

## CONDENSED REPORT

### Church Membership

1. Total full members, December 31, 2004: 293,735
- 2A. Received on profession of Christian faith: 4,855 (Down 412)
- 2B. Restored by restoration or added to correct previous error: 556 (Down 217)
3. Received by transfer from other United Methodist churches: 3,114 (Down 340)
4. Received from other denominations: 3,029 (Down 392)
- 5A. Removed by Charge Conference action or to correct previous error: 3,243 (Up 589)
- 5B. Removed by withdrawal from membership: 1,240 (Down 167)
6. Removed by transfer to other United Methodist churches: 2,242 (Down 140)
7. Removed by transfer to other denominations: 1,610 (Up 23)
8. Removed by death: 3,865 (Up 120)
9. Total professing members, December 31, 2005: 293,089 (Down 646)

Asian	623	Pacific Islander	76
African American/Black	10,998	White	280,262
Hispanic	485	Multi-Racial	229
Native American	416		
	Female 164,220	Male 128,869	
10. Average attendance at the principal weekly worship service(s): 126,180 (Down 866)
11. Number of persons baptized this year (all ages): 3,977 (Down 166)
12. Number of baptized members not yet professing members: 38,019
13. Number of persons on constituency roll: 46,721 (Up 1,976)
14. Total enrolled in confirmation classes this year: 3,446 (Down 463)

### Christian Formation Groups

15. Number of leaders (teachers, administrators) for:
  - 15A. All Sunday Church School groups: 16,970 (Down 2,756)
  - 15B. All other groups for Christian formation: 7,531
16. Children (birth through sixth grade or ages 0-11) in:
  - 16A. All Sunday Church School groups: 28,959 (Down 5,354)
  - 16B. All other groups for Christian formation: 15,607
17. Youth (seventh grade through high school or ages 12-19) in:
  - 17A. All Sunday Church School groups: 15,267 (Down 4,312)
  - 17B. All other groups for Christian formation: 10,581
18. Adults (post-high school and older) in:
  - 18A. All Sunday Church School groups: 66,809 (Down 5,262)
  - 18B. All other groups for Christian formation: 28,306
19. Total Christian formation participants in:
  - 19A. Sunday Church School groups: 128,005 (Down 17,684)
  - 19B. All other groups: 62,025
- 20-22. Average attendance in:
  20. Sunday Church School (all ages): 64,607 (Down 1,831)
  21. Other ongoing classes and groups for learning: 27,458
  22. Short-term classes and groups for learning: 41,182 (Down 10,809)
23. Number of Christian formation groups: 5,121
24. Number of Christian formation participants who became professing members by profession of faith: 2,720 (Down 369)

### United Methodist Volunteers in Mission

- 25A. Number of UMVIM teams/groups sent this year: 734
- 25B. Number of church members participating in any UMVIM team this year: 4,651

### United Methodist Men

26. Membership in United Methodist Men: 14,024 (Down 185)
27. Amount paid for projects: \$1,559,711 (Up \$92,274)

### United Methodist Women

28. Membership in United Methodist Women: 34,843 (Down 1,030)
29. Amount paid for local church and community work: \$1,845,510 (Down \$24,163)

**United Methodist Youth**

- 30. Membership in United Methodist Youth: 17,018 (Down 1,583)
- 31. Amount paid for projects: \$1,595,579 (Down \$19,825)

**Weekday Ministry Programs**

- 32A. Number of weekday ministry programs: 747
- 32B. Number of persons served in weekday ministry programs: 24,320

**Property and Other Assets**

- 33. Value of church land, buildings, and equipment: \$1,731,901,431 (Up \$111,409,585)
- 34. Value of church-owned parsonages and furniture: \$140,385,174 (Up \$4,319,132)
- 35. Value of other assets (cash, securities, other property, etc.): \$204,202,984 (Up \$11,316,862)
- 36. Indebtedness on items 33, 34, and 35 at close of the year: \$119,673,067 (Up \$2,140,377)
- 37. Other indebtedness (current expenses, etc.): \$1,131,847 (Up \$136,010)

**Benevolences**

- 38C2. Total Conference Apportioned Funds and Askings paid: \$19,907,676 (Up \$1,278,444)
- 38D. World Service, Conference Benevolences, Higher Education, and Health and Human Services: \$4,788,335 (Down \$342,354)
- 40. Other general church apportioned funds: \$1,045,514 (Down \$252,937)
- 43. General Advance specials, World Service Special Gifts, conference Advance specials, and special-day offerings: \$5,003,801 (Up \$2,680,145)
- 48. District or county mission society: \$678,272 (Down \$639)
- 49. Congregational Development Asking paid: \$870,130 (Up \$300,261)
- 50. Other Benevolences sent to conference treasurer: \$362,793 (Down \$899,887)
- 51. Benevolences paid directly by local church: \$9,392,121 (Up \$1,211,199)

**Administration**

- 52. General, jurisdictional, area, and conference administration and Interdenominational Cooperation Fund: \$4,303,267 (Up \$52,577)
- 56. District administration funds: \$1,803,598 (Up \$70,862)

**Clergy Support**

- 59B. Pension and benefit funds: \$6,566,831 (Up \$781,955)
- 63. Pastors'/associates' health insurance: \$4,096,691 (Up \$109,844)
- 64. Base salaries paid pastors: \$33,717,727 (Up \$1,131,373)
- 65. Base salaries paid associates: \$4,105,433 (Up \$325,213)
- 66. Housing-related allowances, accountable reimbursements, and other cash allowances paid to/for pastors and associates: \$8,600,310 (Up \$492,232)

**Local Church Expenditures**

- 69. Total compensation and expenses of diaconal minister(s) and or deacon(s) appointed in the local church: \$1,527,457 (Up \$85,820)
- 70. Total compensation and expenses of other church employees: \$40,448,128 (Up \$2,023,326)
- 72. Other current expenses for program and operation: \$48,713,478 (Up \$2,956,958)
- 73. Principal and interest paid on indebtedness, loans, mortgages, etc.: \$28,450,902 (Up \$3,046,118)
- 74. Paid on buildings and improvements (not including funds borrowed): \$19,274,981 (Down \$5,718,210)

**United Methodist Women**

- 75. United Methodist Women funds paid to district and conference treasurers: \$1,004,398 (Down \$44,514)

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- 76. **GRAND TOTAL PAID** (lines 38D-75, excluding 59A): \$227,087,766 (Up \$8,748,284)

Charles D. White, Jr., *Secretary-Statistician*