

**TENNESSEE-WESTERN KENTUCKY CONFERENCE
2023-2024 NOMINATIONS**

Resident Bishop: William T. McAlilly
Conference Secretary: Monica Mowdy
Treasurer/Statistician: Larry Davis
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Associate Lay Leader: George Brown
Chancellor/Parliamentarian: Lisa Carson
Associate Chancellor: Zack McMillen

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Team Leader: Bishop William T. McAlilly
Facilitator/Assistant to the Bishop: Rob Martin
Facilitator/ Connectional Ministry Officer: Melinda Young Britt
Administrative Strategy Team Leader: Leslie Hotzfeld
Discover/Send Strategy Team Leader: Toi King
Connect Strategy Team Leader: Rebecca Little
Equip Strategy Team Leader: Bethany Huffman
Communications Strategy Team Leader: H. G. Stovall
Lay Leader: Janice McCallen
Dean of the Cabinet: Pat Freudenthal
Committee on Episcopacy Representative: Joy Weathersbee

Staff Support:

Conference Treasurer/Statistician: Larry Davis
Director of Communications: Amy Hurd, APR
Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson
Ministry Associate: Jefferson Furtado
Ministry Associate: BJ Brack

ADMINISTRATIVE STRATEGY TEAM

Leader: Leslie Hotzfeld

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Laura Hunt

Director of Administrative Services: Larry Davis

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Cabinet Representative: Dan Camp
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Assistant Administrative Officer/Human Resources Specialist: Alice Grunau

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Director of Administrative Services/Treasurer: Larry Davis
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Bishop without vote: Bishop William T. McAlilly
District Superintendent by Cabinet without vote: David Weatherly
Connectional Ministry Officer without vote: Melinda Young Britt
Foundation Director without vote: Philip Jamieson

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Assistant Administrative Officer/Human Resources Specialist: Alice Grunau
Connectional Ministry Officer: Melinda Young Britt
Cabinet Representative: Chip Hunter

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Annual Conference Design Team Chair: Amy Hurd

Conference Secretary: Monica Mowdy

Conference Chancellor: Lisa Carson

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Director of Administrative Services/Treasurer: Larry Davis

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Conference Secretary: Monica Mowdy

Conference Chancellor: Lisa Carson

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Leader: Bethany Huffman

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Ministry Associate: Jefferson Furtado

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UMM member: TBD

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UMYF Member: TBD
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Youth Member: TBD

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Caney Fork River District Lay Leader: Michael Lorance
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Harpeth River District Lay Leader: Jeannetta Hill
Metro District Lay Leader: Mildred Taylor
Mississippi River District Lay Leader: Justin Crice
Purchase District Lay Leader: Jim Capps
Red River District Lay Leader: Cliff Steger
Stones River District Lay Leader: John Carney
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Ministry Associate: Jefferson Furtado
Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson
Ministry Associate: BJ Brack

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Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson

COMMITTEE ON SAFE SPACES

Chair: Terry Carty
Crisis Response Coordinator: Lanita Monroe

Keri Cress	Bryant Fisher	Keller Hawkins
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Ministry Associate: Jefferson Furtado
Cabinet Representative: Jerry Wallace

CONNECT STRATEGY TEAM

Leader: Rebecca Little

Ayanna Hampton
Amy Martin

Michele Morton
Darren Wright

John Purdue

Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson

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Chair: Erin Beasley

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Cabinet Representative: TBD

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Consultant: Carlenda Smith

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Cynthia Davis	Stephen Handy	Stacey Harwell-Dye
Toi King	Ingrid McIntyre	Jerome Scales, Jr.
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DISCOVER/SEND STRATEGY TEAM

Chair: Toi King

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J. V. Thompson	Connor Williams

Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson

NEW CHURCH DEVELOPMENT

Chair: Vona Wilson

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Connectional Ministry Officer: Melinda Young Britt

Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson

Discover/Send Admin. Assistant: Mandy White

Connect Strategy Team Rep: Conner Williams

Assistant to the Bishop: Rob Martin

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Conference Disaster Response Coordinator: Robert Craig
Caney Fork River District Representative: Tim Bodey
Cumberland River District Representative: John Vida
Harpeth River District Representative: David Lay
Metro District Representative: TBD
Mississippi River District Representative: Brian Griffith
Purchase District Co-Representative: John Varden
Purchase District Co-Representative: Barbara Hudson
Red River District Representative: Steve Settle
Stones River District Representative: Sally Millsap
Tennessee River District Representative: Frank Hartman

Discover/Send Admin. Assistant: Mandy White
Episcopal Office: Brandi Galbraith
Cabinet Representative: TBD

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Chair: H. G. Stovall

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Director of Communications: Amy Hurd, APR
Communications Specialist: Tyler Sprouse

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Conference Secretary: Monica Mowdy
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Assistant to the Bishop: Rob Martin
Consultants as Needed: TBD

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SEJ COE Rep./Lay Delegate: Josh Shaw
Conference Lay Leader: Janice McCallen

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Michele Morton	Annette Vaughan	Joy Weathersbee
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EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE COMMITTEE

Chair: Paula Grout
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Consultant: Brandi Galbraith

COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE NOMINATIONS

Chair: Bishop William T. McAlilly

Will Clark	Myriam Cortes
Linda Furtado	Susan Graham
Amanda Hartmann Westmoreland	Seonwoong Hwang
Janice McCallen	Cliff Steger

Cabinet Representative: Nancy Johnston Varden
Cabinet Representative: Pat Freudenthal
Connectional Ministries Officer: Melinda Britt
Ministry Associate: Courtney Lawson
Ministry Associate: Jefferson Furtado
Assistant to the Bishop: Rob Martin