

East Tennessee Conference Board of Examiners Report

September 6, 2018

St. Paul AMEC, Chattanooga, TN.

Bishop Jeffrey Nathaniel Leath, Presiding Prelate; Dr. Susan Jones Leath, Episcopal Supervisor; The Reverend Dr. Eva M. Settles, Host Presiding Elder, Chattanooga-Knoxville District; The Reverend Dr. Terence L. Mayes, Associate Presiding Elder, Fayetteville-Pulaski District; The Reverend Kenneth D. Love, Sr., Host Pastor; guest Presiding Elders, Connectional, Episcopal District and Conference officers, pastors and members of the 118th Session of the East Tennessee Annual Conference.

We stand to present the following report of the East Tennessee Board of Examiners.

ITINERANT MINISTRY

ADMISSIONS

Bro. Terence Lenard Mayes, Jr., single, age 35, is a 2001 graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School, Mt. Pleasant, Maury County, Tennessee; a 2018 graduate of Trevecca Nazarene University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Management and Human Relations.

Bro. Mayes is a member of St. Paul-Agnew A. M. E. Church, Pulaski, TN where the Rev. Dr. Terence L. Mayes, Sr. is pastor.

Bro. Terence has completed all of the required courses as per the 2016 Doctrine and Discipline of the African Methodist Episcopal Church. After being examined by the East Tennessee Board of Examiners, it is therefore the recommendation of this board that Bro. Terence Lenard Mayes, Jr. be admitted to the East Tennessee Annual Conference, on trial and passed to the First Years Studies thereof.

LOCAL MINISTRY

Bro. Paul Sherrell, single, age 63, has been supplying St. Paul, Aspen Hill and Trotter Chapel A. M. E. Church, comprising the Prospect Liberty Hill Circuit, Prospect, Tennessee a number of years and after a request by that congregation, it is recommended by this board that Bro. Paul Sherrell be elected and ordained a Local Deacon for Trotter Chapel.

Bro. Irvin Hines, 62, married to the former Gloria V. Burris. Bro. Hines is working diligently at Bethel A. M. E. Church and Clayborn Temple, Knoxville, Tennessee, and at their request, the recommendation of this board that Bro. Irvin Hines be elected and ordained a Local Deacon for Clayborn Temple A. M. E. Church, Knoxville, Tennessee.

THIRD YEARS STUDIES

The Reverend Vickie Lee Coleman, age 55, married to Mr. Johnny Ray Coleman, is a Local Deacon at Campbell Chapel A. M. E. Church, Pulaski, Tennessee. Rev. Coleman is suppling Powell Chapel A. M. E. Church, Pulaski, Tennessee. She has completed the required course of study for the Class on Third Year Studies. After being examined by the East Tennessee Board of Examiners, it is therefore the recommendation of this board that Rev. Coleman be passed to the Fourth Year Studies thereof with Local Relations.

Humbly Submitted: The ETN Board of Examiners

Rev. A. J. Holman, Sr., M. Div., ETN Chair/Dean

Rev. Dr. Pedro Basden, M. Div., D. Min.

Rev. Dr. Charles Holsey, M.Div., M.D.

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