duncan Charge																			
13 Duncan	R.B. Brown								3,600			3,600	120		120	100		100	
14 Sweet Home																			
15 Fordyce Circuit																			
16 Bethel																			
17 Mt. Olive																			
18 Parham Chapel																			
19 Hot Springs-Haven	Lloyd Smith			83		128	522		4,080			4,080	60		60	150		250	
20 Johnsville Circuit																			
21 St. Francis																			
22 Wilson Chapel																			
23 Mt. Moriah																			
24 Little Rock-Wesley																			
25 Little Rock-White	C. C. Hall			600	2,210	350			3,900			3,900	300		300				
26 Marianna Circuit																			
27 Clarendon																			
28 Marianna	Joseph Hughes	4,949	2,700	60			50		1,200										
29 KoKomo																			
30 Hughes																			
31 Maumelle-Pankey																			
32 St. Paul				60	430	77	50		1,800			1,800	75		75	81		81	
33 Marks Chapel																			
34 Newport																			
35 North Little Rock Cir.																			
36 McCabe																			
37 Lonoke	R. B. Brown	6,432	4,000		80			700	494			494	39		35			35	
38 Bullock Temple																			
39 Hensley																			
40 Pine Bluff Charge																			
41 St. James	J. W. Lofton	1,275	1,500	125	1,200	65	50	4,500	4,500			4,500	520		520				
42 St. Mark																			
43 Gould																			
44 McGhee																			
45 Dermott																			
	Total	$13,456	$9,960	$1,181	$4,076	$693	$705	$5,800	$22,474		$20	$22,474	$1,234		$1,234	$606		$606	
	Total Last Year	2,600	5,485	968	1,266	982	1,180		23,512			900			2,288			773	
	Increase	10,856	4,475	213	2,810						20	21,504			1,054			167	
	Decrease	$	$	$	$	$289	$475	$	$ 1,038		$	$	$		$	$		$	
OKLAHOMA DISTRICT																			
1 Anadorko Circuit		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$	$	$		$	$		$	
2 St. Paul	Connie Davis	1,260	75	130	150														
3 Bethel	Connie Davis			29	33			1,100	1,100			1,100	50		50				
4 Park's	T. R. Green		5,000			71	4,929		300			300							
5 Ardmore Circuit																			
6 Warren	E. T. Hickman		400	80	300			4,400	4,400			4,400	200		200	300		300	
7 Lee's Chapel																			
8 Reed's Chapel	E. T.Hickman			40	80				400			400	40		40				
9 Cresent Circuit																			
10 Mount Vernon	J. W. Hobbs			50		50	30	1,014	1,014			1,014	50		50				131
11 Oak Grove	J. W. Hobbs			25	10	20		360	360			360			30				40
12 Fayetteville-St. James																			
13 Ft. Smith Circuit																			
14 Malleilu	R. C. Preston	4,775	4,661	314	1,175	300		4,425	4,190			4,190	780		780			435	741
15 Van Buren	R. C. Preston		882	32		308		480	480			480						48	
16 Danville	R. C. Preston		343	153	400			400	400			400							
17 Guthrie-St. Paul	G.D. Waterford		600	15	28				254			254							5
18 Hugo-Paul's Chapel	L. Sebastian			921	317			600	600			600	200		200				
19 Lockesburg Circuit																			
20 Macedonia	J. H. Oliver		1,200	90	376		50	600	600			600	108		108	36		36	125
21 Mt. Carmel	J. H. Oliver			97				600	600		38	438				15		15	102
22 Foreman																			
23 DeQueen	J. H. Oliver		185	37	270	65	50	600	600			600	100		100	36		36	102
24 Horatio	J. H. Oliver		155	57	172	37	44	500	500			500	50		50	48		48	127
25 Mufreesboro Circuit																			
26 Center Point	J. T. Counts		480	96	57	68	42	700	400			400	38		38				74
27 Wiley	J. T. Counts		220	40	78	35		550	496	75	75	571	50		50	67		67	57
28 Valley Grove	H. A. Davie							342	278			298							30
29 Nashville	J. T. Counts			45	340	25		450	450			450	50		50				47
30 Muskogee Circuit																			
31 Spencer	E. F. Shannon	1,500	86	179	1,560			3,575	3,575			3,575						430	
32 Franklin	E. F. Shannon			431	167			900	900			900							
33 Norris																			
34 Jackson																			
35 Lewisville Circuit																			
36 Quayle	F. C. Souder			635	7,434	400		5,356	5,356			5,356	1300		1,300				1,400
37 Texarkana Circuit																			
38 Hall's	J. C. Tyus		1,000	69	112			2,600	2,600			2,600	75		75				120
39 Scott																			
40 Wesley-Tulsa	C.G. Tillmon	4,875	8,356	405	43,945	519	300	6,500	6,500		342	6,842							
41 Bowman-Purcell	A.S. Wamble, Sr.	1,300	500	125	70		150	600	600			600	40		40	105		105	80
	Total	$12,410	$23,643	$3,970	$57,004	$1,898	$5,445	$36,052	$36,153	$75	$455	$36,608	$3121		$3,131	$502		$1,632	$3,38
	Total Last Year	4,744	11,226	2,712	34,356	2,144	55		24,314			24,314			3,217	165		1,311	
	Increase	7,666	12,417	1,258	22,648		5,390		11,839	75	455	12,294	3121			337		321	
	Decrease					246									96				
RECAPITULATION	TABLE NO. 2																		
1 Little Rock	J.H. Thompson	$13,456	$9,960	$1,181	$4,076	$693	$705	$5,800	$22,474			$22,474	$1234		$1,234	$606		$606	
2 Oklahoma	A.S. Wamble, Sr.	12,410	23,643	3,970	57,004	1,898	5,445	36,052	36,153	75	455	36,608	3121		3,121	502		1,632	3,38
	Total	$25,866	$33,603	$5,151	$61,080	$2,591	$6,160		$58,627		$455	$59,082	$4355		$4,355			$1,108	
	Total Last Year	7,344	16,711	3,680	35,622	3,126	1,235		47,826		20	47,846			5,505			2,084	
	Increase	18,522	16,892	1,471	25,458		4,915		10,801		435	11,236							
	Decrease					535									1,150			976	

	TRAVEL ALLOWANCE PAID		UTILITIES PAID				DISTRICT SUPT. FUND		EPISCOPAL FUND		CLAIMANT'S FUND		SALARY FUND		OTHER THAN LOCAL CHURCH																			
Total Paid 36b+ 37b	Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	Pastor	Associate(s)	Total Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned
37c	38a	38b	38c	39a	39b	39c	40a	40b	41a	41b	42a	42b	43a	43b	44a	44b	45a	45b	46a	46b	47a	47b	48a	48b	49a	49b	50a	50b	50c	51a
$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$	$
600								50				60				710		6		44									32	
400								50		8		40						10		30										
1,500								100						1,500																
400	120		120	240		240		10				10																	10	
300								30				10						8		5		1							12	
3,600	120		120	100		100				72		648				4,540				20				20		40			45	
4,080	60		60	150		150		300		34		341		10						10									20	
3,900	300		300					429		78		711		50		1,268		38		50		10		8		106			261	
1,800	75		75	81		81																								
494	39		35			35																								
4,500	520		520					233	94	72		393		25				10		77									81	
$22,474	$1,234		$1,234	$606		$606		$1,202	$94	$264		$2,210		$1,585		$6,518	$	$72		$236		$11		$28		$146			$461	
503			2,288			773		2,242		314		1,805		120		2,669		129		373		6		76		421			730	
11,594			1,054			167		1,040		50		405		1,465		3,849						5								
$	$		$	$		$		$	$	$		$		$		$		57		137				48		275			269	
$	$		$	$		$		$	$	$		$		$		$	$	$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$	
																													50	
1,100	50		50																								160		98	
300								10		2		71								25										
4,400	200		200	300		300		400		40		200						10		8										
400	40		40					60		4		28						2											20	
1,824	50		50				131	131	15	20	45	45	20	20			60	60	65	65	2	2				127		40	40	
360			30				40	40	7	7	22	22	30	30			50	50	38	38	1	1				89		25	25	
4,190	780		780			632	741	741	89	89	796	796					72	72	350	350					422	422	329	329	329	
480						48		88		8		22		12			5	5	30	30							16	16	16	
400								129		8	72	72						13		78							38	38	38	
254							5	5			19	19			24	24		1		1									10	
900	200		200													117		11		63									34	
600	108		108	36		36	125	70	12	12	108	56						9		2									26	
438				15		15	102	38			108	10															35		10	
600	100		100	36		36	102	102	12	12	128	128			102	102	2	2	31	31	2	2			2	2			71	
500	50		50	48		48	133	133	10	10	90	90					13	13	70	70	2	2	1	1			57	57	57	
400	38		38				76	40	14	6	126	50	21	4			2	2	63	22	2	2	38	4			161		44	
571	50		50	67		67	57	57	9	9	87	60	5	5			1	1	13	13	1	1					23	23	20	
298							10		10		26							35				10							30	
450	50		50				47	48	9	9	81	38	23	11			1	1	15	15	1	1	23	11			19	19	19	
3,575						450												15		56									68	
900																														
5,356	1300		1,300				1,601	1,601	107	107	964	964	161	161			103	103	193	193							311	311	311	
2,600	75		75				220	229		11		112								15									23	
6,842								1,088		75		1164				2,327		272		572						844			400	
600	40		40	105		105	80	80	12	12	12	12				692	50	25	35	30	50	40	10	10	195	105	50	50	50	10
$36,608	$3121		$3,131	$502		$1,632	$3,380	$5,020	$284	$439	$2,646	$3973	$260	$243	$126	$2,570	$309	$677	$868	$1,647	$11	$21	$62	$16	$424	$1,484	$1149	$858	$1739	$10
24,314			3,217	165		1,311		4,561		385		3617		189		1,157		328		1,454		6		7		914			2291	
12,294	3121			337		321		459		54		356		54		1,413		349		193		15		9		570				
			96																										552	
$22,474	$1234		$1,234	$606		$606		$1,202	$94	$264		$2210		$1,585		$6,518	$	$72	$	$236	$	$11	$	$28	$	$146	$	$	$461	
36,608	3121		3,121	502		1,632	3,380	5,020	284	439	2,646	3973	260	243	126	2,570	309	677	868	1,647	11	21	62	16	424	1,484	1149	858	1739	
$59,082	$4355		$4,355			$1,108		$6,222	$378	$703		$6183		$1828		$9,088	$	$749	$	$1,883	$	$32		$44		$1,630			$2200	
47,846			5,505			2,084		6,803		699		5422		309		3,826		457		1,827		12		83		1,335			3022	
11,236												761		1519		5,262		292		56		20				295				
			1,150			976		581		196														39					822	

Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Assigned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	One Great Hour of Sharing	Fellowship of Suffering & Serv	United Methodist Student Day	Youth Service Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Fund for Reconciliation	Christian Education Sunday	Higher Education	Conference Advance Specials	Hospitals and Golden Cross	Homes for Children, Youth and Aged	Reserve Pension			All Other Benevolences	Grand Total Paid (Lines 30-68)
45b	46a	46b	47a	47b	48a	48b	49a	49b	50a	50b	50c	51a	51b	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69
$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$	$	$	$		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$		$	$	$	$
6		44									32									30											1,709
10		30																													618
																41	35			260	100										2,564
											10									3											2,033
8		5		1							12																				471
		20				20		40			45			10						20											9,195
		10									20					10				10											5,758
38		50		10		8		106			261		15	204		25			25	110		10	100								9,485
																														66	9,025
														20																	11,100
10		77									81					10					100		140								10,376
$72		$236		$11		$28		$146			$461		$15	$234	$	$86	$35	$	$25	$318	$200	$10	$240	$			$	$	$	$66	$62,334
129		373		6		76		421			730		62	127	16	46	71	65		243		40	207	12			736	12	7	253	46,855
				5										107		40			25	75	200		33								15,479
57		137				48		275			269		47		16		36	65				30		12			736	12	7	187	
$	$	$		$		$		$	$		$		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$			$		$	$	$
											50																				2,625
									160		98																				1,325
		25														8				60											10,547
10		8												80						28											6,446
2											20																				572
60	65	65	2	2				127		40	40		5			12	2	8		10		5	20		2	2				52	1,860
50	38	38	1	1				89		25	25					5	3	5		8		4	3		2	1				40	797
72	350	350					422	422	329	329	329							16		22											20,564
5	30	30							16	16	16																12	22			1,965
13		78							38	38	38																36				1,670
1		1									10				2	2			3		10		10	2							986
11		63									34				5			10					46					15			2,443
9		2									26																5				2,450
									35		10																				570
2	31	31	2	2			2	2			71						4	3		5		30									1,735
13	70	70	2	2	1	1			57	57	57				2		5						26				26				1,498
2	63	22	2	2	38	4			161		44									8							12	2			1,367
1	13	13	1	1					23	23	20		2							15							4				1,148
35				10							30		3							30							22				421
1	15	15	1	1	23	11			19	19	19									14											1,070
15		56									68									7							28	14	15		75,213
																													321		1,819
103	193	193							311	311	311					46	42	50	120								16	186	250		19,293
		15									23									17										68	1,427
272		572						844			400		25							100	50	54	900								69,942
25	35	30	50	40	10	10	195	105	50	50	50	10	10	25	5	5	8	3	3	20		10	10	5						6	1,810
677	$868	$1,647	$11	$21	$62	$16	$424	$1,484	$1149	$858	$1739	$10	$35	$80	$9	$73	$56	$92	$123	$324	$60	$93	$1,005	$2	$4	$3	$161	$239	$586	$160	$162,081
328		1,454		6		7		914			2291		5	35	9	67	10	99	3	341	82	9	77	11	4	9	179	856	42	169	92,047
349		193		15		9		570					30	45		6	46		120			84	928						544		70,034
											552							7		17	22			9		6	18	617		9	
$72	$	$236	$	$11	$	$28	$	$146	$	$	$461		$15	$234	$	$ 86	$35	$	$25	$318	$200	$10	$240	$	$	$		$	$	$66	$62,334
677	868	1,647	11	21	62	16	424	1,484	1149	858	1739		35	80	9	73	56	92	123	324	60	93	1,005	2	4	3	161	239	586	160	162,081
749	$	$1,883	$	$32		$44		$1,630			$2200		$50	$314	$9	$159	$91	$92	$148	$642	$260	$103	$1,245	$ 2	$4	$3	$161	$239	$586	$226	$224,415
457		1,827		12		83		1,335			3022		67	162	25	113	81	164	3	584	82	49	284	23	4	9	915	868	49	422	138,902
292		56		20				295						152		46	10		145	58	178	54	961						537		85,513
						39					822		17		16			72						21		6	754	629		196	

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	NAME AND CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP: Total Members Reported at Close of Last Year	Received This Year on Confession of Faith of Restored.	Received from other United Meth. Churches	Received from other Denominations	Removed by Charge Conf. Action or Withdrawn	Removed by Transfer to other United Meth. Ch.	Removed by Transfer to other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Members at close of this year	Average Attendance of the Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number of Persons Baptized this year (all ages)	Preparatory Members Now on roll(all baptized children under 18)	Number of Leaders	Children (birth through sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups
	ARKANSAS LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
1	Wesley-Chapel	Lester, W. D.	306	4	6	8		2		5	314	75	5	60	35	20
2	White Memorial	Hall, C.C.	142	2	5	1	5	8	2	10	125	80	2	11	14	30
3	Mt. Moriah Cirt	Roe, C. H.	48								48	30			9	12
4	Wilson Chapel		22								22	15		5	4	3
5	St. Francis		167						56		111	55		59	7	25
6	Scruggs Chapel	Hughes, Joe	48			5					53	30		10	6	27
7	Zion Chapel	Nelson, M. D.	28							1	27	22			13	10
8	Union Chapel		30	9						39		26	8		6	8
9	Mark Chapel	Morgan, E. M.	77			1			1	3	74				15	
10	Bullock	Piggee, W. H.	32								32	28			5	6
11	Haven		30	2						1	31	20	1	6	4	6
12	Kynette	Scruggs, Everette	16							1	15	10			4	8
13	Brown Chapel	Troupe, G. G.	86								86	31			8	
14	St. James	Brown, R. B.	34	1				1		1	32	18		6	6	8
15	Duncan		75							2	73	75			9	35
16	Taylor, Chapel	Flowers, H. W.	64	1							65	45			5	15
17	Livingston Chapel	Hughes, Joseph	50	2						1	51	50		20	7	5
18	St. James	Lofton, J. W.	113					1		2	110	65	3	25	10	17
19	Emory Chapel	Bright, W.H. D.	43	1						2	44	23	1	15	6	18
20	Smith & Mt. Zion	Banks, Clifton	18								18	12				
21	Haven	Smith, Lloyd	105	32	2					2	137	80	3	20	12	14
22	St. Paul & Mark Chapel	Robinson, Wm. H.	177	1							178	89	9	29	6	45
		Total (or Carried Forward)	1,751	55	13	15	5	12	59	70	1,625	897	32	261	191	312
		Total Last Year	1,610	15	3	5	3	10	66	29	1,544	809	25	235	159	255
		Increase	141	40	10	10	2	2		41	91	82	7	26	32	57
		Decrease							13							
	OKLAHOMA DISTRICT															
1	Quayle	Souder, F. C.	312		3	7			3	2	317	150	2	89	14	45
2	Franklin Memorial	Shannon, E. F.	9								9	7			2	
3	Spencer		126							1	125	45	1	31	9	15
4	Norris Chapel		11								11	8			2	
5	Bowman Chapel	Wamble, A.S., Sr.	18							1	17	20		31	6	5
6	Hall Memorial	Tyus, J. C.	140								140	76		20	27	15
7	Mallaliel	Preston, K. C.	124								124				21	28
8	Mt. Vernon	Hobbs, J. W.	51			1				1	51	58		19	14	16
9	Oak Grove		9								9	8		12	2	7
10	St. Paul	Waterford, G. D.	13	1				1			13	8		11	2	7
11	Davis Chapel	Davie, H. A.	7		2						9				4	
12	McDonald		15		2				1		16			1	4	
13	Babel Chapel		9								9				4	
14	Warren	Hickman, E. T.	104			3				1	106	50	1	3	10	30
15	Reed's Chapel		10	1							11	8		2	2	1
16	Lee's Chapel		30						2		28	6	5		3	
17	Mt. Carmel	Oliver, J. H.	31	4						3	32	18			5	1
18	Macedonia		31	7						1	30	10	7		4	1
19	Mt. Zion		17							1	16	40		8	6	
20	New Hope		17				1			1	16	11		1	8	
21	Wesley	Tillman, C. G	325	14			7			5	327		6	71	15	7
22	Paul Chapel	Sebastian, L.	48	4	4						56				6	1
23	St. Paul	Davis, C.	40								40	30	2		4	2
24	Bethel		17								17	15		8	4	1
25	Parks Memorial	Green, T. R.	17	3						1	20	27	10	10	2	1
26	Wiley Chapel	Counts, J. T.	29			1				1	29	25		2	7	
27	Ebenezer		25					1			26	20		2	6	
28	Wesley Chapel		44							1	43	35			7	1
29	St. James	Chester, Lewis, Jr.	91		2					3	90		1		7	1
		Total (or Carried Forward)	1,707	34	10	12	8	2	6	23	1,737	685	35	332	207	35
		Total Last Year	1,483	11	2	10	3	2		13	1,437	723	9	314	166	30
		Increase	224	23	8	2	5		6	10	300		26	18	41	5
		Decrease										38				
	RECAPITULATION TABLE NO. 1															
1	Oklahoma	A. S. Wamble	1,707	34	10	12	8	2	6	23	1,737	685	35	332	207	33
2	Little Rock	J. H. Thompson	1,751	55	13	15	5	12	59	70	1,625	897	32			31
		Total (or Carried Forward)	3,458	89	25	27	13	14	65	93	3,362	1,582	67	332	468	67
		Total Last Year	3,093	26	5	15	6	12	66	42	2,981	1,532	34	549	325	56
		Increase	365	63	20	12	7	2		51	481	50	32		143	1
		Decrease							1					217		

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	Total Members at close of this year	Average Attendance of the Principal Weekly Worship Service(s)	Number of Persons Baptized this year (all ages)	Preparatory Members Now on roll(all baptized children under 18)	CHURCH SCHOOL: Number of Leaders	Children (birth through sixth grade) in All Classes and Groups	Youth	Adults	Total Church-School Membership	Average Attendance	Number of Ongoing Classes and Groups Learning	Number of Short-term Classes and Groups for Learning	W. S. C. S.: Number of Service Guild (including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Membership of Society	Amount Paid for Local Church and Community Work	United Methodist Men Group	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS: Value of Church, Land, Buildings and Equipment	Value of Church Owned Parsonages and Furniture	Value of Other Assets (cash, bonds, other property, etc.)	Unpaid Balance on Indebtedness up items 24, 25, 26	Balance of Other Indebtedness (current expenses, etc.)	
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
	314	75	5	60	35	20	30	35	120	65	4	2	60	1,300	1	$ 210,000	$24,500	$	$	$	1
	125	80	2	11	14	30	20	20	84	60	20	70	30	250	1	200,000	30,000	700	500	1,800	2
	48	30			9	12	15	46	82		3		11	65	1	10,000	1,500				3
	22	15		5	4	3	3	10	20							8,000					4
	111	55		59	7	25	10	5	47	35	25		20	106		8,000		50			5
	53	30		10	6	27	14	25	72	25	3		8			11,000					6
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