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ELDERS

CERTIFICATION OF ORDINATION OF ELDERS

This is to certify that on June 11, 2006 under the election of the Illinois Great Rivers Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church, I, Sharon A. Brown Christopher, Presiding Bishop, ordained the following as Elders: Lynn Marie Bartlow, Ronald Vail Bartlow, Brian Patrick Caughlan, Edward Lee Davis, James Larry DeMent, Sara Lynn Isbell, Amanda Jayne Kahle Richards, Hahnshik Min, Cindy Lou Schoneman Rettig, Gary Charles Trent.

COMMISSIONING OF PROBATIONARY ELDERS

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONING

This is to certify that on June 11, 2006 under the election of the Illinois Great Rivers Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church, I, Sharon A. Brown Christopher, Presiding Bishop. Commissioned the following as Probationary Elders: Beth Ann McLaughlin, Eunjoo Lee, Robb Andrew McCoy, Michael Peter Paulson, Ted Alan Hartley.

DEACONS

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION OF DEACONS

This is to certify that on June 11, 2006, under the election of the Illinois Great Rivers Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church, I, Sharon A. Brown Christopher, Presiding Bishop, ordained the following as Deacons: Lori Leigh Bultemeier, Stephen Lee Busick, Kenneth Charles Emery.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION OF ASSOCIATE MEMBER – DEACONS

This is to certify that on June 11, 2006, under the election of the Illinois Great Rivers Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church, I, Sharon A. Brown Christopher, Presiding Bishop, ordained the following as Associate Member Deacons: Mark William Doane, Michael Leroy Kesling.

Licensed for Ministry of Deacon

Licensed for the ministry of the Deacon in preparation for ordination (PD): Dorothy Jean Dana Hudson, Diane Marie Menke Pence

Bishop Sharon A. Brown Christopher, Presiding Bishop

We, J. William Werner and Terry R. Werner, Annual Conference Co-Secretaries, attest that the persons named as ordained and commissioned on the previous page have been listed in the Business of the Annual Conference as being elected, examined and approved for the respective categories listed.

J. William Werner, Terry R. Werner, Annual Conference Co-Secretaries

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We hereby certify that the foregoing, together with all reports, is a correct record of the proceedings of the Tenth Session (The 184th counting Antecedent Annual Conferences) of the Illinois Great Rivers Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church, held in Peoria, Illinois, June 8-11, 2006, and these records were adopted as the Official Record of the Annual Conference and printed in the **JOURNAL-YEARBOOK** of the Annual Conference.

Sharon A. Brown Christopher, Presiding Bishop

J. William Werner, Terry R. Werner, Annual Conference Co-Secretaries

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Attendance for Lay Members is recorded in the Lay Member Directory.

Attendance for Ordained Clergy and Diaconal Ministers is recorded in the Clergy and Diaconal Ministers Directory.

Reports, Resolutions, Amendments to the Standing Rules, Policy Statements, Policy Statement Amendments that were adopted are printed in the Journal-Yearbook. Items that were defeated, referred, tabled, substituted, ruled out of order, or ruled moot, are not printed. Please consult the 2006 Pre-Conference Workbook for the text of those items.

Message from the Annual Conference Co-Secretaries

Please note that the printing schedule for Volumes I and II of the 2007 Journal necessitate your adhering to the deadlines for submitting materials as follows:

April 1, 2007 is the deadline for submitting materials for Volume I, 2007.

March 1, 2007 is the deadline for materials submitted for the 2007 Pre-Conference Workbook. Note: If your item has financial implications, the deadline for submission is **February 15, 2007**.

June 30, 2007 is the deadline for submitting materials for Volume II, 2007.

Please help us meet our deadlines and make possible getting the Journals to you on time.

J. William and Terry R. Werner
Annual Conference Co-Secretaries