

GENESIS CONFERENCE - 120 Ministerial Appointments 2023

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Conference Superintendent: (8) Pam Braman (E) (Fourth year of a 2nd four-year term)

**Dir of Ministerial Credentialing
& Assistant to the Superintendent** (3) Katrina Wilkins (E)

Akron & Medina, One Church - 010 (23) Rick Rouse (E)
(9) Brian Hahn (E), Associate
(4) Kevin Weigel (E), Associate

Albion, First - 020 (3) Jason Tarnowski (E)
(2) Brenda Bierdeman (E), Associate

Allegany, Creekside Chapel - 030 (12) Adam Stein (E)
(1) Roberta Mosier-Peterson (E), Associate

Alton - 035 (11) Michael Cogswell (E)

Batavia, Northgate - 040 (11) Vern Saile (E)
(14) John Keller (E), Associate
(12) David Odachowski (E), Associate
(8) Christopher Landon (E), Associate
(1) DL Walter (E), Associate

Belfast - 050 (4) Jonathan Coates (E)

Binghamton, Hands of Hope - 055 (16) Henry Ausby (E)

Brockport - 060 (11) Andy Sass (E)
(18) Mike Rivera (E), Associate
(13) Penny Norton (E), Associate
(2) Delores Hansel (CMC), ATP

Brocton, Hope Rising - 070 (1) Under the Superintendent

Buffalo, Cornerstone - 080 (24) Christopher Hoppe-Spink (E), Co-pastor
(24) Joan Hoppe-Spink (E), Co-pastor

Buffalo, El Shaddai - 083 (5) Alexis Nkurunziza (E)

Buffalo, Epic – 085 (12) Mark Rouse (E)
(11) Ray Hammond (E), Associate
(2) Christel Arslanian (CMC), ATP

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Buffalo, Nueva Vision - 105	(28) Guillermo Calcaño (E) (6) Adelfa Calcaño (E), <i>Associate</i> (6) Johanan Calcaño (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Cattaraugus, Roberts Memorial - 110	(22) Michael Jones (E)
Dansville - 130	(3) Jeff Cappello (E), <i>Co-pastor</i> (3) Margaret Cappello (E), <i>Co-pastor</i>
East Otto, Brooklyn - 140	(7) Paul Cobo (LP)
East Randolph, Faith Lighthouse Chapel-150	(5) Beth Hayner (E)
Elmira, Freedom Center Church - 165	(4) Adrianna Maggese (CMC), <i>Lead</i> (3) Robert Maggese (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Endicott, New Life Ministries - 170	(18) Joe Wickman (E) (6) Jonathan Scofield (E), <i>Associate</i> (5) Jordan Dunlap (E), <i>Associate</i> (6) Brandon Baker (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (3) Derek Waddell (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (2) Brigitte Ritter (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (2) Marissa Schweiger (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (1) Amber Jennings (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Fairport, Eastside - 175	(3) Kathryn MacConnell (E)
Franklinville, Greater Works - 180	(9) Andrew Haskins (E) (2) Carissa Vincent (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Fredonia, Harvest Chapel - 190	(9) James LaBarr (E) (6) Lisa Leavitt (E), <i>Associate</i> (4) Joshua Lehman (E), <i>Associate</i> (2) Elizabeth Mourer (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Gowanda - 210	(5) Simon Knighten (E) (2) Damian DeGolier (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Hornell - 220	(2) Under the Superintendent
Jamestown, Joy Fellowship- 240	(7) Dodi McIntyre (E) (8) Mario Angeli (E), <i>Associate</i>
Liverpool, New Life of CNY - 260	(24) Christian Misciagna (E) (2) Jessica Talbott-Aved (CMC), <i>ATP</i>

Niagara Falls, Colonial Heights - 290	(3) Tim Deeks (E) (4) Rachel Stevens (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
North Chili, Pearce Memorial - 300	(4) Todd Daningburg (E) (3) Colleen Dick (E), <i>Associate</i> (3) Brian Roth (E), <i>Associate</i> (3) Kimberly Roth (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
North Tonawanda, Open Arms Community-310	(42) Jonathan Hunt (E)
Norwich, CVFree - 325	(10) Jennifer Westervelt (E) (5) John Albrecht (E), <i>Associate</i> (5) James Potter (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (2) Jamie Potter (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Norwood - 330	(9) Anthony J. Daniels (LP)
Oneonta, New Life - 332	(5) Joel Shue (E) (3) Rocco Dionisio (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Palmyra, Cross Creek - 335	(29) David Prince (E) (20) Danielle Schoenfelder (E), <i>Associate</i> (18) Ben Schoenfelder (LP), <i>Assistant</i> (7) Shane Collins (E), <i>Associate</i> (7) Paul Zittel (E), <i>Associate</i> (2) Jessica Zittel (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Parma, Crosspoint - 340	(17) Darlene Mieney (E)
Perry, Hope Chapel - 360	(8) Mike Kuhlkin (E) (2) Elaine Southard (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Pittsford, Edgewood - 400	(13) Douglas Langford (E) (17) Louis E. Colón (E), <i>Associate</i> (11) Daria Roesch (E), <i>Associate</i>
Ransomville - 380	(6) Lonnie Thoms (E)
Rochester, Community of the Savior - 398	(14) Barbara Isaman-Bushart (E), <i>Co-Pastor</i> (10) Douglas Cullum (E), <i>Co-Pastor</i> (5) Katie Sawade Hall (E), <i>Associate</i>
Rochester, El Shaddai - 402	(7) Heritage Munyakuri (E)
Rochester, FreeChurch.net - 495	(3) Marlin (Mike) Skifstad (E)

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Rochester, Heart and Soul Community - 405	(19) Louis D. Colon (E)
Rochester, Iglesia Nuevo Dia AFF - 395	(1) Natividad de Jesus Fermín (E), <i>Co-Pastor</i> (1) Fe Cristiana Fermín (E), <i>Co-Pastor</i> (1) Febe Fermín (E), <i>Associate</i> (1) Alejandro Luis (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (1) Marisol Luis (CMC), <i>AT</i>
Rochester, New Hope - 700	(11) Scott Sittig (E) (5) Earlando Thomas (E), <i>Associate</i> (3) Marissa Heffernan (E), <i>Associate</i> (4) Jared Sittig (CMC), <i>ATP</i> (1) Jeffrey McPherson (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Rochester, Park Ridge - 410	(1) Under the Superintendent (4) Lance Mitchell (E), <i>Associate</i>
Rose - 420	(11) Michael Cogswell (E)
Salamanca - 430	(5) Stephen Brooks (CMC), <i>Lead</i>
Sayre, Encounter - 037	(2) Under the Superintendent (1) Kevin Kline (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
South Dayton - 440	(6) David Mills (E)
St. Regis Falls - 442	(9) Colin Smith (LP)
Syracuse African FMC – 443	(11) Ephraim Barangendana (E) (3) Murishi Etienne (CMC), <i>ATP</i>
Syracuse, Prepare the Way of the Lord CPP - 444	(6) Oremo Oredi Joas (E)
Tonawanda - 450	(3) Ariel Wich (E)
Wampsville, New Beginnings - 470	(7) John Heinike (E) (26) Randy Phillips (D), <i>Assistant</i>
Warsaw, Valley Chapel - 480	(7) Ryan Rovito (E)
Webster, Crossroads Community - 490	(1) Under the Superintendent
Williamson, Grace Ridge – 155	(3) Troy Bassett (E) (12) Sandra Burroughs (E), <i>Associate</i> (5) Paul Juszczak (E), <i>Associate</i>
Yorkshire - 500	(7) Mark Weber (E)

New Work

Mission District of Genesis Conference - Country S

John Tassone (E)
Mike Kuhlkin (E)
Pastor Raphael (E)
Pastor Cheikh (E)
Pastor Simon (E)
Pastor Christophe (E)
Pastor Demba (E)
Pastor Modou (E)
Pastor Paul (E)
Pastor Etienne (E)
Pastor Pascal (E)

Genesis Incubator (4) Julie Cooper (E)

Cortland, Hope Church plant (3) Kimberly Fick (CMC)

Southtowns Church Plant - 441 (1) Laura Pierce (CMC)

N Tonawanda, Nash Church Plant (1) Jeannette Wagner (LP)

Special Appointments & Relationships

Retired:

John Carter Adams (D), Robert Ahern (E), Brian Babcock (E), Laverne W. Bates (E), LaVerne Blowers (E), Gregory Brotzman (E), David J. Buck (E), David Carden (E), Lt. Col. Rex Carpenter (E), Casey Davis (E), Jerome (Pete) Dillard (E), Russell M. Elder (E), Merlin John Fisher (E), Walter S. Fleming (E), Margaret Flowers (E), George Ford (E), Lawrence J. Greeno (E), Nelson Grimm (E), Barry Hamilton (E), Roger Haskins, Jr (E), Leroy M. Hellmig (E), Nelson Hill (E), Richard Ireland (E), Ralph E. Jordan (E), James W. Kane (E), Thomas Kilburn (E), Paul Lattimer (E), Paul W. Livermore (E), Robert Mackmer (E), Chaz Maldonado (E), John Martin (E), David McCarthy (E), Wayne McCown (E), David Miller (E), H. Robert Mitchell (E), Don Mohr (E), Barbara Mosher (E), Mark Mutton (E), David Nelson (E), Howard Olver (E), David Peelle (E), Lynton N. Perry (E), Mitchell C. Pierce (E), William Powell (E), Sebastian Prospero (E), Deano Pulice (E), Herbert Reitmeier (E), Gloria Roorda (E), Linda Schwab (E), Harold D. Scott (E), Samuel Shreffler (E), Richard D. Snyder (E), Thomas C. Stroup (E), Boaz Taleshiwe (E), Norma Billings Tennies (D), Wesley Vanderhoof (E), Beverly Walsh (D), Patricia Welch (E), Arlene Weigand (E), Caryl Wenzke (E), Gary Wood (E), Ward Yourdon (E)

Denominational Service:

Linda Adams (E)	<i>Bishop, Free Methodist Church USA</i>
John Albrecht (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Chaplain, Norwich Police and Fire Departments</i>
E Scott Bassett (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Chaplain, Rochester General Hospital and Strong Memorial Hospital</i>
Jonathan Bratt (E)	<i>FM Chaplain – Higher Education – Career Advisor, Green Car, University of Rochester</i>
Donald Bridges (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Chaplain, Georgia Air National Guard</i>
Douglas Cullum (E)	<i>Professor of Historical & Pastoral Theology, Northeastern Seminary</i>

Elizabeth Guckenbiehl-Lang (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Chaplain, Highlands at Brighton</i>
Roger Haskins, Jr (E)	<i>Bishop Emeritus, Free Methodist Church USA</i>
Matthew Hill (E)	<i>Associate Professor of Philosophy, Spring Arbor University</i>
Megan Hoose (E)	<i>Adjunct Professor, Roberts Wesleyan University</i>
Maurice Hopkins (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Student Financial Services Counselor, Roberts Wesleyan University</i>
Amber Jennings (CMC)	<i>Executive Assistant to the Global Director, International Child Care Ministries (ICCM)</i>
Randy LeBaron (E)	<i>Conference Evangelist - GoScatter Ministries</i>
Jeff McPherson (CMC)	<i>Professor of Christian Theology, Roberts Wesleyan University</i>
Jonathan Moran (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Chaplain, Mercy Kenmore Hospital, Buffalo, NY</i>
Christopher O'Brien (E)	<i>Adjunct Professor, Roberts Wesleyan University</i>
Larry Petry (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Senior Chaplain, Heritage Ministries, Jamestown, NY</i>
Kathleen Petteys (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Chaplain, Heritage Ministries at Rolling Fields Elder Care, Conneautville, PA and at Orchard Grove, Jamestown, NY</i>
Linda Schwab (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Rural Communities</i>
Robert Searle (E)	<i>FM Chaplain - Crouse Irving Hospital & First Baptist Church of Wolcott</i>
Tedd Smith (E)	<i>Set Free Movement, Development Director</i>
Richard D. Snyder (E)	<i>Bishop Emeritus, Free Methodist Church USA</i>
Josef Sykora (E)	<i>Associate Professor of Biblical Interpretation, Northeastern Seminary</i>
Christopher Wilkins (E)	<i>Missionary, Free Methodist World Missions-Japan</i>
Yuko Wilkins (E)	<i>Missionary, Free Methodist World Missions-Japan</i>
Gary Wood (E)	<i>FM Chaplain – Hospice and Hospital Chaplain</i>

Conference Service:

Henry Ausby (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Troy Bassett (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Louis E Colon (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Mike Kuhlkin (E)	<i>Co-Field Superintendent, Country - S</i>
Jim LaBarr (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Dodi McIntyre (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Roberta Mosier-Peterson (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Vern Saile (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
Adam Stein (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>
John Tassone (E)	<i>Field Superintendent, African Ministries</i>
Jen Westervelt (E)	<i>Field Superintendent</i>

Released for Service Outside the Denomination:

Vern Groves (E)	<i>Pastor, United Church of DeRuyter, NY</i>
David Gregory Harp (E)	<i>Executive Director, Agape Counseling, Rochester, NY</i>
Kristina LaCelle-Peterson (E)	<i>Associate Professor of Religion, Houghton College, Houghton, NY</i>
Randy LeBaron (E)	<i>Pastor, First Baptist Church of Medina</i>
Rebecca Letterman (E)	<i>Embodied Consulting Services</i>
James Payne (E)	<i>Director, Umbrella of Truth Ministries</i>
Marsha Rivers (E)	<i>Pastor, First Baptist Church of Albion</i>
David Skiff (E)	<i>Professor, MSW Online Program, Liberty University, Lynchburg, VA</i>
Stewart Thompson (D)	<i>Breathe Life of WNY, Brocton, NY</i>

Attending School:

Rex Bell (E)
Jeremy Kelly (E)

Awaiting Appointment:

Merry Kendall (E)
Patricia Zellmer (E)

Family Leave:

Eric Young (E)

Leave of Absence:

James Honan (E), *personal reasons*
Ephram Wilkoff (E), *personal reasons*

Deceased 2022-23:

Baiba Peelle (E)
Eric Harblin (E)
Art Prouty (E)

Deceased 2023-24:

William Leslie (E), deceased June 28, 2023

Genesis Annual Conference (16th Session)

May 11-12, 2023

Edgewood Church

111 E Jefferson Rd

Pittsford, NY 14534

Bishop Linda Adams, President

Elder (E)

Deacon (D)

Conference Ministerial Candidate (CMC)

Licensed Pastor (LP)

Assistant to the Pastor (ATP)

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