

2018 Memphis Conference Charge Line Changes

Metro District

WHEREAS, to fulfill the mission of the Metro District and the Memphis Conference of the United Methodist Church, the following charge line change is needed to provide the most effective pastoral leadership for every congregation in the district.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Campground Charge and the Garland Charge be dissolved and the Campground-Garland Charge be created.

Rev. Dr. Deborah B. Smith, District Superintendent

MS River District

WHEREAS, the MS River District charge lines were reviewed to determine the best way to provide the most effective pastoral leadership for every congregation in the district, full and part-time, the following charge line changes are needed;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Alamo-Cypress Charge be dissolved and the Alamo First Charge and the Cypress Charge be created.

BE IT RESOLVED, that with the closure of Brocks Chapel United Methodist Church, the Greenfield-Brocks Charge be dissolved. Be it further resolved, that the Sharon Charge be dissolved and the Greenfield-Sharon Charge be created.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Marvin's Chapel-Union Grove Charge be dissolved and the Union Grove Charge and the Marvin's Chapel Charge be created.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ridgely-Cunningham Charge and the Tiptonville-Crockett Chapel Charge be dissolved and the Lake County Cooperative Parish be formed to include the following churches: Tiptonville, Ridgely, Crockett Chapel and Cunningham.

Rev. Kevin Conrad, District Superintendent

Purchase District

WHEREAS, to fulfill the mission of the Memphis Conference and the Purchase District of the United Methodist Church the Coles Campground-Temple Hill-Independence and the Dexter Hardin-Palestine (Calloway) charges need to be discontinued.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED to fulfill the mission of the Memphis Conference and the Purchase District of the United Methodist Church the Russell Chapel-Coles Campground and the Dexter Hardin-Independence-Palestine (Calloway) charges be created.

Rev. Dr. Robert D. Martin, District Superintendent

Tennessee River District

WHEREAS, the Tennessee River District charge lines were reviewed to determine the best way to provide the most effective pastoral leadership for every congregation in the district, full and part time, several charge line changes are needed;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Holladay/Palestine and the Oak Grove/Yellow Springs Charges be dissolved, and Holladay/Palestine/Yellow Springs and Oak Grove Charges be created; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Lebanon/Corinth and Sardis/Mt. Nebo Charges be dissolved, and Lebanon/Sardis and Corinth/Mt. Nebo Charges be created; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Big Sandy/Bakers Chapel charge be dissolved, and Baker's Chapel Charge be created; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Pleasant Hill/Cedar Grove Charge be dissolved, and Pleasant Hill and Cedar Grove Charges be created.

Dr. Richard W. Clark, District Superintendent