

QUESTION 1: Who Are Members of this Conference?

- (a & b)** Presbyters and Deacons in Full Connexion with the Conference, Probationers and Ministers of other denominations who are appointed to Union and Co-operating Parishes or other Co-operative Ventures serving with the Conference and whose names are printed in the Reports on pages 15.

Representatives: As printed in the Reports, pages 17, together with such substitutes and additional Representatives as shall be advised by the District Superintendent of each Synod and are recorded in the Journal.

QUESTION 2: What members from other Conferences and Churches are associated with this Conference?

Those listed in the Reports on pages 16 and 20 together with any additions or deletions as recorded in the Journal.

QUESTION 3: What candidates are now received for training?

(a) Deacons:

None

(b) Presbyters:

Alofaifo Asiata	In a full-time programme (itinerant, Samoan speaking)
Ian Boddy	In a full-time programme (limited itinerancy, English speaking)
Kalo Kaisa	In a full-time programme (itinerant, Tongan speaking)
Alisa Lasi	In a full-time programme (itinerancy, English speaking)
Goll Fan Manukia	In a full-time programme (limited itinerancy, Tongan speaking)
Tania Shackleton	In a full-time programme (itinerant, English speaking)
Luke Tamu	In a full-time programme (itinerant, English speaking)

QUESTION 4: Who continues in training for ordained ministry?

(a) Deacons:

None

(b) Presbyters:

Kathleen Dixon	For a third year (limited itinerancy, English speaking)
Misilei Misilei	For a second year (itinerant, English speaking)
David Palelei	For a second year (itinerant, Samoan speaking)
Dale Peach	For a second year (limited itinerancy, English speaking)
Simote Taunga	For a second year (local, Tongan speaking)

QUESTION 5: Who are stationed by Conference as Probationers?

(a) Deacons:

None

(b) Presbyters:

Tony Franklin	Second year (itinerant, English speaking)
Aisea Matangi	Second year (itinerant, Tongan speaking)
Alipate 'Uhila	Second year (itinerant, English speaking)
JooHong Kim	First year (itinerant, English speaking)
Hiueni Nuku	First year (local, Tongan speaking)
Ikilifi Pope	First year (itinerant, English speaking)
David Poultney	First year (itinerant, English speaking)
Apakuki Raturucoka	First year (local Fijian ministry)
Metuisela Tafuna	First year (itinerant, English speaking)

QUESTION 6: Who are now admitted as Presbyters in Full Connexion with the Conference?

(a) Those who have completed their training?

Presbyter:

Petra Barber
Anne Griffiths
Peter Norman
Barbara Peddie
Tevita Taufalele

from another Church?

Anna Gilkinson (under the Mutual ministry Agreement, Presbyterian Church) 14/08/08
Ali'itasi Aoina-Salesa (transferred from the Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand)
Bob Sidal (from the Methodist church of Fiji)
Mele Suipi Latu (from the Free Wesleyan Church of Tonga) 27/07/08
Nasili Vaka'uta (from the Free Wesleyan Church of Tonga)

(b) Deacons:

none

QUESTION 7: Who are now ordained Deacon or Presbyter?

(a) Deacon(s):

None

(b) Presbyter(s):

Petra Barber
Anne Griffiths
Peter Norman
Barbara Peddie
Tevita Taufalele

QUESTION 8: What Minita-a-iwi:

(a) are received as candidates?

Karen Bishop

(b) have completed their training?

Ella Nelson
Solomon Nelson
Thomas Waaka

QUESTION 9:

(a) What Deacon(s) is reinstated into the Diaconate?

None

(b) What Presbyter(s) is reinstated into Full Connexion?

David (Dave) Armstrong (25/04/08)

QUESTION 10:

(a) What Deacon(s) now cease to be recognised as a Deacon(s) of the Conference?

None

(b) What Presbyter(s) now cease to be recognised as in Full Connexion with the Conference?

John Grant (resigned 17/08/08)
Jacquie Cavit (returned to the Presbyterian Church)
Jan Calvert (returned to the Presbyterian Church)

- (c) **What Presbyter(s) now cease to be recognised as a Probationer with the Conference?**
None
- (d) **What students have discontinued their training?**
None
- (e) **What Presbyter(s) have been received as Associate of Synod?**
Marilyn Loken
Stephen Tema
Jan Calvert

QUESTION 11: What appointments are authorised to provide remuneration at a rate less than Standard Stipend?

- A. For full-time Ministers requesting not to receive a full stipend (the balance to be paid to Supply Ministry Fund):
- (a) **Deacon(s):**
None
- (b) **Presbyter(s):**
None
- B. For full-time or part-time Local Ministries (with no remuneration) with Ministry Covenant (*full or part-time*):
- (a) **Deacon(s):**
Shirley-Joy Barrow (Part-time)
Brenda Fawkner (Part-time)
Dianne C Hight (Part-time)
Francis Westaway (Part-time)
- (b) **Presbyter(s):**
Margaret Donald (Part-time)
Viliami Finau (Part-time)
Kilifi Heimuli (Part-time)
Limu Isaia (Part-time)
Mosese Manukia (Part-time)
Christina Morunga (Part-time)
Holakitu'akolo Paea (Part-time)
Barbara Peddie (Part-time)
David Rolinson (Part-time)
'Inoke Siulangapo (Part-time)
Molia Tu'itupou (Part-time)
Tamata'ane Tupou (Part-time)
Langi'ila Uasi (Part-time)
Robyn E Westaway (Part-time)
- C. For part-time ministries (remuneration pro rata) with a Ministry Covenant:
- (a) **Deacon(s):**
Margaret Birtles
Valma E Hallam
- (b) **Presbyter(s):**
Tony Bell
Robyn Allen Goudge
Maureen Calman
K Desmond Cooper
Joanne Durrant
Doris Elphick
Laurie Ennor
Sandra Gibbons
Cornelia Grant

Margaret Hall
Alan Judge
Rachel Judge
Alifeleti Vaitu'ulala Ngahe
Alalafaga Palelei
Ikilifi Pope
Vaikoloa Kilikiti
Setaita Kinahoi Veikune
Falaniko Mann-Taito
Kepu Moa
Rodney Routledge
Kenneth Smith
Susan Thompson
Peni Tikoinaka
Paul Tregurtha

QUESTION 12: What Deacon(s) or Presbyter(s) is transferred to, or is now exercising ministry in, another Conference or Church, whether overseas or in New Zealand, and has the right to return to the Conference on the completion of service with that Conference or Church?

(a) Deacon(s):

None

(b) Presbyter(s):

Andrew R Ferguson (Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand)
Marie Greenwood (British Methodist Church)
Kenneth Olsen (Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand)
Russell Rigby (Methodist Church, Britain)
Neil Keesing (Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa New Zealand)

QUESTION 13: What Deacon(s) or Presbyter(s) has been received from another Conference or Church?

(a) Deacon(s):

None

(b) Presbyter(s):

Ilaitia Sevati Tuwera (serving as Lecturer for the College of the Diocese of Polynesia, St Johns College) (attached to Mt Roskill Fiji Congregation – non Stipendiary)

QUESTION 14: What Deacon(s) or Presbyter(s) has been received on secondment from another Church, to serve under the Conference, and after the completion of the secondment to return to the Church of their origin?

(a) Deacon(s):

None

(b) Presbyter(s):

Maureen Calman (The Anglican Church in Aotearoa New Zealand and Polynesia)
Geraldine Coats (Christian Churches of New Zealand)
Taufa Filiai, (Free Wesleyan Church of Tonga)

QUESTION 15: For what Deacon(s) or Presbyter(s) is there no appointment available?

(a) Deacon(s):

Richard Williams

(b) Presbyter(s):

David Alley
Wallis Browne
Susan Thompson (Half time)

QUESTION 16: What Deacon(s) or Presbyter(s) are not available for stationing this year?
(all ministries recorded under this question shall have prepared a Ministry Covenant)

(a) Deacon(s):

Chaplaincies and other ministries

Shirley-Joy Barrow, MNZSA, Assoc Member NZAC, City Missioner Wanganui

(b) Presbyter(s):

(i) Chaplaincies and other Ministries

Ian MacLeod, Chaplain Timaru Hospital

Lindsay E Cumberpatch, BA, LTh, Director, Methodist City Action (Hamilton)

Greg Hughson, MSc, BD, Ecumenical Tertiary Chaplain, Otago

Tavake Manu Ecumenical Chaplain, Burnham Military Camp

Ali'itasi Aoina Salesa, Head of Life and Faith, Wesley College

Hausia Taufui (Chaplain, Christchurch Hospital)

Paul R Trebilco, BSc(Hons), BD, PhD, Professor of New Testament Studies,

Dept of Theology and Religious Studies – University of Otago

Uesifili Unasa, MA (Auck), BD (Otago), McLaurin Chaplain, University of Auckland

(ii) Other

Alison Cable, BTheol (Auck)

Lynne Wall, BA, BD, PhD

Janet Marsh, B Theol (Hons) (Otago) (with permission to be out of New Zealand)

Alex Webster, B Theol (Otago) PG Dip Theol (Otago) (with permission to be out of New Zealand)

QUESTION 17: What Deacon(s) and Presbyter(s) retire at this Conference?

(a) Deacons:

Lorna Goodwin

(b) Presbyters:

Alan Leadley, MA BD

Anne Millar

Graeme McIver, MA

QUESTION 18: What Deacons and Presbyters continue in retirement?

(a) Deacons (Deaconesses):

David Bryant B June Higham

Margaret Bryant Stan Hunt

Raewyn Cubin Jean I McInnes, MBE

Kay Wicks Malcolm McLeod

R Harvey Dalton Rita Reid

June Fuller Elva M Reynolds, QSM

June L Gibson Rachel Tregurtha

Edna E Evans Piula A Unasa-Su, QSM, JP

(b) Presbyters:

Bryant S L Abbott	G Basil W Bell	Edwin B. Clarke, BD Hns (Melb), MA,
William K Abbott	Trevor L Bennett	Dip Mgmt
Gordon Abernethy, Dip Tchg, Dip Soc Sci	John Bilverstone	Ian L Clarke, ACA
Roy Alexander	Warren Blundell,	Lois R H Clarke, BA, LTCL
Robert Allan	Lewis A Bowen, DipRE	Ashley Corlett, LTh
Mavis Ambler	Edward P Boyd	Hughan M Craig
Audrey P Ancrum	Norman Brookes, MA (Hons)	B Anne Dargaville
Robert S Andrews	Jean Bruce, LTh, B Theol	Arthur W Dickie, CEng, MInstE, MIPENZ
David H Ansell	Margaret E Burnett, BSc, Dip Appl,	Audrey N Dickinson, LTh
H Mary Astley	Soc Sc	Mervyn Dickinson, BA, BD, PhD
Edward Baker	Douglas H Burt	Mervyn L Dine
Frederick J K Baker	Wilfred J Cable	Bruno Egli
Marcia J Baker	M Jackson Campbell	William Elderton, LTh, MA, DipNZLS,
Stanley Barnes, BA (Rhodes)	Clive Chandler	ANZIA
	William A Chessum, Mus B	I W Les Ferguson, LTh, STH

Edna J Garner, Cert Ed	Bruce E Mackie	Stuart G Slinn
Norma George	Derek McNicol	G Clive Smith, LTh
Hendrik Gerritsen, BA, BD	Lisiate Manu'atu	Margaret Springett, LTh
Loyal J Gibson	C Russell Marshall	Peter A Stead, BA
Geoffrey T Gilbert	John Meredith	Barbara Stephens, BSocial
Wilfred S Gilbert	Barbara I Miller	Anne Stephenson, LTh, Cert Christian
Norman J Goreham, BA(B'ham), BD(Lond)	David S Mullan, MA, Dip Ed	Min, SRN
Stanley R Goudge, BA	Barry W Neal MA, DipEd	David G Stubbs
Keith C Griffith, MBE	John B Nesbit	Lane M Tauroa, BA
Edmund D Grounds	Alan Newman, MA (Hons)	Peni Mafi Ta'ufo'ou
Warwick Gust, BA, BD (Melb)	Nomani Noa	Keith Taylor, BA
Phyllis M Guthardt, DBE, MA, PhD(Camb), HonD(Waik)	Beverley Osborn, MA, DipTheol, Cert Soc Wk	Kerry Taylor, BA, Dip Ed
John R Hall	John H Osborne, MA	Philip F Taylor
George M Hammond	Judith Parkes	Gillian A Telford
E Francis I Hanson, BA, BD. TheolM, DTheol (Fellow of Trinity College)	Henry Heremia Pate	Morehu (Buddy) Te Whare
Barry Harkness, BA, BD	Marion Peterson BTheol (Melb)	Neville Thornicroft
Graham Hawkey	Donald J Phillipps, BA, BD (Fellow Trinity College)	Ken Toomer, LTh
Ernest Heppelthwaite	David H Pond, ACIA, ACAA (UK), MIPS (NZ)	Geoffrey Tucker
C Brice Herbert	David Pratt	A Fa'aoso Tugia
Roger J E Hey	Don Prince	Shirley Ungemuth
Elizabeth Hopner, SRN, BTheol	Beverley Pullar	Ralph Vickers, LTh, ACM
Maxwell A Hornblow	Ruawai D Rakena, BA	Douglas Wakeling
C Seton Horrill	Loraine Reid, BA Hns	Napi Waaka, OBE
John S Hosking, MA, Dip Mus	Gillian Richards	William L Wallace, BA, DipEd
Patricia M Jacobson, BA, LTh	Douglas I Rogers LLB(Hons), BD(Hons), MTh	Alexander C Watson
Russell E James	Wendie Rosewell	Alan C Webster, MA, MDiv, EdD, PhD
Colin G Jamieson, Dip RE (Melb)	Percy P Rushton, BA, BD	P Joan Wedding
Barry E Jones, BA	Kenneth H Russell	Norman West
Graham Kane	John Salmon MA(Hons), ThM(Princeton), PhD, LTh(Hons), STh(Hons), CA, ACIS, Fellow of Trinity College	Peter West
Jessie Kerr, Cert Theol	Elia Samusamuvodre	Stan West
Henry W Kitchingman	Leonard P Schroeder BA, BD(Melb)	Graham H Whaley BA, BD, Cert Tchg
Derek G Laws, FCA, ACIS	Ashley Sedon, LTh (Hons), BTP	Raymond G Wicks
Evan R Lewis, MSc, BA	Harry I Shaw	Frank H Woodfield
Vilma Loader MA (Hons), LTh, Cert Comm Psych Care (Otago)	Trevor Shepherd	Owen T Woodfield, BA
John C F Mabon	Robert D Short	Alan K Woodley, BA
Archibald W McKay		Jack Wright
		Mikaele Yasa
		Gloria Zanders BTheol (Melb)

QUESTION 19: What Deacons, Minita-a-iwi and Presbyters have died since last Conference?

(a) Deacons / Deaconess:

Rona Collins
Margaret Denham (Sister Margaret Kippenberger)
A. Joan Lawry

(b) Minita-a-iwi:

(c) Presbyters:

Dave Armstrong
Irwin Fowler
Colin Leadley

QUESTION 20: What Laypersons who have given leadership in the Conference have died since last Conference?

(a) Taha Maori:

- (b) **Tauiwi:**
Ken Christiansen
Dorothy Ford (Nee Irvine)
Mabel Grocott
Ivan Hall
Roy Hasseldine

QUESTION 21: Are there any congregations where, for imperative pastoral considerations, others than Presbyters, should have authority to administer the Sacraments?

- (a) South Hokianga
Bay of Islands
Kaeo Kerikeri
St James Onerahi
St Pauls, Kamo
Auckland Central Parish
Onehunga
Aotea Chapel
Bond Chapel
Glen Innes
Hindi Language Fellowship (Auckland District)
Rotuman Fellowship Kingsland (Auckland Central Parish)
Great Barrier Island Community Church
Auckland Manukau Tongan
Mangere Otahuhu
Pukekohe
Tokoroa Samoan
Tauranga Tongan
Hamilton
Hamilton East
St Paul's Hamilton Tongan
Waikato Fijian Ministry
Trinity United Whangamata
Opotiki Union
Taranaki/Wanganui Synod
Opunake Co-operating
Manawatu Regional Church
Mangapapa Union
Palmerston North Tongan
Wesley Hastings
Milson
Mangapapa Union
Levin Tongan
Hutt City Uniting Parish
Porirua Samoan
Upper Hutt Uniting Parish
Upper Hutt Tongan
Wesley Wellington Tongan
Tawa Tongan
Buller Union
Greymouth District Uniting
Blenheim Tongan
Richmond/Shirley Parish
Rangiora
Oamaru Union Parish
Oamaru Tongan
Hornby/Riccarton Parish
Waimate
Dunedin Tongan
Teviot Union

Riverton Union
Otatara Community Church
Alexandra-Clyde-Lauder Union Parish

(b) Who are now given special authority to administer the Sacraments?

Te Taha Maori:

Tai Tokerau

Mere Cassidy
Winiata Morunga
Rex Nathan
Wiremu Waiomio

Tamaki

Kiri Haretuku
Jim Rauwhero (retired)
Sonny Livingstone

Waikato

John Kopa
Sunnah Thompson
Mara Tupaea

Te Rohe Potae

Ella Nelson
Solomon Nelson
Thomas Waaka
Barney Winikerei

Taranaki

Jim George
Syd Kershaw
Jim Ngarewa
Barry Whakaruru

South Island

Taiwi:

Northland District	- Rosalie Gwilliam
Bay of Islands	- Ann Pearson
	- Frank Leadley
Kaero Kerikeri	- Jan Gough
South Hokianga	- John Askew (additional to Local Presbyter)
St James Onerahi	- Lucy Armon
St Pauls, Kamo	- Alan Rowe
Whangarei Hospice	- Andrea Williamson
Fiji Indian Fellowship	- Balchand Karan
Rotuman Fellowship	- Susau Strickland
Great Barrier Island	- Maurice Handisides
Pukekohe	- 'Alipate 'Uhila (Probationer)
Auckland Central Parish	- William (Bill) Peddie
Onehunga	- Ikilifi Pope (Probationer)
Aotea Chapel	- Tony Franklin (Probationer)
Bond Chapel	- Sheila Thorne
Glen Innes	- Metuisela Tafuna (Probationer)
Mangere Otahuhu	- Sua Vili
	- Matilda Parker
Auckland Manukau Tongan	- Sione Fifita
	- Moi Kaufononga
	- Mafua Lolohea

	- Aisea Matangi (Probationer)
	- Taniela Tae Kei
	- Sione Tonga
	- 'Uha'one Metuisela
Tokoroa	- Letoa Alesana Letoa
Tauranga Tongan	- Sione Tonga Vaomotou
Trinity United Parish	- John Watson
	- Freeman Raine
Hamilton	- David Poultney (Probationer)
St Paul's Tongan	- Sekope Moli
Hamilton East Tongan	- Sione Molitika
Rotorua	- Alipate Cook
Taranaki/Wanganui Synod	- Tom Thompson
	- Margie Bishop
	- Brenda Fawkner
	- Shirley-Joy Barrow
Opunake	- Mary Nicholas
	- Donald Gillbanks
	- Barbara Hooper
Manawatu Region	- Sydney Easton
	- Gordon Green
	- Helen Starck
	- Judy Gore
	- Lindsay Taylor
Palmerston North Tongan	- Saia Fia
Patea Cooperating	- John Hill
Wesley Hastings	- Dennis Coon
Milson	- Noel Watts
Mangapapa	- Stewart Patrick
Wesley Wellington Tongan	- Tevita Finau
Tawa Tongan	- Hiueni Nuku (Probationer)
Levin Tongan	- Siela Fakavale Nau
Upper Hutt Tongan	- Sione Na'a Sina
Blenheim Tongan	- Samiu Fotu
Buller Union	- Kate Redman
Greymouth Uniting	- Thelma Efford
Central Sth Is	- Heather Walls
(Hornby/Riccarton)	- Rita Reid (to Rest Homes)
Rangiora	- Rachel Tregurtha
	- Richard Ridout
Richmond Shirley	- Joohong Kim (Probationer)
	- Bruce McCallum (and Rest Homes)
Oamaru Tongan	- Melesetina Kaufana
Waimate	- Christine Bailey
Dunedin Tongan	- Palanite Taungapeau
Teviot Union	- Lyndon Weggery
	- Bettie Lawson
Riverton Union	- Anne Stoddart
	- Ernest Willis
Otatara Community Church	- Steve Harrex
Alexandra-Clyde-Lauder	- Alan Graves
	- Linda Armstrong

QUESTION 22:

- (a) **Does the Conference sanction the amalgamation, division or naming of any Synod, Parish.**

Hawkes Bay/Manawatu, Taranaki/Wanganui, Wellington Districts amalgamate to become the Lower North Island Synod

8360 Geraldine Co-operating Parish becomes Geraldine Presbyterian Church and the co-operating agreement is dissolved
9090 Balclutha Parish is closed
Sinoti Samoa has divided the Papatōetoe/Otara Parish to form two new parishes: 9570 Papatōetoe Samoan Parish, 9615 Otara, and one further new parish 9610 Mangere Central Samoan Parish
2180 Northcote and 2140 Takapuna amalgamate from 1 February 2008 under 2140 Northcote Takapuna Parish
6010 Wesley Wellington and 6100 Mana Parish become Wellington Methodist Parish

(b) What other Agreements affecting Parishes and/or Use of Buildings are approved by Conference?

(c) What covenant relationships has the Methodist Church entered into?

8180 Kaiapoi Co-operating Parish, 8190 Rangiora and 8210 Oxford District Union Parish have entered into a covenant to work together
8270 Richmond Shirley Parish and North Avon Presbyterian Parish have entered into a covenant to work together
4030 Stratford Methodist Parish and Stratford Anglican Parish have entered into a covenant to work together
4050 Hawera Methodist Parish and Hawera Anglican Parish, Patea Cooperating Parish and Waverley - Waitotara Cooperating Parish have entered into a covenant to work together

QUESTION 23

(a) To what Parishes/Rohe are additional deacons, Minita-a-Iwi, or Presbyters appointed?:

The Rev Utumau'u Pupulu changes from local part-time to stipended presbyter

(b) From what Parishes/Rohe are Deacons, Minita-a-Iwi or Presbyters withdrawn?:

Mangere-Otahuhu Parish reduced to half time stipendiary