

# BENEFITS CORPORATION

## BOARD OF TRUSTEE PASTORAL NOMINEE

INCUMBENT

Dr. Donald W. Metz  
306 Coventry Lane  
Lititz, PA 17543



### Christian Experience:

I went to the altar to avoid hell in my 15<sup>th</sup> year at East Greenville E.C. Church

I fully committed my life to Christ when my wife and I attended an OMS convention when I was 25 years of age. I responded to God's call to ministry and attended United Wesley College, completed my BA in Bible at Asbury College, Completed my Masters of Divinity at Asbury Seminary and completed my Dr. of Ministries at Trinity International University. I am fully committed to whatever God has in store for me.

Church Affiliation and Membership: Lititz Trinity E. C. Church

Church Leadership: I am retired as a pastor of over 40 years.

### Educational Background: .

B. S. Degree – Asbury College  
M. Div. Degree – Asbury Seminary  
D. Min. Degree – Trinity International University

### Professional Life:

All pastoral responsibilities...  
2003 - Present—Trustee, Board of Trustees, Benefits Corporation  
2005 – Present – Secretary of the Board

Hobbies: Sports and computers do occupy much of my time.

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REV. JEFFREY C. SCHELL  
420 West High Street, Manheim, PA 17545



LOCAL CHURCH AFFILIATION: Pastor, Trinity E.C. - Manheim (PA) (30 yrs)

DENOMINATIONAL INVOLVEMENT: Current- Benefits Corp. Trustee (11 yrs), Stationing Elder (7 yrs), District Field Director (Red Rose District), N.C. Worship Team, guitar. Previous- Joint Conference Relations Committee (chairman 6 yrs) Susquehanna Region Conference Relations Committee (vice - chairman 9 yrs.), Administrative Council (10yrs), Short-Term Missions Committee (14 yrs., previous chairman-13yrs); Christian Education Committee (8yrs), Church Education Development Committee (6yrs), Division of Evangelism and Spiritual Care (4yrs), Twin Pines Summer Camp Associate Director/Director (14yrs), Delegate to General Conference, Mentor/Coach.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT: Current- Active in Manheim Ministerium; Chairman of Manheim Youth Aid Panel; Previous- Baccalaureate Planning Committee for Manheim Central High School; Soccer Coach for Manheim Soccer Club.

IDENTIFIABLE SPIRITUAL GIFTS: Pastor/shepherd; Exhortation; Leadership; Teaching.

Information about Jeffrey C. Schell:

- Born and raised in Hershey, Pennsylvania.
- 1964 - Accepted Jesus Christ as Savior at Palmyra First E.C. Church.
- 1972 - Graduated from Hershey High School.
- 1973-80 Part-time missionary with Teen Missions International leading Summer work & evangelistic teams to Mexico, Colombia, Peru, Dominica, Philippines, Honduras, & Brazil (3x's).
- 1979 - undergraduate courses (6 cr.) at the Institute of Holy Land Studies/ Jerusalem, Israel, '79.
- 1981 - Licensed to preach by the Evangelical Congregational Church.
- 1981 - Bachelor of Arts Degree in Missions/Pastoral Ministries from United Wesleyan College (Summa Cum Laude).

- 1981 - Leader for E.C. denominational evangelistic team to Scotland,
- 1984 - Ordained Deacon by the Evangelical Congregational Church.
- 1984 - Master of Divinity Degree from Evangelical School of Theology (Magna Cum Laude).
- 1984 - Participated in dedication of the Korafe N.T. translated by Farr's, in Papua New Guinea.
- 1985 - Ordained Elder by the Evangelical Congregational Church,
- 1978-87 – Youth Pastor & Associate Pastor of Boulevard E.C. Church., Allentown, Pennsylvania (9 years).
- 1987-2017 - Presently serving as pastor of Trinity E.C. Church, Manheim Pa. (30yrs)

## STATIONING ELDER NOMINEE –GREAT LAKES REGION BUCKEYE DISTRICT

Name: Rev. Charles Campbell

Address: 7666 Pegotty Drive NE, Warren, OH 44484

Church Affiliation: Southington, Delightful

Church Leadership: Pastor

What are your spiritual gifts? Teaching, Pastoring, Leadership and Faith



What specialized ministry training have you had in the past (5) years? Training for Conference Minister; workshops to train for PAC; Small town pastors conferences (2x); several ETS seminars; District Field Director Training

In what community organizations and community ministries are you active? Four southing churches do Pre-Christmas and Good Friday services together, not officially organized.

Why do you want to become a stationing elder? The former and current positions I hold with the denomination have provided me with the education and skills to serve as Stationing Elder and I would like to make good use of those skills.

## STATIONING ELDER NOMINEE –GREAT LAKES REGION ALLEGHENY DISTRICT

Name: Rev. Terry Jacobs

Address: 106 S. 7<sup>th</sup> Ave., Clarion, PA 16214

Church Affiliation: Riverhill E.C. Church, Clarion

Church Leadership: Pastor

What are your spiritual gifts? Evangelism, church planting, church growth

What specialized ministry training have you had in the past (5) years? Doctor of ministry degree in church growth from Liberty University, Baptist Theological Seminary

In what community organizations and community ministries are you active? E. C. Church ministerium, local Campus Crusade for Christ at Clarion University

Why do you want to become a stationing elder? I want to use my degree and spiritual gifts to not just benefit my church but also the Great Lakes Region



# TWIN PINES CAMP BOARD OF TRUSTEES

INCUMBENT

Name: Cynthia Raezer

Address: 128 North Academy Dr., Ephrata, PA 17522

Church Affiliation: Grace E.C. Church, Akron, PA

Local Church Involvement:

- Guitar player for the praise band
- Leader of the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grad youth group
- Member of the Discipleship Commission
- Small Group Leader
- Vacation Bible School Teacher

Denominational Involvement:

Responsibilities as a member of the Twin Pine Board of Directors

- Director of Moms and Gals Camp
- Member of the Programming Task Force
- Secretary
- Co-director of Children's Retreat
- Volunteer Hostess

Community Involvement:

Involved in the Ephrata Track Booster Club

Spiritual Gifts:

Teaching and Leadership