

CLERGY SESSION

Tuesday, May 24, 1:30 pm
The United Methodist Church of New Lenox

Call to Order Bishop John Hopkins

Welcome/Seating of Designated Laity

Mark Meyers

Bishop's ReflectionsBishop John Hopkins

Moral and Official Conduct of All Ordained Clergy and Local Pastors

All Ordained Clergy and Local Pastors Dean of the Cabinet, Jeffry Bross

Presentation of Candidates for Ministry

Lynn Mikels and Mary Gay McKinney

Conference Relations Report Pam Rossmiller

Fellowship of Local Pastors Report Sharon Engert

Order of Deacons Report Adrienne Stricker

Order of Elders Report Paul Lee

Board of Ordained Ministry Chairperson's ReportMark Meyers

Communion Bishop John Hopkins

Adjournment/Sending Bishop John Hopkins

Seating of Designated Laity at Clergy Session

(Updated 5/2022)

MOTION TO BE MADE AS FOLLOWS:

Bishop, I move that the laypersons, local pastors and associate members of the annual conference who are members of the Northern Illinois Conference Board of Ordained Ministry be seated within the Clergy Session with voting privileges. And that the following Annual Conference staff persons be allowed to be present during the 2022 Clergy Session:

> Anne Marie Gerhardt, Director of Communications Marva Andrews, Bishop's Administrative Assistant Lisa Smith, Communications Specialist

TO ALL PERSONS GATHERED HERE TODAY, just a reminder:

You **can** vote at Clergy Session "on matters of ordination, character and conference relations of other clergy" if:

- You are a clergy member in full connection;
- Or you are a member of the Board of Ordained Ministry

You **cannot** vote at Clergy Session if you are a:

- Provisional Member
- Associate and Affiliate Clergy Member
- Full-time and Part-time Local Pastor
- Clergy Members of another annual conference or other Methodist denominations (346.1)
- Clergy from other denominations (346.2)
- Laity

