CLERGY CELEBRATING
SIGNIFICANT ANNIVERSARIES
of ORDINATION - 2017

70th Anniversary of Ordination

Vernon H. Baum  Ordained 5-25-47
Retired
1973-93  Penn Central Conference Staff
1962-73  Pastor, Zion, York PA
1954-62  Pastor, St. Mark’s, Easton PA
1949-54  Pastor, St. Stephen’s, York PA
1947-49  Pastor, Boonsboro-Mt. Moriah Charge, Washington County, MD

Richard T. Schellhase  Ordained 5-25-47
Retired
1983-93  Director of Development, Buddhist Churches of America Endowment Foundation, San Francisco, CA
1973-83  Vice President for Development, Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley, CA
1970-72  Organizing Minister, United Parish of Bowie, MD
1964-70  Vice President for Development, Lancaster Theological Seminary
1956-64  Assistant Professor of Religion, Alumni Sec’y, Wrestling Coach, Ursinus College
1954-55  Graduate Student, University of Edinburgh, Scotland; Interim Pastor, Davidson Mains Church of Scotland
1952-54  Chaplain, U.S. Navy, Portsmouth Hospital; Seabees (Cuba); Brunswick Naval Air
1947-52  Pastor, The Uniontown Charge, Pillow

65th Anniversary of Ordination

Paul J. Gerhart  Ordained 6-7-52
Retired
1990  Various interim and supply pastorates
1986–89  Pastor of Visitation, Myerstown
1982-86  PT Pastor, St. Matthew’s Spring Glen
1961-82  Interim pastor of numerous churches & graduate student while on staff of the University of Michigan
1964-68  Pastor, Trinity, Detroit, MI
1957-61  Pastor, Salem E&R, Albion, MI
1952-57  Pastor, Community-St. Lawrence, Reading PA

Milton Gockley  Ordained 5-25-52
Retired
2014  Retired, Transferred to Lanc. Assoc from Pa SE, Ursinus Assoc.
Richard H. Whitney    Ordained 6-8-52
Retired
1991  Interim Pastor, Trinity Churches, Columbia & Mountville
1990  Interim Pastor Church of the Pacific, Princeville, Kauai, Hawaii
1988-89 Interim Pastor, Iao Congregational, Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii
1987-88 Interim Pastor, Grace, Lebanon
1978-87 UCBHM Staff, Church Finance Advisory Services, NYC
1974-78 Executive Director, Lord Fairfax Interchurch Council, VA
1964-74 Penn Central Conference Staff
1962-64 Pastor, Union Congregational, Churchville, NY
1960-62 Pastor, Faith UCC, Boston, NY (merger of the two congregations)
1957-60 Pastor, Boston Community Church, NY
1952-60 Pastor, St. Paul’s E&R Church, Boston, NY

60th Anniversary of Ordination

James H. Gold    Ordained 6 -2-57
Retired
2009-14 Pastor, Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church of Cowan
2002-09 Assistant Pastor, 1st Evangelical Lutheran Church, Mifflinburg
2000-02 Interim Pastor, Ebenezer, Laurelton
1999-00 Interim Pastor, Paradise Charge, Turbotville
1997-99 Interim Pastor, First, Middleburg
1996 Interim Pastor, Newport & Marklesville
1967-96 Pastor, Ickesburg UCC & St. Paul, Lutheran
1960-67 Pastor, First, Middleburg & Zion, Kratzerville; Salem, Selinsgrove
1957-60 Pastor, Nescopeck, First & Zion; Trinity, Mountain Grove; St. Paul, Sugarloaf

Rodney A. Henrie    Ordained 6-9-57
Retired
2002 -08 Interim Pastorates:
   Salem, Campbeltown; Trinity Tulpehocken; Hill, Lebanon; Zion Goshert’s
1961-99 Pastor, Mt. Carmel Charge, PNE
1957-61 Missionary Teacher, Tohoku Gakuin High School & College, Sendai, Japan

55th Anniversary of Ordination

Herbert L. Bomberger    Ordained 5-12-62
Retired
1982-02 Bethany Children’s Home and Bethany Counseling Ministry
1976-82 Holy Spirit Hospital CMHC
1974-76 Hamilton Health Center
1963-74 Lutheran Social Services
1962-70 Navy Chaplain (Reserves)
1960-65 Pastor, Filey’s Parish, Dillsburg
Theodore E. Bowers  
**Ordained 9-26-62**  
Retired  
Pastor Emeritus, Redeemers, Littlestown  
1990-01 Chaplain, Masonic Homes, Elizabethtown  
1987-90 Pastor, Zwingli, East Berlin  
1977-87 Pastor, Redeemer’s, Littlestown  
1975-77 Pastor, St. John’s & New Covenant, Williamsport  
1971-75 Pastor, Trinity, Lewistown  
1966-71 Pastor, Dover  

George O. Butz  
**Ordained 6-24-62**  
Retired  
2005-07 Chaplain, The Lebanon Valley Home, UCC Homes, Annville  
1989-01 Pastor, St. Jacob’s, Brodbeck  
1983-89 Pastor, Dreisbach, Lewisburg  
1982-83 Pastor, Uniontown Charge, Pillow  
1979-82 Pastor, Valmeyer, IL  
1977-79 Pastor, Gackle and Jud, ND  
1967-76 Pastor, Gladeland Charge, Manns Choice  
1962-67 Pastor, Mill Creek Charge, Mt. Jackson  

David L. Gockley  
**Ordained 6-10-62**  
Retired  
1999-03 Interim Pastor, St. Luke’s, Lancaster  
1997-99 Interim Pastor, Salem, Harrisburg  
1996-97 Interim Pastor, Faith, York  
1969-96 Pastor, Faith, Lancaster  
1964-69 Pastor, Salem, Campbelftow  
1962-63 Pastor, Holburn Central Parish, Aberdeen, Scotland  

Warren C. Riedel  
**Ordained 5-13-62**  
Retired  
1993-17 Pastor, Zion’s, Marietta  
1992-93 Interim Pastor, Christ Little-Tulpehocken  
1981-92 Pastor, Pastor, Bethel-Mt. Aetna  
1971-81 Pastor, Ashland-Fountain Springs  
1965-70 Pastor, Christiana Methodist, Chester County  
1959-65 Student Pastor, Ross Street Methodist, Lancaster  
1957-59 Student Pastor, Dauphin-Heckton Methodist  

Peter M. Schmiechen  
**Ordained 6-17-62**  
Retired  
1985-02 President, Lancaster Theological Seminary  
1966-85 Instructor, Faculty Dean, Elmhurst College, Elmhurst, IL  
1965-66 Administrative Assistant to UCC Biannual Emphasis on Urbanization, UCC Staff  
1962-65 Pastor, Mystic Side UCC, Everett, MA
William R. Swisher, Jr.  Ordained 6-10-62
Retired
1984-01  Penn Central Conference Staff
1982-84  Pastor, Church of the Apostles, Waynesboro
1977-82  Local Church in Life & Mission, Penn Northeast Conference
1975-77  Small Church Project, Penn Central
1969-75  Pastor, First, Carlisle
1967-69  Pastor, Church of the Apostles, Waynesboro
1962-67  Pastor, St. Paul-Harbaugh Charge, Waynesboro

J. Kenneth Trauger  Ordained 6-10-62
Retired
2004-06  Interim Executive Director, Lancaster County Council of Churches
1977-04  Chaplain, Conestoga View, Lancaster
1977-82  Community Center Director, Salvation Army, Lancaster
1974-76  Pastor, First Reformed, Lancaster
1971-74  Pastor, Zion-Immanuel, Clarington, OH
1962-71  UCBWM appointments of Rural Evangelism and Lay Training, Honduras

50th Anniversary of Ordination

Kenneth S. Heasley  Ordained 6-18-67
Retired
2015-16  Acting Interim Conference Minister, Penn Central Conference
2011-13  Interim Pastor, Trinity, Gettysburg
2005-11  Retired
1996-04  Pastor, Emmanuel, Hanover
1992-96  Interim Pastor, Trinity, Manchester, MD
1982-92  Pastor, St. John’s, Catonsville, MD
1974-82  Pastor, St. Mary’s, Westminster, MD
1967-74  Pastor, St. John’s, Powhatan Point, OH

Manley L. Layman  Ordained 5-21-67
Retired
1983-89  Pastor, Salem, Elizabethville
1976-83  Pastor, Middleburg Charge
1971-75  Pastor, Strawberry Ridge Charge
1968-71  Pastor, Lawn Evangelical Congregational
1966-68  Pastor, Emmanuel Evangelical Congregational, Hatfield

Joseph H. Lingenfelter  Ordained 6-18-67
Retired
2012-14  Interim, First, Middleburg
1994-06  Pastor, First, Sunbury
1974-93  Pastor, St. John’s, Mifflinburg
1967-74  Pastor, St. John’s, Larimer
George C. Martz  Ordained 6-18-67
Retired
2010-11  Interim, Duncannon/New Bloomfield Charge
2008-09  Interim, Christ Lutheran, New Bloomfield
2007-08  Interim, St. John’s, Chambersburg
2002-07  Pastor, New Hope UCC
1998-02  Pastor, Landisburg Charge/New Hope, Landisburg
1978-98  Pastor, St. John’s, Denver
1973-78  Pastor, Pleasantville, Chalfont
1971-73  Pastor, Church of the Good Shepherd, Boyertown
1967-71  Pastor, St. Andrew’s, Perkasie

Philip K. Nace  Ordained 6-11-67
Retired
2002-    Interim, Various locations
2000-02  Pastor, Grace, Lebanon
1998-00  Pastor, Faith & St. James, Littlestown
1991-98  Pastor, St. Paul’s (Dubs), Hanover
1985-90  Pastor, Trinity (Roth’s), Spring Grove
1983-85  Pastor, St. Paul’s, Shrewsbury
1980-83  Chaplain, First church of God, Carlisle
1975-80  Pastor, Trinity, Watsontown
1969-75  Pastor, Calvary, Barto
1967-69  Pastor, 1st Congregational, Coaldale

David Wuori  Ordained 1967
2013    Retired, transferred to PCC from New Hampshire

45th Anniversary of Ordination

David Bushnell  Ordained 6-11-1972
2017-    Interim, Christ, Annville
2016    Acting Conference Minister, Penn Central Conference
2009-13  Pastor, Eplers UCC, Leesport
1990-09  Senior Pastor, Hamilton Park, Lancaster
1982-89  Assoc. Pastor, Trinity, York
1978-82  Director of Programming, Penn West Conf.
1973-78  Pastor, Grace UCC, Duquesne

William H. Long II  Ordained 6-20-72
Retired
1997-16  Pastor, St. John’s, Lebanon
1980-96  Pastor, Salem, Columbia
1976-80  Pastor, Clearville, UMC
1972-76  Pastor, Ev. Cong. Church, Herndon
Rodger Snyder  
Ordained 6-6-72
2010-  Pastor, St. John’s, Tylersville
2004-09 Pastor, Zion Reformed, Ashland
1996-04 Pastor, Salem, Elizabethville
1986-06 Pastor, Emmanuel, New Berlin
1975-85 Pastor, Emmanuel & St. Johns, New Berlin & Winfield
1972-75 Pastor, St. Paul’s, Auburn Rd, (PSE)

40th Anniversary of Ordination

Bruce P. Bouchard  
Ordained 2-27-77
Retired
1984-16 Pastor, Grace, Hanover
1976-84 Pastor, United Church of Stonegate, Stonegate, CT

Mary Alice Butkofsky  
Ordained 5-22-77
Retired
1986-88 PeaceMaker, National Council of Churches
1985 Supply Preaching
1983-89 Member, Corporate Board of Homeland Ministries
1984-85 Assoc. Interim, Chapel Hill, Camp Hill
1981-83 Chaplain, Harrisburg Hospital
1977-81 Pastor, St. Matthews, Spring Glen; Chaplain, Holy Spirit Hospital

Stephen E. Ericson  
Ordained 10-23-77
2017  Pastor, Hill, Lebanon
2011-17 Various Interims, Penn Central Conference
1991-09 Pastor, St. Paul’s, Schaefferstown
1984-91 Pastor, Second Christian, Kittery, ME
1981-84 Pastor, St. Luke’s, Auburn, NY
1977-81 Pastor, Winslow Congregational, Winslow, ME

Charles I. Hull  
Ordained 5-22-77
Retired
2010-12 Visitation Pastor, Shiloh, York
2003 -07 Chaplain, Homewood Homes
1986-03 Pastor, Christ, Codorus
1982-86 Pastor, Paradise, Holtzschwamm
1977-82 Chaplain, Hartman Center
1977-82 Pastor, White Memorial, Milroy

Thomas G. Lush  
Ordained 3-13-77
2016- Pastor, St. Paul’s New Oxford
2001-15 Pastor, Myerstown
1977-01 Pastor, Trinity, Biglerville
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Jere E. Chapman  
Ordained 2-21-1982  
Retired  
1996-12  Chaplain/Board Secretary, United Veterans Beacon Home  
1993-98  Vocational Rehab. Volunteer Chaplain, Lebanon VA Med Center  
1988-89  Director, Congregational & Community Services, LSS  
1988 -  Chaplain – PA Army National Guard  
1982 -  Chaplain – US Air Force & Civil Air Patrol  
1980’s  Intentional Interim – various churches  
1984-85  PT Assistant Pastor, St. Luke’s, Lancaster  
1981-83  Pastor – Conestoga UCC

Douglas C. Hahn  
Ordained 10-3-1982  
1988 -  Pastor, St. John’s, New Chester  
1982-88  Pastor, 1st Congregational UCC, Little Valley, NY  
1981-82  Youth Counselor, Millersville Youth Village

James R. Haun  
Ordained 6-13-1982  
2012-  Pastor, St. Luke’s, Lititz  
1989-12  Pastor, Zion, New Providence  
1982-89  Pastor, Paradise, Canfield, OH

William Hoch  
Ordained 1-17-1982  
1998 -  Pastor, Peace, Denver  
1989-98  Pastor, Congregational, Leslie, MI  
1987-89  Pastor, Emmanuel, Brighton, MI  
1981-86  Pastor of Israel UCC, Paris, OH

Lou Ann Jones  
Ordained 10-3-1982  
2017  Designated Pastor, St. John’s Dallastown  
2014-17  Interim, St. John’s, Dallastown  
1989-14  Pastor, Bethel, Spring Grove  
1982-87  Ashland Charge – St. Johns & Christ Congregational UCC

William LaSalle  
Ordained 8-29-1982  
2013-  Pastor, Bethany, Ephrata  
2011-13  Interim, Trinity, Hallam  
2007-10  Pastor, St. Paul’s, Manheim  
1997-07  Pastor, Linfield (PSEC)  
1991-97  Pastor, First Reformed, Hamburg  
1982-91  Pastor, Faith, Grantville
Robert Peiffer  Ordained 1982
2012-14  Pastor St. John’s, Shamokin
1982-  United Methodist churches

Dennis L. Weidler  Ordained 9-19-1982
Retired
1997-14  Pastor, St. Paul’s, Stoverstown
1987–97  Pastor, Canadochly, York
1982–87  Pastor, St. Bartholomew’s, Hanover

Julie Beall  Ordained 2-7-1987
30th Anniversary of Ordination
2011-  Pastor, Trinity, Palmyra
1998-11  Pastor, First UCC, Middleburg
1992-98  Supply, Multiple churches in Penn Southeast Conference
1990-92  Chaplain, Leader Nursing & Rehab, King of Prussia
1990  Interim, Olivet UCC, East Norriton
1985-90  Pastor, Bethany & St. John’s, Beyer Missouri

Sharon B. Freudenberger  Ordained 12-6-1987
Retired
1987-91  Pastor, Mt. Olivet, East Berlin

Leonard S. Knighton  Ordained 9-20-1987
2014  Chaplain, UCC Homes
2005-15  Pastor, Hill UCC, Lebanon
2000-05  Pastor, Christ E&R, Baltimore
1987-00  Pastor, Zion UCC, Womelsdorf
1986  Bridgewater Community Congregational Church, VT

Virginia R. Rye  Ordained 5-24-1987
Retired
1991-05  Pastor, Aaronsburg Charge
1990  Interims, St. Louis, MO
1988-90  Chaplain, St. Louis, MO
1986-88  Chaplain, Cumberland, MD
Curtis H. Zemencik  Ordained 6-7-1987
2011- Pastor, Stone Valley Charge  
1993-11 Pastor, St. Matthew’s, Spring Glen  
1993-11 Co-pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church, Valley View  
1987-92 Pastor, St. Paul’s, Sacramento  

**25th Anniversary of Ordination**

Larry Covin  Ordained 6-1-1992
2014- Pastor, Trinity, York  
2006-07 Pastor, Ft. Washington DOC  
2004-07 Pastor, Mt. Olivet, DOC  
2001-14 Pastor, Bethel Methodist, MD  
1992-07 Chief Chaplain, MD. Dept of Corrections  
1992-02 Chaplain, US Army  
1991-92 Pastor St. John’s UMC, NJ  

Ann Graves  Ordained 6-14-1992
2016 Interim, Faith, State College  
2011 Interim, St. John’s Boalsburg  
Retired  
2000-09 Pastor, Faith State College  
1999-00 Interim, Shiloh, Danville  
1996-98 AP, New Covenant, Williamsport  
1994-95 Interim, Hayshire, York  
1993-94 Interim, Trinity, Emmanuel, Strawberry Ridge  
1992 Interim, St. John’s Boalsburg  

Margaret Grzelkowski  Ordained 11-1-1992
2010- Pastor, Trinity, Hanover  
2006-09 Pastor, Spearfish UCC, Spearfish, SD.  
2002-06 Pastor, Parkrose UCC, Portland, OR  
1997-02 Pastor, First Congregational Church UCC, Wiscasset, ME  
1992-97 Co-Pastor, First Congregational UCC, Longmont, CO  

Richard Luciotti  Ordained 10-25-1992
2016- Chaplain to Clergy, PCC  
1994-16 Pastor, St. Mark’s, Lebanon  
1994 Interim, Trinity, Tulpehocken  
1984-86 Youth Pastor, St. Matthew Lutheran, Springfield, PA  

Anabel Proffitt  Ordained 12-6-1992
2013- Pastor, Wisdom’s Table at St. Peter’s, Lancaster  
2006- Childwood Memorial Presbyterian Church, NY  
1989- Lancaster Theological Seminary
Other 5-year Anniversaries

20 Year Anniversaries – Ordained 1997

Darcy Bertelmann
Timothy Dugan
Roanne MacEwan
S. Anne Rae
J. William Schiller
Bonita Zobeck

15 Year Anniversaries – Ordained 2002

Carol Bender
Sterling Fritz
Mark Ruzicka
Martha Spong

10 Year Anniversaries – Ordained 2007

Joshua Craley
Monica Dawkins-Smith
Rachel Hackenberg
Patricia Leader
Elaine Moyer
Joel Risser

5 Year Anniversaries – Ordained 2012

David Bowles
Nora Foust
Julie Holm
David Jones
Brenda Marin
Deborah Miley
Wade Pond
Lynn Shoemaker