

Crossroads Conference Ministerial Education & Guidance Board Report – 2026

Mr. Chairman, the Crossroads Conference Ministerial Education and Guidance Board recommends and notes:

That the following persons be **received by transfer**:

Neil Davis	Elder	from Shoreline Conference
Joseph Devarene	Elder	from Haiti FMC
Geni Gonzalez	CMC	from Acts 12:24 Conference
Gregory S. Fish	Elder	from Gateway Conference
Jean Maxo Michel	Elder	from Another Denomination
Eliazard Rutekerza	Elder	from Rwanda FMC

That the following persons be received as **conference ministerial candidates**:

Guillermo Cruz
Carson DiFranco
Micaela Mata
Caden Speth
Chunhua (Daisy) Zhao

That the following persons be continued as **conference ministerial candidates**:

Brian Dessauer	3	John Patterson	2
Diane DeStefano	3	Kayla Prichard	5
Cathy DeVries	2	Randy Scarborough	16
Valerie Fritchie	2	Marion Schafer	2
Craig Hall	5	Brittany Wagler	2
Pat Lybarger	3	Rachel Wolf	5
Jeff Lynn	9	Paul Zhang	5
Ebula Mmunga	2		

That the following persons be **received into full membership and ordained elders**:

Sarah Anne Anderson
Stacy Gwen Bare
Daniel Owen Bracy
Shishou (Jacob) Chen
Geni Esther Gonzalez
Niyonzima Osee
Judene Maranda Thompson

That the following persons be welcomed and received as **licensed pastors**:

Alin Pierre
Apumba Wiyamba
Nate Ward
Randy Worland

That the following persons continue as **licensed pastors**:

Shane Britt
Dan Ledley
Tim Massengill
David Mullis
Bill Ramsey
Vic Reasoner
Adam Stroud

That the following person continues to be **located**:

Ed Bryson	Located Elder	Wilmore, KY
Roger K. Wills	Located Elder	Merrillville, IN
Chris Wittenberg	Located Elder	Wilmore, KY

That the following person has been given a **certificate of standing** with view to transfer:

Luke Maggard	Elder	Shoreline Conference
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That the following person **has placed their credentials on deposit and withdrawn from the Free Methodist Church**:

James Fransz	Elder
Roland Kramer	Elder

Upon recommendation by the various pastors and local boards of administration of the churches where they are located, the Ministerial Education and Guidance Board reviewed and affirmed the integrity and Christian discipleship of the located deacons and elders.

Other than those listed in our records from whom we received no response, the Crossroads Conference Ministerial Education and Guidance Board has received annual reports which self-affirm the character, integrity and performance of all ordained and/or appointed persons.