**2023-15**

CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF CHARGE TRUSTEES

*This form must be completed and recorded at the county courthouse if there are any changes in the membership of the charge board of trustees. List all the trustees for the new year, not just the new ones. This form does not need to be returned to the district superintendent.*

Pursuant to the provisions of Section Six, Article One, Chapter Thirty-five of the Code of West Virginia, I,       , do hereby certify that I am the Secretary of the Charge Conference of the        Charge of United Methodist Churches in the West Virginia Annual Conference. I do hereby further certify that at a duly constituted meeting of the Charge Conference held on the        day of       , 2023, the members of the said Charge then present elected the following persons as trustees of said Charge:

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Such election was made in accordance with the rules heretofore adopted by the United Methodist Church for the election of trustees for its real and personal property, and for filling vacancies caused by death, removal or otherwise, all in conformance with West Virginia Code 35-1-5.

 Given under my hand this     day of      , 2023.

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 Secretary of the Charge Conference

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

**COUNTY OF\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**, to wit:

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this day personally appeared before me in my said County and after being by me first duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she is the Secretary of the Charge Conference of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Charge of the United Methodist Church of the West Virginia Annual Conference, located in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ County, in or near \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and that the foregoing certificate made by him or her is in accordance with the records kept by him/her as such Secretary.

 Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

 My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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 Notary Public