

XIII. HISTORICAL STATEMENT

The Virginia Conference of The United Methodist Church is the direct descendant of the original annual conference of the United Brethren in Christ and of one of the six original conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The present conference was formed in 1970, by the merger of the Virginia Conference, formerly Methodist, with the former Evangelical United Brethren Conference of the same name. It is the successor to 39 Annual Conferences of eight denominations. Since the oldest of these dates back to the organization of the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1784, the 1970 session was declared to be the 188th session of the Conference (two “annual” sessions having been held in 1791 and 1841).

These 39 antecedent conferences are as follows:

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Virginia (1784-1844), Baltimore (1784-1939), Philadelphia (1784-1869), North Carolina (1836-1844), Washington (1864-1939), Delaware (1864-1939), Virginia and North Carolina Mission (1864-1868), Virginia (1868-1906), North Carolina (1869-1939), Wilmington (1869-1939), East Tennessee (1880-1939), Holston (1906-1939), West Virginia (1906-1939), Atlantic Mission (1906-1912), Blue Ridge- Atlantic (1912-1939)

THE CHURCH OF THE UNITED BRETHERN IN CHRIST

Original (“Old” or “Mother”) (1800-1829), Hagerstown (1829-1830), Virginia (1830-1946)

THE METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH

East Virginia (1829-1834), Maryland (1829-1939), Virginia (1834-1870), North Carolina (1860-1939)

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH

Virginia (1844-1939), North Carolina (1844-1874), Baltimore (1866-1939)

INDEPENDENT CONFERENCE

Baltimore (1861-1866)

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Virginia (1939-1968), Washington (1939-1965), Delaware (1939-1965), East Tennessee (1939-1965), North Carolina-C.J. (1939-1965), North Carolina-Virginia (1965-1968)

THE EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHERN CHURCH

Virginia (1946-1968), Central Pennsylvania (1948-1964), Susquehanna (1964-1968)

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Virginia-M (1968-1970), Virginia-E (1968-1970), Susquehanna (1968-1969)

Virginia was the scene of the ministries of many of the pioneers of the Methodist and United Brethren churches, most notably among them Francis Asbury, one of the first two Methodist bishops; William Watters, Methodism’s first Native American minister; Philip William Otterbein, bishop and leader in the founding of the United Brethren in Christ; and Christian Newcomer, United Brethren pioneer in Virginia and later bishop.

Twenty bishops of the denominations now comprising the United Methodist Church were born within the bounds of the Virginia Conference. They are: William McKendree, Enoch George, John Early, Samuel Hiestand, Beverly Waugh, David S. Doggett, William Taylor, John C. Granbery, William W. Duncan, James W. Hott, Collins Denny, William B. Beauchamp, Paul B. Kern, Paul Neff Garber, Edgar A. Love, Walter C. Gum, Carlton P. Minnick, Jr., R. Kern Eutsler, H. Hasbrouck Hughes, Jr., and Timothy W. Whitaker.

SOME LANDMARK DATES OF THE CONFERENCE

May 11, 1766: Earliest known property for a Methodist Church in America deeded to Methodist Society in Leesburg.

November 14, 1772: Missionary work carried on during 1772 in Southern Virginia by Robert Williams, William Watters and Joseph Pilmoor results in organizing, in Portsmouth, what is now Monumental Church, the oldest church now in existence in the Conference.

May 19, 1778: The Sixth American Methodist Conference held in Leesburg.

May 13, 1781: Harry Hosier preaches first recorded Methodist sermon by a Negro, at Fairfax Chapel in Falls Church.

May 1, 1785: First Session of the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church held at home of William Mason in Brunswick County.

1792: Virginia was the center of the first schism of American Methodism, led by James O’Kelley, a member of the Virginia Conference. It resulted in the formation of the Republican Methodists, now a part of the United Church of Christ.

September 25, 1800: First Session of the Original Conference of the United Brethren in Christ (later called the Virginia Conference) at the home of Peter Kemp, near Frederick, Md.

May 25, 1808: First United Brethren Conference to be held in Virginia, at Abraham Niswander’s home near Middletown.

March 31, 1816: Francis Asbury, pioneer Methodist bishop in America, died at the home of George Arnold, near Spotsylvania.

March 29, 1827: First native American itinerant, William Watters, died at his home in McLean.

May 1, 1846: First General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, met at Union Street Church, Petersburg.

November, 1870: Virginia Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church merged with the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Lynchburg.

October 16, 1939: Virginia Conference of The Methodist Church organized, including all or parts of nine previous conferences, at Richmond.

June 10, 1968: Virginia Conference and North Carolina-Virginia Conference, formerly of The Methodist Church, are merged to form the Virginia Conference of The United Methodist Church, at Richmond.

January 3, 1970: Present Virginia Conference of The United Methodist Church organized at Madison College, Harrisonburg.

THE NUMBERING OF CONFERENCE SESSIONS

The Virginia Conference was organized in May of 1785. That was its first session. It was one year old at its second session in 1786, and so on, so that its age would always be one less than the number of that year’s session. Then, two annual sessions were held in April and December of 1791 and in January and November of 1841, so that in 2015, the 233rd annual session, the conference was 229 years old.

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SESSIONS OF THE VIRGINIA CONFERENCE

#	PLACE OF SESSION	DATE	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1	Mason's, Brunswick Co.....	May 1785.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
2	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.....	April 1786.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
3	Rough Creek, Charlotte Co.....	April 1787.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
4	Petersburg.....	June 1788.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
5	Petersburg.....	June 1789.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
6	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.....	June 1790.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
7	Petersburg.....	April 1791.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
8	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.....	December 1791.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
9	Manchester.....	November 1792.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
10	Petersburg.....	November 1793.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
11	Mabrey's Greensville Co.....	November 1794.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
12	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.....	November 1795.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
13	Mabrey's, Greensville Co.....	November 1796.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
14	Lane's Chapel, Sussex Co.....	November 1797.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
15	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.....	April 1798.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
16	Jones' Chapel, Sussex Co.....	April 1799.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
17	Blount's Chapel, Isle of Wight Co.....	April 1800.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
18	Drumgool's, Brunswick Co.....	April 1801.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
19	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.....	March 1802.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Unknown
20	Olive Branch, Brunswick Co.....	March 1803.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Alex. McCaine
21	Salem, Mecklenburg Co.....	April 1804.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Alex. McCaine
22	Taylor's, Caswell Co., N.C.....	March 1805.....	Bishop Asbury.....	Alex. McCaine
23	Norfolk.....	February 1806.....	Bishop Asbury.....	T.L. Douglas
24	New Bern, N.C.....	February 1807.....	Bishop Asbury.....	T.L. Douglas
25	Lynchburg.....	February 1808.....	Bishop Asbury.....	T.L. Douglas
26	Tarboro, N.C.....	February 1809.....	Bishop Asbury.....	T.L. Douglas
27	Petersburg.....	February 1810.....	Bishop McKendree.....	T.L. Douglas
28	Raleigh, N.C.....	February 1811.....	Bishop McKendree.....	T.L. Douglas
29	Richmond.....	February 1812.....	Bishop McKendree.....	T.L. Douglas
30	New Bern, N.C.....	February 1813.....	Bishop McKendree.....	T.L. Douglas
31	Norfolk.....	February 1814.....	Bishop McKendree.....	T.L. Douglas
32	Lynchburg.....	February 1815.....	Bishop McKendree.....	John Early
33	Raleigh, N.C.....	January 1816.....	Bishop McKendree.....	M.M. Dance
34	Petersburg.....	February 1817.....	Bishop McKendree.....	M.M. Dance
35	Norfolk.....	February 1818.....	Bishop Roberts.....	M.M. Dance
36	Oxford, N.C.....	February 1819.....	Bishop Roberts.....	M.M. Dance
37	Richmond.....	February 1820.....	Bishop George.....	M.M. Dance
38	Raleigh, N.C.....	February 1821.....	Bishop George.....	M.M. Dance
39	New Bern, N.C.....	March 1822.....	Bishop George.....	John Early
40	Lynchburg.....	March 1823.....	Bishop George.....	John Early
41	Petersburg.....	March 1824.....	Bishop George.....	John Early
42	Oxford, N.C.....	February 1825.....	Bishop Soule.....	John Early
43	Portsmouth.....	February 1826.....	Bishop Soule.....	John Early
44	Petersburg.....	February 1827.....	Bishop Roberts.....	John Early
45	Raleigh, N.C.....	February 1828.....	Bishop Soule.....	John Early
46	Lynchburg.....	February 1829.....	Bishop Roberts.....	John Early
47	Richmond.....	February 1830.....	Bishop Soule.....	John Early
48	New Bern, N.C.....	February 1831.....	Rev. John Early.....	Wm. A. Smith
49	Norfolk.....	February 1832.....	Bishop Hedding.....	John Early
50	Petersburg.....	February 1833.....	Bishop Hedding.....	John Early
51	Raleigh, N.C.....	February 1834.....	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early
52	Lynchburg.....	February 1835.....	Bishop Emory.....	John Early
53	Norfolk.....	January 1836.....	Bishop Hedding.....	John Early
54	Petersburg.....	January 1837.....	Bishop Waugh.....	John Early
55	Richmond.....	January 1838.....	Bishop Morris.....	John Early
56	Edenton, N.C.....	January 1839.....	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early
57	Farmville.....	January 1840.....	Bishop Waugh.....	John Early
58	Lynchburg.....	January 1841.....	Bishop Morris.....	John Early
59	Portsmouth.....	November 1841.....	Rev. John Early.....	Jas. A. Riddick
60	Petersburg.....	November 1842.....	Bishop Waugh.....	John Early
61	Richmond.....	November 1843.....	Bishop Morris.....	John Early
62	Lynchburg.....	November 1844.....	Bishop Soule.....	John Early
63	Norfolk.....	November 1845.....	Bishop Andrew.....	Wm. A. Smith
64	Randolph-Macon College, Boydton.....	November 1846.....	Bishop Capers.....	John Early
65	Chlottesville.....	November 1847.....	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early
66	Elizabeth City, N.C.....	November 1848.....	Bishop Capers.....	John Early
67	Petersburg.....	November 1849.....	Bishop Andrew.....	John Early
68	Richmond.....	November 1850.....	Bishop Paine.....	J.D. Couling
69	Alexandria.....	November 1851.....	Bishop Andrew.....	J.D. Couling
70	Fredericksburg.....	October 1852.....	Bishop Capers.....	J.D. Couling
71	Lynchburg.....	October 1853.....	Bishop Paine.....	J.D. Couling
72	Norfolk.....	November 1854.....	Bishop Pierce.....	J.D. Couling
73	Petersburg.....	November 1855.....	Bishop Andrew.....	J.D. Couling
74	Richmond.....	November 1856.....	Bishop Early.....	J.D. Couling
75	Elizabeth City, N.C.....	November 1857.....	Bishop Pierce.....	J.D. Couling

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76	Portsmouth	November 1858	Bishop Kavanaugh	J.D. Couling
77	Lynchburg	November 1859	Bishop Early	J.D. Couling
78	Alexandria	November 1860	Bishop Paine	Paul Whitehead
79	Norfolk	November 1861	Bishop Andrew	Paul Whitehead
80	Petersburg	November 1862	Bishop Early	Paul Whitehead
81	Richmond	November 1863	Bishop Pierce	Paul Whitehead
82	Lynchburg	November 1864	Rev. Wm. A. Smith	Paul Whitehead
83	Danville	November 1865	Bishop Early	Paul Whitehead
84	Norfolk	November 1866	Bishop Pierce	Paul Whitehead
85	Petersburg	November 1867	Bishop Doggett	Paul Whitehead
86	Charlottesville	November 1868	Bishop Wightman	Paul Whitehead
87	Richmond	November 1869	Bishop Doggett	Paul Whitehead
88	Lynchburg	November 1870	Bishop Pierce	Paul Whitehead
89	Portsmouth	November 1871	Bishop Paine	Paul Whitehead
90	Petersburg	November 1872	Bishop Paine	Paul Whitehead
91	Norfolk	November 1873	Bishop Keener	Paul Whitehead
92	Elizabeth City, N.C.	November 1874	Bishop Marvin	Paul Whitehead
93	Danville	November 1875	Bishop McTyeire	Paul Whitehead
94	Richmond	November 1876	Bishop Kavanaugh	Paul Whitehead
95	Lynchburg	November 1877	Bishop Doggett	Paul Whitehead
96	Petersburg	November 1878	Bishop Pierce	Paul Whitehead
97	Norfolk	November 1879	Bishop Wightman	Paul Whitehead
98	Danville	November 1880	Bishop Keener	Paul Whitehead
99	Charlottesville	November 1881	Bishop McTyeire	Paul Whitehead
100	Portsmouth	November 1882	Bishop Pierce	Paul Whitehead
101	Richmond	November 1883	Bishop Kavanaugh	Paul Whitehead
102	Lynchburg	November 1884	Bishop Keener	Paul Whitehead
103	Petersburg	November 1885	Bishop Keener	Paul Whitehead
104	Norfolk	November 1886	Bishop Granbery	Paul Whitehead
105	Danville	November 1887	Bishop Key	Paul Whitehead
106	Portsmouth	November 1888	Bishop Granbery	Paul Whitehead
107	Richmond	November 1889	Bishop Wilson	Paul Whitehead
108	Lynchburg	November 1890	Bishop Hargrove	Paul Whitehead
109	Petersburg	November 1891	Bishop Keener	Paul Whitehead
110	Norfolk	November 1892	Bishop Hendrix	Paul Whitehead
111	Danville	November 1893	Bishop Granbery	Paul Whitehead
112	Charlottesville	November 1894	Bishop Haygood	Paul Whitehead
113	Richmond	November 1895	Bishop Galloway	Paul Whitehead
114	Lynchburg	November 1896	Bishop Duncan	Paul Whitehead
115	Danville	November 1897	Bishop Fitzgerald	Paul Whitehead
116	Portsmouth	November 1898	Bishop Hargrove	Paul Whitehead
117	Petersburg	November 1899	Bishop Wilson	Paul Whitehead
118	Norfolk	November 1900	Bishop Duncan	Paul Whitehead
119	Newport News	November 1901	Bishop Duncan	Paul Whitehead
120	Richmond	November 1902	Bishop Duncan	Paul Whitehead
121	Charlottesville	November 1903	Bishop Hendrix	Paul Whitehead
122	Lynchburg	November 1904	Bishop Wilson	Paul Whitehead
123	Danville	November 1905	Bishop Galloway	Paul Whitehead
124	Portsmouth	November 1906	Bishop Hendrix	S.S. Lambeth
125	Petersburg	November 1907	Bishop Galloway	S.S. Lambeth
126	Norfolk	November 1908	Bishop Wilson	S.S. Lambeth
127	Newport News	November 1909	Bishop Morrison	S.S. Lambeth
128	Richmond	November 1910	Bishop Wilson	S.S. Lambeth
129	Salisbury, Md.	November 1911	Bishop Kilgo	S.S. Lambeth
130	Lynchburg	November 1912	Bishop Wilson	S.S. Lambeth
131	Danville	November 1913	Bishop Denny	B.F. Lipscomb
132	Portsmouth	November 1914	Bishop Kilgo	B.F. Lipscomb
133	Norfolk	November 1915	Bishop Candler	B.F. Lipscomb
134	Richmond	November 1916	Bishop Kilgo	B.F. Lipscomb
135	Lynchburg	November 1917	Bishop Hoss	B.F. Lipscomb
136	Charlottesville	December 1918	Bishop Hendrix	B.F. Lipscomb
137	Richmond	November 1919	Bishop Hendrix	B.F. Lipscomb
138	Norfolk	November 1920	Bishop Hendrix	B.F. Lipscomb
139	Richmond	October 1921	Bishop McMurry	B.F. Lipscomb
140	Norfolk	October 1922	Bishop Candler	B.F. Lipscomb
141	Richmond	October 1923	Bishop Candler	B.F. Lipscomb
142	Norfolk	October 1924	Bishop Candler	B.F. Lipscomb
143	Richmond	October 1925	Bishop Candler	B.F. Lipscomb
144	Norfolk	October 1926	Bishop Denny	B.F. Lipscomb
145	Danville	November 1927	Bishop Denny	B.F. Lipscomb
146	Lynchburg	October 1928	Bishop Denny	B.F. Lipscomb
147	Richmond	October 1929	Bishop Denny	B.F. Lipscomb
148	Norfolk	October 1930	Bishop Beauchamp	B.F. Lipscomb
149	Lynchburg	November 1931	Bishop Mouzon	B.F. Lipscomb
150	Richmond	October 1932	Bishop Mouzon	R.M. White
151	Norfolk	October 1933	Bishop Mouzon	R.M. White
152	Lynchburg	October 1934	Bishop Mouzon	R.M. White
153	Danville	October 1935	Bishop Mouzon	R.M. White

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154	Richmond.....	October 1936.....	Bishop Mouzon.....	R.M. White
155	Norfolk.....	October 1937.....	Bishop A.J. Moore.....	R.M. White
156	Lynchburg.....	October 1938.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
157	Danville.....	October 1939.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
	Richmond (Organizing Session).....	October 1939.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
158	Roanoke.....	October 1940.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
159	Lynchburg.....	October 1941.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
160	Richmond.....	October 1942.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
161	Roanoke.....	October 1943.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
162	Lynchburg.....	October 1944.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
163	Richmond.....	October 1945.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
164	Lynchburg.....	October 1946.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
165	Roanoke.....	October 1947.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
166	Norfolk.....	October 1948.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
167	Richmond.....	October 1949.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
168	Richmond.....	October 1950.....	Bishop Peele.....	R.M. White
169	Roanoke.....	October 1951.....	Bishop Garber.....	R.M. White
170	Norfolk.....	October 1952.....	Bishop Garber.....	R.M. White
171	Roanoke.....	October 1953.....	Bishop Garber.....	R.M. White
172	Richmond.....	June 1954.....	Bishop Garber.....	R.M. White
173	Norfolk.....	June 1955.....	Bishop Garber.....	R.M. White
174	Harrisonburg.....	June 1956.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
175	Roanoke.....	June 1957.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
176	Richmond.....	June 1958.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
177	Norfolk.....	June 1959.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
178	Fredericksburg.....	June 1960.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
179	Virginia Beach.....	June 1961.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
180	Norfolk.....	June 1962.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
181	Virginia Beach.....	June 1963.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.A. Tucker
182	Roanoke.....	June 1964.....	Bishop Garber.....	C.T. Boyd
183	Virginia Beach.....	June 1965.....	Bishop Gum.....	C.T. Boyd
184	Norfolk.....	June 1966.....	Bishop Gum.....	C.T. Boyd
185	Virginia Beach.....	June 1967.....	Bishop Gum.....	C.T. Boyd
186	Richmond.....	June 1968.....	Bishop Gum.....	C.T. Boyd
187	Norfolk.....	June 1969.....	Bishop Herrick.....	C.T. Boyd
	Harrisonburg (Uniting Session).....	January 1970.....	Bishop Herrick.....	C.T. Boyd
188	Virginia Beach.....	June 1970.....	Bishop Herrick.....	C.T. Boyd
189	Norfolk.....	June 1971.....	Bishop Cannon.....	C.T. Boyd
190	Hampton.....	June 1972.....	Bishop Cannon.....	Edward H. Kyle
191	Roanoke.....	June 1973.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
192	Hampton.....	June 1974.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
	Richmond (Special Session).....	December 1974.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
193	Norfolk.....	June 1975.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
194	Hampton.....	June 1976.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
195	Roanoke.....	June 1977.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
196	Hampton.....	June 1978.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
197	Roanoke.....	June 1979.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
198	Richmond.....	June 1980.....	Bishop Goodson.....	Edward H. Kyle
199	Hampton.....	June 1981.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
200	Virginia Beach.....	June 1982.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
201	Roanoke.....	June 1983.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
202	Virginia Beach.....	June 1984.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
203	Hampton.....	June 1985.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
204	Roanoke.....	June 1986.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
205	Virginia Beach.....	June 1987.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
206	Roanoke.....	June 1988.....	Bishop Blackburn.....	Reginald H. Potts III
207	Norfolk.....	June 1989.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Reginald H. Potts III
208	Hampton.....	June 1990.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Reginald H. Potts III
209	Roanoke.....	June 1991.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Reginald H. Potts III
210	Virginia Beach.....	June 1992.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Reginald H. Potts III
211	Hampton.....	June 1993.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Robert Watts
212	Norfolk.....	June 1994.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Robert Watts
213	Roanoke.....	June 1995.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Robert Watts
214	Virginia Beach.....	June 1996.....	Bishop Stockton.....	Robert Watts
215	Hampton.....	June 1997.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Watts
216	Roanoke.....	June 1998.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Watts
217	Norfolk.....	June 1999.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Watts
218	Hampton.....	June 2000.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Watts
219	Virginia Beach.....	June 2001.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Watts
220	Roanoke.....	June 2002.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Blinn
221	Roanoke.....	June 2003.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Blinn
222	Hampton.....	June 2004.....	Bishop Pennel.....	Robert Blinn
223	Hampton.....	June 2005.....	Bishop Kammerer.....	Robert Blinn
224	Hampton.....	June 2006.....	Bishop Kammerer.....	Robert Blinn
225	Roanoke.....	June 2007.....	Bishop Kammerer.....	Robert Blinn
226	Roanoke.....	June 2008.....	Bishop Kammerer.....	Robert Blinn
227	Norfolk.....	June 2009.....	Bishop Kammerer.....	Robert Blinn

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228	Norfolk	June 2010.....	Bishop Kammerer	Robert Blinn
229	Roanoke.....	June 2011.....	Bishop Kammerer	Robert Blinn
230	Roanoke.....	June 2012.....	Bishop Kammerer	Robert Blinn
231	Hampton	June 2013.....	Bishop Cho	Robert Blinn
232	Hampton	June 2014.....	Bishop Cho	Susan Reaves
233	Roanoke.....	June 2015.....	Bishop Cho	Susan Reaves
234	Roanoke.....	June 2016.....	Bishop Cho	Susan Reaves