

DISTRICT BOARD OF MINISTERIAL DEVELOPMENT

We have received and examined all the annual service reports which have been submitted. We feel that there were no irregularities of such a nature that they should be reported to the District Conference. The following indicates members of the District responsible to submit an annual service report and whether their reports were approved, unsatisfactory or not received (1390.9). The DBMD recommends that the annual service reports be approved as received

Ader, Monty	Approved	Gartley, Paul	Approved
Arbeiter-Allen, April	Approved	George, Melissa	Approved
Argo, Jason	Approved	George, Christopher	Approved
Bannister, LeRoy	No Report	George, Robin	Approved
Bashizi, Yoshua	Approved	Gladden, Kimberly	Approved
Beers, Kevin	Approved	Glendenning, Todd	Approved
Beers, Becky	Approved	Harley, Mark	Approved
Brooks, Kevin	Approved	Harrington, Hallie	Approved
Buckley, Timothy	Approved	Hawkins, Dylan	Approved
Butcher, Daniel	Approved	Holet, Kimberly	Approved
Carey, Michael	Approved	Horton, Jonathan	Approved
Carr, Caleb	Approved	Hotchkiss, Julia	Approved
Carr, Allison	Approved	Ingersoll, Douglas	Approved
Case, Jonathan	Approved	Jennings, Joseph	Approved
Chase, Allen	Approved	Johnson, Steven	Approved
Chikonde, Justin	Approved	Jones, Patrick	Approved
Ciocco, Gale	Approved	Jones, Daniel	Approved
Clark, Keith	Approved	Jones, Justin	Approved
Claydon, Jason	Approved	Jordan, Tori	Approved
Claydon, Tammy	Approved	Jordan, Michael	Approved
Cole, Jon	Approved	Kaufman, Trevor	Approved
Cook, Joseph	Approved	Kaufman, Kristy	Approved
Dean, Marcus	Approved	King, Shawn	Approved
Deitrick Johnson, Grace	Approved	Kizewski, Jordan	Approved
DeLozier, Joseph	Approved	Leamon, Michael	Approved
Devries, Roy	Approved	Leckel, Jacob	Approved
Duncan, Cameron	Approved	Logan, Ronald	No Report
Duttweiler, Ronald	Approved	MacBeth, Wayne	Approved
DuVall, Mary	Approved	McClain, Gregory	Approved
Dwyer, Michael	Approved	McCool, Jeremy	Approved
Ellis, Patricia	Approved	McIntyre, Nila	Approved
Ellis, Bruce	Approved	Merriam, Floyd	Approved
Engler, Robert	Approved	Merrill, Andrea	Approved
Farney, Roger	Approved	Meyers, Alan	Approved
Farrow, Barbara	Approved	Miller, Jeremy	Approved
Fidurko, Andrew	Approved	Miller, John L.	Approved
Funch, Adam	Approved	Moore, Juwan	Approved
Gabucci, Peter	Approved	Mullett, Conner	Approved
Gallegos, Judy	Approved	Mutton, Joseph	Approved

Nedopak, Nathan Approved
 Nieman, Corey Approved
 Nykyforchyn, William Approved
 Oden, Cindy Approved
 Oden, Wesley Approved
 Palmer, Paul Approved
 Paul, Stephen Approved
 Payne, D. Joseph Approved
 Pecora, Bryan Approved
 Piwko, Edward Approved
 Pocock, Steven Approved
 Raines, Frederick Approved
 Rose, Katie Approved
 Rose, Matthew Approved
 Rutherford, Joshua Approved
 Salter-Smith, Cassandra Approved
 Schara, Robin Approved
 Scharf, Sara Approved
 Schutte, David Approved
 Shea, Paul Approved
 Sherman, Andrew No Report

Nightingale, Richard Approved
 Niver, Terri Approved
 Smith, Bruce Approved
 Spateholts, Emily Approved
 Tharnish, Melinda Approved
 Todd, Becky Approved
 Todd, Daniel Approved
 Trippett, Michael Approved
 Ventre, Madelyn Approved
 Walker, Margaret Approved
 Walton, Andrew Approved
 Wanke, James Approved
 Ward, Jonathan Approved
 Webb, Bjorn Approved
 Wieder, Darren Approved
 Wilson, Daniel Approved
 Woods, Kingsley Approved
 Wrigglesworth, Michael Approved
 Wright, Ronald Approved
 Yei, Suk May Approved
 Zangara, Donna Approved

Credential Recommendations

We, the members of the District Board of Ministerial Development, make the following recommendations to the 2026 District Conference of the Western New York District:

Election to Ordained Minister:

Grace Deitrick Johnson
 Jeremy Miller

Listing as an Ordained Minister in Process of Denominational Transfer:

William Allen
 Kristen Allen
 Judy Gallegos
 David Huizenga

Granting a District Ministerial License:

Mark Harley	Katie Rose
Kimberly Holet	Emily Spateholts
Dylan Hawkins	Juwan Vasquez-Moore
Julia Hotchkiss	James Wanke
Kristy Kaufman	Kingsley Woods
Edward Piwko	Ronald Wright

Renewing a District Ministerial License:

Yoshua Bashizi	Tori Jordan
Daniel Butcher	Shawn King
Allison Carr	Corey Nieman
Keith Clark	Bryan Pecora
Joseph Cook	Sara Scharf
Barbara Farrow	Bjorn Webb

Granting Permanent Status for District Ministerial License:

Joseph DeLozier
Andrea Merrill

Granting a License as a Ministerial Student:

Madelyn Ventre

Renewing a License as a Ministerial Student:

Timothy Buckley
Michael Carey
Justin Chikonde
Mary Duvall
Adam Funch
Peter Gabucci
Jeremy McCool
Conner Mullett
Nathan Nedopak
Donna Zangara

Ministerial Transfers

The following transfers were processed by the Western New York District of The Wesleyan Church during the 2025-2026 conference year:

ORDAINED MINISTERS TRANSFERRED INTO WESTERN NEW YORK

Andrew Fidorko from Penn York District 6/30/2025

ORDAINED MINISTERS TRANSFERRED OUT OF WESTERN NEW YORK

None

ORDAINED MINISTERS WITHDRAWN FROM THE WESLEYAN CHURCH

None

LICENSED MINISTERS WITHDRAWN

None

MINISTERIAL STUDENTS TRANSFERRED OUT OF WESTERN NEW YORK

Hannah Schell to South Coastal District 10/2/2025