

**Online Meeting** June 7-13, 2021

# **Program Guide**

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# Meeting Overview: Church Anew: Leading From the Emerging Future

As a free, all-electronic gathering this year, we are offering a variety of events spaced out throughout the 6 days from Monday, June 7, through Saturday, June 12, 2021. Key events have been placed in the early evening time slot to offer all of your delegates the opportunity to attend.

## **Your Church Delegation**

In addition to all ordained, commissioned, and licensed ministers, your church may send two or more lay delegates, according to the size of your church. The RMC Bylaws state:

"Every local church with standing in an association of the Conference shall be entitled to voting representatives in the Conference of two lay delegates, plus one additional lay delegate for each 200 members, or major fraction thereof above 200 members, provided that no church may thus be represented by more than seven lay delegates, of which one can be a youth (age 15-20 years.) The last annual Yearbook statistics will be the basis for computing the number of delegates."

Alongside clergy and other lay delegates across the Conference, these delegates will comprise the voting body for our Annual Celebration and Business Meeting on Saturday, June 12, check in starting at 8:30AM. Visitors are also welcome at any of our events as long as they are registered in advance.

## **Delegation Pre-Work**

Please also know, each delegate or visitor will need to have sufficient internet bandwidth and a device capable of holding a Zoom connection. We ask our church leaders to work with their delegates and visitors in advance of Annual Celebration to ensure your delegates are familiar with how to access Zoom. Although we will have technical support available throughout the Annual Celebration, we will not have the capacity to teach people how to access Zoom or use their device. Please work with your delegates and visitors ahead of time to ensure they have an exciting opportunity to connect into this Conference event.

## A Call to Gather

While our business together is vital, in the Rocky Mountain Conference our Annual Celebration is also an opportunity to build relationships, laugh, worship, and experience Spirit with one another. We are striving to provide these same moments electronically, with optional contemplative spaces, casual get-togethers, and some educational moments sprinkled throughout the two weeks of gatherings. And, of course, we don't expect either you or your delegates to attend everything – but rather, partake of the banquet of opportunities the staff, the Board, and the Southeastern Association has prepared for you.

## **Keynote Speaker**

Our keynote will be presented by **Valarie Kaur**, a civil rights activist, lawyer, award-winning filmmaker, founder of the Revolutionary Love Project, author of *See No Stranger*: A *Memoir and Manifesto of Revolutionary Love*, and Sikh American voice. We highly recommend reading *See No Stranger* prior to the keynote session.

## **All-Conference Worship**

Worship opportunities will take place in a variety of ways this year. We will host 5 "Sanctuary Sessions" from 8:30-9:00AM, Monday through Friday. We will also ground our Saturday Business Meeting in worshipful practice and conclude with communion. We will offer some prerecorded materials that RMC churches may use on Sunday June 13.

## **Business Meeting and Pre-Meetings**

Our Annual Meeting to conduct Conference business will open for pre-registered delegate check in at **8:30AM on Saturday**, **June 12**, **2021** with the meeting to convene at 9:00AM. There are five pieces of business on the agenda for this year:

- 1. Consent Agenda with 2020 Annual Celebration minutes
- 2. 2022 Proposed Budget
- 3. Nominating Slate for Board and Committees
- 4. Clergy Compensation Guidelines
- 5. RMC Bylaw Updates

The documents for each of these pieces of business have been posted in the Annual Celebration section of the rmcucc.org website. In addition, because we anticipate more than 100 people on Zoom during the Saturday morning business meeting, we will hold a one-hour, pre-meeting session to answer your questions about these business items prior to our Saturday meeting:

 Tuesday, June 8, 6-7:30 PM – Consent Agenda and Personnel Review with Judy Baillie, RMC Board Moderator, and Mark Dutell, RMC Personnel Chair; 2021 Proposed Budget Review with Shelly Dunam, RMC Treasurer; Nominating Slate Review with Ken Ingram.

Immediately following the Business Meeting, we will close Annual Celebration 2020 with worship to include the installation of newly-elected officers and committee members.

GRAND AGENDA

**Church Anew: Annual Celebration 2021** 

# Digital Meeting | June 7-13, 2021

Monday-Friday, June 7-11

8:30-9:00 AM 30 Minute Sanctuary Sessions Zoom

Monday, June 7

12:00-1:00 PM Lunch Session w/Sue and Erin Zoom

4:00-5:00 PM Tributary Fund and Anti-Racism Updates Zoom 6:00-7:30 PM Church Anew Zoom

Tuesday, June 8

12:00-1:00 PMLunch Session: "Church Buildings Anew"Zoom4:00-5:00 PMA Pause to CommemorateZoom6:00-7:30 PMRMC Business PreviewZoom

Wednesday, June 9

12:00-1:00 PM Lunch Session: "Tech Anew" Zoom

5:00-6:30 PM Keynote by Valarie Kaur Zoom Webinar

6:30-7:30 PM Zoom Dance Party Zoom

Thursday, June 10

12:00-1:00 PM Lunch Session: "Mission Anew" Zoom

4:00-5:00 PM RMC BoD Strategic Visioning Session Zoom

6:00-7:30 PM State of the Conference Address Zoom

Friday, June 11

12:00-1:00 PM Lunch Session: "Outdoor Ministry Anew" Zoom 6:00-7:30 PM RMC Business Q&A Zoom

Saturday, June 12

8:30-11:30 AM RMC Business Meeting Zoom

Sunday, June 13

Anytime RMC Worship Experience Youtube

#### What do the other colors mean?

RMC Business related events are in green.

Worship events are in purple. Featured speakers are in red.

Content Sessions are in orange.

## Where can I get the documents I need for Annual Celebration?

Everything you need will be available in this Program Guide. In addition, all business items are available on our website.

## How will the business meeting work?

<sup>\*\*</sup>Please note: This Grand Agenda is subject to change\*\*

On the morning of June 12, for the business meeting, you will need to "check in" prior to 8:50 am. If you have not joined the meeting by 8:50 am, you will be marked as "not present" and will be unable to vote. We will ask you to check in by first letter of last name:

A - G, 8:30 am

H - N, 8:35 am

O - Z, 8:45 am

# **Meeting Overview - Important Contacts**

5 for 5 Awards Janice Travis <u>janice@rmcucc.org</u>

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# Info & Resources - Registration and Resources

#### **Zoom Information**

Zoom Video Communications provides videotelephony and online chat services through a cloud-based peer-to-peer software platform and is used for teleconferencing, telecommuting, distance education, and social relations.

Zoom is very easy to use. Here is a link to <u>a short video on how to get started with Zoom</u>.

## **Pre-Registration Information**

Pre-Registration is through Eventbrite. Click <a href="here">here</a>, then click "Register." Select on "General Admission "ticket. You can enter optional donations to any of the nonprofits listed, then click "Check Out," and complete your registration.

## Registration Deadline: June 4, 2021

Once we close the Pre-Registration there will be NO "on-site" registration.

# Meeting Materials – 2021 Consent Agenda

An Educational Moment

Roberts' Rules of Order provides for the use of a Consent Agenda for the approval of routine items (which do not need discussion or debate) with one vote, thereby eliminating the need for individual motions and votes for each item.

At the beginning of the meeting where a consent agenda is used, the moderator will ask if there are items which the body wants removed from the consent agenda so they can be discussed individually. If any member requests that an item be removed from the consent agenda, it will be placed on the general agenda to be discussed individually.

When there are no more items to be removed, the moderator reads out the remaining consent items. Then the moderator states: "If there is no objection, these items will be adopted." After pausing for any objections, the moderator states "As there are no objections, these items are adopted." It is not necessary to ask for a show of hands.

The Rocky Mountain Conference Board of Directors proposes the following Consent Agenda for its 2021 Annual Meeting:

# 2021 Annual Meeting Consent Agenda

- 1. **Standing Rules** for the 2021 Annual Meeting (posted on website since March 1, 2021)
- 2. **2020 Annual Meeting Minutes** (posted on website since May 11, 2021)
- 3. **Grant Voice with Vote to new church starts:** Community Spirit UCC, Montrose, CO and OMO House, Denver, CO, Juniper Foundation Denver, CO
- 4. Grant Voice without Vote to all guests
- 5. Approve RMC Bylaws changes that do not change the meaning of how we share our ministries together: blue-highlighted changes (formating) and green highlighted changes (grammar and consistency). The yellow-highlighted changes that change how we share our ministries together will be discussed and voted on during the meeting (posted on website since May 11, 2021)
- 6. Appointment of Tracey Dawson as **Parliamentarian**
- 7. Appointment of Mark Dutell as **Time Keeper**

# Meeting Materials – Standing Rules

- 1. "Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised" shall be followed, unless otherwise ordered by the Conference Annual Celebration Business Meeting.
- 2. Matters deemed by the Moderator to be merely format, routine, and non-controversial may be disposed of by common consent. However, if there is objection, the chair will await a formal motion and submit the question to debate and vote.

- 3. Resolutions deemed not merely formal and non-controversial may be submitted by any voting delegate, congregation, association, commission, or committee of the Conference for action by the Annual Celebration Business Meeting. A resolution addresses the mission and/or teaching ministry of the Conference and its related bodies. As it relates to the Church's mission, the resolution should empower the Conference to act in new areas of responsibility. Further, it shall address the congregations, the denomination, or other bodies, regarding issues of nurture and justice from our Christian perspective. As it relates to the teaching ministry, the resolution should enhance members' knowledge of the Christian faith, improve the life of persons living in community, and help us make decisions as Christians in a secular world.
- 4. Resolution forms are available to the churches sixty (60) days prior to the Annual Celebration Business Meeting, at which time the due date is indicated. The Business Committee will receive resolutions and approve those to be circulated to the churches thirty (30) days prior to the Annual Celebration Business Meeting. A resolution similar to the one addressed at an Annual Celebration Business Meeting in the past five years may be referred to an appropriate committee and not considered by the Annual Celebration Business Meeting.
- 5. Each resolution submitted must contain the following wording: "THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the delegates of the 47th Annual Celebration of the Rocky Mountain Conference, June 7-13, 2021, online. Summary information accompanying a resolution shall address the following in addition to its titles: Purpose of proposed action, to whom it is addressed, expected results, who will implement or follow up, when and by whom is report back expected, anticipated costs and source of funds, and how this resolution impacts the Conference's mission and/or teaching ministry.
- 6. Resolutions received after the deadline may be referred to the Annual meeting if the Business Committee deems them to be of a significant and timely nature.
- 7. Procedure for resolutions will be the following: The presenter will have two (2) minutes to introduce a resolution. Six (6) persons will have one (1) minute each to speak alternating pro and con, at which time a vote will be taken to extend discussion or to vote on the resolution.
- 8. In considering a resolution, action is taken on the "Therefore, be it resolved..." section. Amendments may be made the "Therefore, be it resolved..." section of a resolution. (The "whereas" section is background information.)
- 9. Amendments must be presented in writing to the chair after they have been presented and seconded. Not more than one amendment will be considered at the same time. One wishing to offer an additional amendment should announce the intention to offer the further amendment after action is completed on the pending amendment.
- 10. To close debate, the proper motion is "I move the previous question" or "I move to close debate." The mover must gain recognition and the motion must be seconded. The motion

- cannot be amended and requires a two-thirds vote for adoption. It will not suffice merely to call "Question" if there are still delegates who wish to speak.
- 11. Delegates shall state their names when they are recognized to speak. No speaker shall speak on the same issue more than once, except to answer question addressed to him/her from the floor. Except when rising to a point of order, or to second a motion, delegates may be requested to speak from a microphone.
- 12. The Moderator, with the assistance of the Parliamentarian, is charged with the duty of providing orderly disposition to the business of the Rocky Mountain Conference. Any ruling may be appealed by a delegate. The appeal requires a second. The majority vote by the delegates upon the appeal will prevail

Adopted by the Board of Directors March 14, 2015 January 29, 1994 Amended January 31, 1997

# Meeting Materials – Voting Membership

# ARTICLE III VOTING MEMBERSHIP - RMC BYLAWS (Amended May 19, 1996)

Section 1: Every local church which is a certified member in an association of the Conference shall be entitled to voting representatives in the Conference by two lay delegates, plus one additional lay delegate for each 200 members, or major fraction thereof above 200 members, provided that no church may thus be represented by more than seven lay delegates of which one can be a youth (age 15-20 years). The last annual Year Book statistics will be the basis for computing the number of delegates. Delegates shall be elected or appointed by each church and, unless otherwise ordered by the church, shall serve for a term of one year or until their successors have been elected, except that a delegate's term of office shall terminate upon removal from membership in the local church. Each church may appoint or elect alternates which shall be designated by the church as voting delegates in the event any one or more of the regular delegates cannot be in attendance at the annual or special meetings. The recommendation is that no delegate be self-succeeding for more than three successive years and that, so far as possible, delegates should be representative of the church and reflective of the diversity of people within the organization.

Section 2: All persons holding ordained ministerial standing in an association of the Conference, and commissioned ministers, and licensed ministers who have been authorized for ministry by an association of the Conference shall be voting members at the annual or special meetings of the Conference.

Section 3: The members of the Board of Directors shall be voting members of the Conference during their terms of office.

Churches are welcome to send as many non-voting members as they like.

The membership figure reported to us as of December 31, 2020, will be used for the 2021 Annual Celebration Business Meeting.

For each church that did not submit a Yearbook report, the latest recorded membership figure will be used.

MEMBERSHIP	LAY DELEGATES
300 Members or less	2
301 - 500	3
501 - 700	4
701 - 900	5
901 - 1100	6
1101 and above	7

If you have questions, please call the Conference office at 303-984-9118.

# **Meeting Materials**

Please click the business item title to be linked to the full document.

**Consent Agenda** 

2021-22 Proposed Budget

**Clergy Compensation Guidelines** 

**Nominating Slate** 

**2020 Annual Meeting Minutes** 

**Conference Reports – Conference Minister Report** 

JUNE 2019 - JUNE 2020

In the Spirit of the Living Christ, Rev. Sue Artt Conference Minister Rocky Mountain Conference, United Church of Christ June 15, 2020

# **Conference Reports - Associate Conference Minister Report**

JUNE 2020 – JUNE 2021 By Rev. Erin Gilmore

During the last year the Conference staff has been going through a major record retention project, sorting through all the boxes and files stored in the conference office and determining what needs to be saved, what can be recycled and what should be sent to an official archive. One of my tasks was to sort through old Association files. During one of my afternoons I came across a file containing the history of the merger between the Intermountain Conference and the Colorado Conference. At one point Montana and Southwest Conferences were involved in the conversation as well. There were notes of meetings outlining concerns and benefits, potential staffing structures, and associations boundaries, challenges of urban and rural areas, and the growing diversity of needs among congregations. These notes were taken in 1968. The Rocky Mountain Conference came into being 6 years later in 1974.

Two things struck me as I went through this file. One, it reminded me that change is constant. I tend to think of this current moment as one of "great change" and yet these kinds of historical documents remind me that the church has been and always will be shaping and reshaping itself with each new generation. Two, I was surprised by the similarity of the questions being asked between then and now. It made me wonder how often the changes we make are just rearranging the furniture. Yes its change, but to what end? Do we really end up with something new or are we just reconfigured?

14 months into a global pandemic and I find myself wondering if this moment will in fact reshape us anew or if we will carry on as we have been, just reconfigured to fit the online world. This is not to downplay the importance of going virtual. For the last year I have accompanied search committees, moderators, church councils, pastors, youth leaders, Committees on Ministry and colleagues in other conferences as we've figured out how to do ministry online, and I am awed by the capacity we've all shown to adapt to this technology. And most certainly our move online cannot be seen as just a temporary solution that got us through this particular time. It is part of the fabric now. But it is also cannot be seen as the ending point. The same realities that existed pre-COVID exist post-COVID. 30-40% of our churches are predicted to close in the next 15-20 years.

The churches and ministries that are thriving are not just using new technology, they are being deeply intentional about their why: Why do we exist? What are we here to do and be? What is the good that God is seeking to do in the world through us? They are asking what is the deepest need people have right now and what in our faith tradition can meet that need? And then they muster

up the bravery to go do that new thing.

I have seen pastors travel across the country to a new call sight unseen because they trusted the call of God in their lives.

I have seen our Associations wrestle faithfully and intentionally as they consider the possibility of joining together across Associations to carry out the work of authorization, oversight and accountability in an experimental Conference Wide COM.

I have seen our Board of Directors eagerly commit financial and human resources to help us dismantle racism within ourselves as individuals, churches, associations, and conference, as well create a process of supporting and funding new and innovative ministries across our conference.

I have seen bravery in every corner of our conference. It is my prayer that we continue to build this bravery muscle, that we heed Jesus's words, "Do not be afraid", that we let this moment continue to shape us into who God needs us to become, so together we can build more just world for all.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve alongside you, Rev. Erin Gilmore Associate Conference Minister

#### Search and Call

## The following churches have completed a search in the last year:

First Congregational, Greeley called Rev. Tamara Torres-McGovern as Head of Programs. Holladay UCC called Rev. Brent Gundlah as Senior Pastor. Gunnison Congregational Church, UCC, called Rev. Ian Wrisley as Pastor.

## And several churches are currently in search process/Transition:

Wash Park UCC- Rev. Lee Berg, Continuing in pastoral leadership as Designated Term Pastor First Congregational, Grand Junction – Rev. David Dethmers, Intentional Interim Parkview UCC – Rev. Jill Bierworth, Intentional Interim Minister First Congregational Colo Springs – Rev. Don Longbottom, Intentional Interim Minister Christ Congregational UCC in Ft. Morgan, David Schleiter, Interim Minister First Congregational Church, Pinedale, WY United Church of San Juans, Ridgeway, CO

## Experimenting with a new model of leadership:

Ogden UCC has covenanted with Rev. Lorrie Gaffney, Rev. Catherine Tobey, and Rev. Adam Tobey to create a Designated Pastoral Team.

# **Conference Reports - Manager of Communication and Databases Report**

Hello RMC friends!

2020 brought many challenges and I am proud to say, many firsts for our conference and our churches. 2021 has been an even more fast-paced, exciting, sometimes challenging, but always rewarding time of imagining new paths in our shared ministry.

Special projects I have undertaken in the past year include:

- Re-launching the Co+Create Network for church admins and communicators to feature more conceptual topics; growing our group to 30+ participants.
- Launching the NEW RMC CHURCH APP through Tithe.ly.
- Becoming a part-time property manager of the 2500 S Sheridan building (formerly Christ Church) and helping maximize our resources to the benefit of our churches.

Some upcoming projects I am excited about include:

- Becoming more intentional about Our Church's Wider Mission.
- Connecting with more churches to learn about your needs.
- Advancing Church Anew thinking in our churches, communities, and beyond!

As always, I consider it a blessing to work in this wonderful, impassioned community. I'd love to chat about your church's mission and vision, and how we might be able to work together to accomplish the amazing work of your ministry. Email me at <a href="mailto:daryl@rmcucc.org">daryl@rmcucc.org</a>.

Kindly, Daryl Schreiber Manager of Communication and Databases

# **Conference Reports - Financial Associate's Report**

My work as Financial Associate during the last year has been relatively routine. I continue to work with our consulting bookkeepers at Ellis Bottom Line Bookkeeping. The firm is a tremendous asset in our work. Just recently, I have assumed the responsibility for data entry into QuickBooks with Ellis performing monthly review of our accounting.

With approval via a vote at the Business Meeting of the Annual Celebration, RMC will have a new fiscal year: July 1st – June 30th, replacing the calendar year. One of the chief benefits of this change is that the budgeting process will occur much more closely to the period for which we are budgeting and will improve accuracy. The Church giving calendar, including 5 for 5, will still be on the calendar year since that is the time frame used by national UCC.

The Payroll Protection Program loan the Conference received in April 2020 is currently in the forgiveness approval process, and we feel confident that it will qualify for forgiveness. This loan helped ease the bumps on a rough road last year and shore up the RMC's financial position.

RMC churches are generous in their donations to the Conference. Two offerings which directly support the RMC are OCWM (Our Church's Wider Mission) and Per Capita (dues). In 2020, the

Conference retained 82% of OCWM, or \$287,561. Per Capita funds stay 100% in the Conference, \$98,108 last year.

Thanks to you all for allowing me to be a part of the RMC.

Janice Travis Financial Associate Rocky Mountain Conference, UCC

# Conference Reports - Report of the Secretary

# Rocky Mountain Conference UCC June 2021

Membership: 9865

Churches: 72

Average Weekly Attendance: 4355

#### **Commissioned Minister**

Patricia Gamble-Hovey, Intermountain Kevin Thomas Pettit, Metropolitan Denver Sara L. Weatherman, Southeastern

#### **Dual Standing**

Juvenal Cervantes, Platte Valley
Kevin T Daniels, Southeastern
Andi Fox, Metropolitan Denver
Sarah Linn, Southeastern
Stephen A. Poos-Benson, Metropolitan Denver
Uamuli Su'a, Intermountain
Jill VanderWal, Metropolitan Denver
Ian Wrisley, Western

## **Lay Ministerial Standing**

Mary Williams, Southeastern

#### **Licensed Minister**

Sheryl Crow, Intermountain Anne Djokic, Western Steve Johnsen, Metropolitan Denver Jane Kramer, Western Lael Van Riper, Western

#### **Member in Discernment**

Taylor Dabney, Platte Valley
Candace Woods, Southeastern
Thelma Flowers, Metropolitan Denver
Samantha Garrett, Southeastern
Don Grant, Metropolitan Denver
Cynthia Johnson, Metropolitan Denver
Crystal Karr, Southeastern
Julie Joanne Kies, Metropolitan Denver
Heath McDougal, Intermountain
Kaudie McLean, Metropolitan Denver
Amanda Newsome, Metropolitan Denver
Alix Wright, Metropolitan Denver
Amanda Sue Todd Moore, Southeastern
Elizabeth Shelton, Southeastern

#### **Authorized by Other Denomination**

David Dethmers, Western Barbara Graves Grear, Southeastern Brian Witherspoon, Platte Valley

#### Layperson

Brad Kramer, Intermountain

## **Ordained Minister**

Steven Alsum. Southeastern

Andrea L. Anastos, Metropolitan Denver Linda H Anton Hayward, Intermountain

Deana Armstrong, Western

Sue Artt, Metropolitan Denver

Darlene Avery, Southeastern

David P. Bahr, Metropolitan Denver

Joseph A. Bair, Platte Valley

F. Russell Baker, Intermountain

Jean E. Bareis, Metropolitan Denver

Paul L. Beck, Intermountain

Logan Bennett, Southeastern

Lee Berg, Metropolitan Denver

Michael Blackwood, Metropolitan Denver

W. Powell Bland Jr., Metropolitan Denver

John E. Bliss, Platte Valley

JoAnne R. Bogart, Metropolitan Denver

Ann Elizabeth Bolson, Metropolitan Denver

Gaye Bosley-Mitchell, Southeastern

Jenny L. Boteler, Intermountain

Lyn M. Boudreau, Southeastern

Tamara J. Boynton, Metropolitan Denver

Christina Lynn Braudaway-Bauman, Metropolitan

Denver

Joanne B. Broten, Metropolitan Denver

Brenda K. Brown, Western

Joanne Buchanan-Brown, Metropolitan Denver

Jodi Bushdiecker, Intermountain

Carla J. Cain, Platte Valley

Philip E. Campbell, Metropolitan Denver

James Chapman, Southeastern

Cynthia H Chertos, Western

Hal Chorpenning, Platte Valley

Kelly Jo Clark, Western

Timothy Q. Clark, Western

Billie G. Cochran, Platte Valley

Kari Collins, Metropolitan Denver

David Conner, Metropolitan Denver

Anna Verlee Copeland, Platte Valley

Ron Cosgrove, Metropolitan Denver

Constance C. Coughlin, Metropolitan Denver

Anne Cubbage, Southeastern

Fred A. Dare, Southeastern

Ralph S Datema, Southeastern

Richard Milo Davis, Metropolitan Denver

Tracey Dawson, Southeastern

Patricia Dailey Dolin, Southeastern

Amelia Richardson Dress, Platte Valley

Anne Dunlap, Metropolitan Denver

Richard J. Einerson, Metropolitan Denver

Elizabeth Endicott, Platte Valley

Gerald L. Eslinger, Metropolitan Denver

Mallory Everhart, Southeastern

Shawn Fawson, Intermountain

Jane Anne Ferguson, Platte Valley

Chester P. Fiedler, Southeastern

Marta Fioriti, Southeastern

James Ellis Fouther Jr, Metropolitan Denver

Jacque E Franklin, Southeastern

Lorrie Gaffney, Intermountain

Alice Faye Gallegos, Southeastern

Susan Margaret Gardner, Metropolitan Denver

Greg Garland, Metropolitan Denver

John V. Gaudreau, Metropolitan Denver

Ronald L. Gaylor, Western

Carla A. Gilbert, Intermountain

Christopher A. Gilmore, Metropolitan Denver

Erin Gilmore, Platte Valley

Beth Gleason, Platte Valley

Wilbur Green, Southeastern

Kay Grice, Metropolitan Denver

Paul Griego, Metropolitan Denver

Brenda K. Griffin-Collins, Southeastern

Nadyne Guzman, Metropolitan Denver

Heather Lee Haginduff, Southeastern

Thomas Leavitt Hall, Metropolitan Denver

Dale Halverstadt, Southeastern

Miryam M. Hammond, Platte Valley

Laura Harris, Metropolitan Denver

Gina Louise Harvey, Metropolitan Denver

Stuart C. Haskins Jr, Metropolitan Denver

Emily C. Hassler, Metropolitan Denver

Jason D. Hays, Metropolitan Denver

#### **Ordained Minister Cont.**

Jacquelyn J. Hibbard, Metropolitan Denver MarKeva Gwendolyn Hill, Metropolitan Denver

Olive E. Hinnant, Metropolitan Denver

Stephen W. Hoffman, Metropolitan Denver

Kurt J. Howard, Intermountain

Karen Howe, Metropolitan Denver

Tracy L. Hughes, Metropolitan Denver

Robert S. Hundley, Metropolitan Denver

David L. Hunting, Southeastern

Elizabeth R. Hyde, Metropolitan Denver

Bruce O. Inglis, Metropolitan Denver

Kenneth E. Ingram, Platte Valley Michael G. Jackson, Intermountain Susan M. Jackson, Intermountain R. Alan Johnson, Metropolitan Denver Frank G. Jopp Jr., Southeastern Jerry M. Jordan, Southeastern Allen L. Kallenbach, Platte Valley William K. Kaseman, Metropolitan Denver Anne D. Kear, Platte Valley Terry J. Keeley, Metropolitan Denver Calvin C. Kemper, Metropolitan Denver Wendy Kidd, Western Robert A. Kinsey, Metropolitan Denver Russ Kirby, Metropolitan Denver Benjamin Konecny, Platte Valley Derek Krehbiel, Southeastern Nicole LaMarche, Metropolitan Denver Mollie Landers Hatt, Metropolitan Denver Robinson G. Lapp, Metropolitan Denver Jah Latchman; or Jah Rain, Metropolitan Denver Donald R. Laue, Platte Valley Wayne Laws, Metropolitan Denver Mark B. Lee, Platte Valley Lorraine E. Leist, Metropolitan Denver Reo N. Leslie Jr, Metropolitan Denver Kristina Lizardy-Hajbi, Metropolitan Denver Dee Lundberg, Platte Valley Richard Mawson, Platte Valley Gail McDougle, Metropolitan Denver Susan S. McKee, Metropolitan Denver David J. McKinzey, Intermountain Alan N. McLarty, Platte Valley Jeremy McLeod, Metropolitan Denver Martha McMane, Metropolitan Denver Timothy F. Merrill, Metropolitan Denver Norman Michaud, Metropolitan Denver Nathan A. Miller, Platte Valley Robin Miller, Metropolitan Denver D. Curtis Minter, Platte Valley Jenny Morgan, Metropolitan Denver David N. Murchie, Metropolitan Denver Jane C. Nelson, Metropolitan Denver Laura Nelson, Platte Valley Nancy E. Niero, Metropolitan Denver Hillary Barrows Nipple, Metropolitan Denver John T. Norris, Metropolitan Denver

Lucas Novak, Metropolitan Denver

Robert William Nuhn, Intermountain

Kevin Olsen, Southeastern Amy Ostwald, Metropolitan Denver Vanessa Owen, Metropolitan Denver Dane W. Packard, Platte Valley Chelsea Page, Intermountain Sally L. Palmer, Platte Valley Daniel O. Parker, Metropolitan Denver Kelli Parrish Lucas, Intermountain David L. Pearce, Western Kayrene B. Pearson, Metropolitan Denver Kimra Perkins, Metropolitan Denver Robert J. Peters, Platte Valley Sharyl B. Peterson, Western Estelle S. Petitt, Metropolitan Denver Amy Petre Hill, Metropolitan Denver Elizabeth Mary Pexton, Metropolitan Denver Nancy E. Piggott, Intermountain Rebecca Kemper Poos, Southeastern Becky Ann Porter, Metropolitan Denver Sara G. Power, Platte Valley Anya Powers, Southeastern Curtis Preston, Metropolitan Denver Carol Ann Prochaska, Platte Valley Eugene J. Prochaska, Platte Valley Donald M. Proctor, Intermountain Richard S. Putney, Metropolitan Denver Harriott J. Quin, Metropolitan Denver Paul L. Ramsey, Metropolitan Denver Lizka Randall, Metropolitan Denver Tom O. Rehling, Metropolitan Denver Stacy Richards, Metropolitan Denver Pamela S. Roberts, Southeastern Steven D. Roberts, Southeastern Katherine S. Rose, Metropolitan Denver Judith S. Roska, Southeastern

## Ordained Minister Cont.

Marijka Rossi, Intermountain
Becky Rouse, Metropolitan Denver
Allyson L. Sawtell, Metropolitan Denver
Peter S. Sawtell, Metropolitan Denver
Eldon E. Schmidt, Platte Valley
Claudia C. Schmitt, Metropolitan Denver
Robert M. Shaw, Platte Valley
Kimberly A Shinabery, Metropolitan Denver
Amanda G. Shipman, Metropolitan Denver
Jenny Shultz-Thomas, Metropolitan Denver
Pedro Silva, Metropolitan Denver

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