

THE HOUSE OF GOD

WHICH IS THE CHURCH OF THE LIVING GOD
THE PILLAR AND GROUND OF THE TRUTH
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KEITH DOMINION | 1 TIMOTHY 3:15-16



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To: North Carolina Diocese
From: Bishop Charlene M. Jamison, Jurisdictional Prelate
Date: Friday, January 23, 2026
Re: Ministers' Council 2026



1 Timothy 4:6 (KJV) “*If thou put the brethren in remembrance of these things, thou shalt be a good minister of Jesus Christ, nourished up in the words of faith and of good doctrine, whereunto thou hast attained.*”

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DIOCESE

Grace and peace to each of you. I am truly elated to greet you in the Spirit of love, excellence, and purpose. As we continue navigating the shifting waters of life, its challenges, its victories, and its unexpected turns, I remain in prayer for your strength, your resilience, and your unwavering commitment to the Word of God.

The Ministers' Council stands as a strategic leadership body within our Diocese. Its purpose is to support, equip, and empower those serving in active ministry roles, as well as those who are prayerfully discerning their call to leadership through the guidance of the Holy Ghost. This Council provides structure, accountability, and professional development, ensuring that every leader is prepared to serve with clarity, integrity, and spiritual authority.

After more than seven months of focused study, prayer, and intentional preparation, I am honored to formally introduce the **Leaders in Training: Ministers' Council Workbook** to the North Carolina Diocese. This comprehensive resource has been designed to strengthen your walk with God, deepen your self-awareness, and expand your capacity to impact the lives of those you are called to lead. It is a tool for growth, reflection, and strategic development.

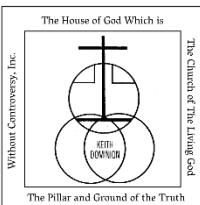
This initiative is more than a workbook; it is a **collaborative pathway for us to grow together**. As we engage this material collectively, we elevate our leadership culture, sharpen our ministry practices, and build a unified foundation for transformative service. Through shared learning, we strengthen our Diocese and position ourselves for greater effectiveness and impact.

After a meeting held on August 12, 2025, the following individuals met on Zoom and agreed to serve in the offices listed below. Therefore, I am pleased to officially introduce the **Official North Carolina Diocese Ministers' Council Leadership Team**. As your Jurisdictional Prelate, I ask that you pray for them, communicate with them, and work in partnership with them. We can no longer afford leadership that is passive or routine. We must be intentional, productive, and committed to ensuring that our work produces measurable, meaningful, and transformative results.

I strongly encourage **every Pastor and every Minister of every rank** to secure your personal copy of the workbook **before the postmark deadline of Monday, February 16, 2026**. Workbooks will be delivered to Pastors on **Saturday, March 7, 2026**, during the **86th Holy Gathering** (commonly known as the 2026 State Assembly), convening in Raleigh, NC, on **March 5–8, 2026**. For updates and additional information, please visit www.HOGCKD.org/holygathering.

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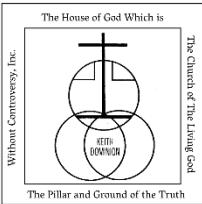
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May the blessings of the Lord rest upon you. May His wisdom guide your decisions, His strength empower your service, and His Spirit lead you into greater levels of excellence and purpose.

PART II: NCD Minister's Council Officials

NCD State Ministers' Council Officer	NCD State Ministers' Council Position	NCD Ministers' Council State Term of Appointment
Bishop Charlene M. Jamison	NCD MC Senior Advisor & <i>Jurisdictional Prelate</i>	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Tr. Bishop Mary L. Lebby	NCD MC Supervisor & <i>Assistant Bishop</i>	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
State Elder Brad Rogers	Interim President	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Tr. Elder Mary Barnes	Interim Vice - President	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Dr. D. Devon Griffin	Special Agent & Interim State Media Liaison	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Reverend LaTonya Rogers	Planning Director	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Reverend Dianne Douglas	Assistant Planning Director & Assistant Chaplin	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Tr. Bishop Melody Fonville	Advisory Team Member	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
State Elder Dr. Samuel Moore	Advisory Team Member	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Reverend Sallie Barrett	Advisory Team Member & Chaplin	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Tr. Elder Dorothy Washington	Secretary	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
Tr. Elder LaTasha Myers	Assistant Secretary	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
To Be Determined	Treasurer	August 12, 2025 – until the 2027 Holy Gathering (State Assembly)
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PART III: How to order your LIT: Minister's Council Workbook

Pastors, please use the form located at www.HOGCKD.org/ministers for ordering.

God bless you all.

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2026 NORTH CAROLINA DIOCESE
MINISTERS' COUNCIL
SCHEDULE | *EMPOWERING THE VOICES OF TODAY TO BECOME THE LEADERS OF TOMORROW*

21 MARCH 11:00 AM ON ZOOM

18 APRIL 11:00 AM ON ZOOM

18 JULY 11:00 AM @ *RALEIGH

10 OCTOBER 11:00 AM @ *RALEIGH

"I MUST WORK THE WORKS OF HIM THAT SENT ME, WHILE IT IS DAY: THE NIGHT COMETH, WHEN NO MAN CAN WORK." JOHN 9:4.

* IN PERSON SESSION AT:
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**TR. BISHOP MARY L. LEBBY
ASSISTANT BISHOP**

**STATE ELDER BRAD ROGERS
M.C. INTERIM PRESIDENT**

**WE JUST GOT IT
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THE INITIATIVE TO PREPARE TODAY'S
GENERATION FOR TOMORROW'S
MINISTERS' COUNCIL WORKBOOK