Aynor UMC
Worksheet for Church Officers 2004
2005 Church Year

Lay Leader
Church Council Chair
Recording Secretary
Finance Committee Chair
Trustee Chair
Lay Member to Annual Conference
Alternate to Annual Conference
PPRC Chair
Church Treasurer
Coordinator of Communications
Church Historian
Director of Music
Membership Secretary
Church School Director
Evangelism Chair
Missions Chair
Church and Society
Worship Chair
Parsonage Committee Chair
Family Min. Coordinator
Children’s Min. Coordinator
Youth Min. Coordinator
Adult Min. Coordinator
Young Adult Min. Coordinator
Disaster Relief Coordinator
Secretary of Comm. on Lay Leadership

Darrell Ricketts 2007
Stan Woodle 2005
Beth Davis 2005
Paul Dusenbury 2005
TBA
John Boyd
Dot Andrew?
Irene Bell
Rachel Dawsey
Leanne Altman 2005
Carlisle Dawsey
Sylvia Page
Jackie Hardwick
Michelle Altman 2006
Cynthia Soles 2005
Don Hopson 2005
Dina Hutson 2007
Francis Floyd
Beth Davis
Rachel Dawsey
Angela Roberts
Paul Butler
to be elected

Members at Large for Church Council
Susan Chandler 05  Charles Dawsey 06  Dean James 07
Al Alvarez 05  Sara Whitner 06  Jody Hutson 07
Joanne Joyner 05  Karen Weisen 06  Donna Nance 07

Youth Members:  UMYF Presidents
Young Adult Members:  Aaron Graham 07, Trey Andrew 05

All persons listed above are members of the Church Council and also members of the Charge Conference
MINUTES OF THE CHARGE CONFERENCE, 2004

The Charge Conference for the Aynor Charge of the Marion District of the South Carolina Annual Conference was held October 10, 2004 at Aynor UMC chaired by Rev. Dennis J. Mardis.

A devotional service was conducted by Dr. Quay Adams.

The following members were present (see attached sheet).

I. Reports (need not be read, highlights may be given)
   Report of Church Council/Council on Ministries
   Report of the Pastor
   Report of other clergy
   Report of Trustees
   Report of the Committee on Lay Leadership
   Other Reports (oral or written) - UMM, UMW, UMYF, etc.

II. What are your charge's cross racial experiences (pulpit exchanges, choir exchanges, joint projects, dialogue, etc.)?

Community Wide Thanksgiving Service

III. Pastoral Support (attach signed form)

IV. Personnel

1. Who are recommended by the Pastor/Parish Relations Committee:
   (a) as candidates for ordained ministry (¶ 246.8, 306.3b)?
   Name           Address

2. List the names of the persons this church has given to the United Methodist Ministry?
   Name           Address           Telephone

(b) for continuation as candidates for ordained ministry (¶ 246.9, 307)?
   Name           Address           Telephone

   David Best     4039 Roosevelt Ave. Wallace, S.C. 843 921 4409
3. Who are recommended as certified lay speakers (¶ 246.11, 266-269)?

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V. What percent of apportionments were paid in 2003? 100%  What do you expect to pay in 2004? 100%  
If you are not paying 100% of your apportionments, what are your plans to move toward 100% payment?

Person(s) in each church to be bonded (name, address, telephone):

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<td>Jackie Harwick</td>
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Has a 2003 Audit been conducted and report submitted to District Office? Yes

Signature:

Presiding Elder

Secretary
3. Who are recommended as Certified Lay Speakers?
William D. Altman
John C. Boyd
Carlisle Dawsey
Linda Gerrald
Don Hopson
Donna Hucks
Cynthia Soles
Allen Vaught
Tammy Vaught

4. Who are recommended as Local Church Lay Speakers?
Betty Boyd
Steve Weisen
Dear Church Council Members,

As you are aware, we held a planning luncheon on February 8 and it was wonderful. Beth did a great job on the meal and our participation was very good. During the meeting, rather than simply calendar the year's upcoming events, we took some time to discuss the larger picture of ministry in our setting. We did this over 4 questions:

1. What is our mission, or what have we been gathered by God to do?
2. Based on #1, what areas of our life together need attention?
3. What are the needs of people who are a part of our fellowship?
4. What are the needs of persons outside our church?

Our discussion was open and engaging. Some of what was reflected included the following:

Need for greater communication / People who have "fallen though the cracks"
Stress our church faces over volunteerism / Singles and Single parents
Need for more "unstructured time" together / Men and women's study groups
Creating opportunities for young adults / Sunday School meetings about increasing fellowship / The needs of persons for safe places of support -and support group options

As I said, these were just some of the points of discussion. We all acknowledged that more time and dialogue is a pressing needed to really address who we are and where we are going as a faith family. So on March 14, we will sit down again for further conversation about where we go from here. I invite you to be there at 5:00. This time, we won't serve a meal but I hope that you will take the time to look at the 4 questions above, especially #3, #4. Think, pray and record what you feel are your responses, then bring those with you. Let me just remind you again, that while our times of calendaring are very important, this will not primarily be one of those moments.

I look forward to seeing you on the 14th.

Dennis J. Mardis
AYNOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
CHURCH COUNCIL
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Aynor United Methodist Church  Aynor Marion District  South Carolina Aynor Charge Conference
For the period beginning September 21, 2003, and ending October 10, 2004.
(Note: This report runs from Charge Conference to Charge Conference.)

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   1. Number of infants Baptized since last report? 3
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      b. Who has been removed to full membership, to the constituency roll, and otherwise?
   4. Who has been received into full membership since the last report?
      a. On confession of faith or restored?
      b. From other United Methodist churches?
      c. From other denominations?
   5. Who has been removed since the last report?
      a. By action of the Charge Conference, withdrawal, expulsion, or roll audit?
      b. By transfer to other United Methodist churches?
      c. By transfer to other denominations?
      d. By death?

III. MEMBERSHIP AUDIT
   6. Have the membership rolls been audited? No
      *Number removed by Roll Audit included in 5(a) __________
   7. (a) Who have moved from your community since the last Charge Conference? (Record as a supplement.)
      (b) What has been done to relate them to another church? (Record as a supplement.)
      (c) Did you use the United Methodist Men’s "Moving United Methodist" Program? Yes ____ No ____

Signed ____________________
Date __________

Use additional sheets to report the STATE OF THE CHURCH and to give an account of pastoral ministry as required by The Book of Discipline. Include as a part of the report a statement outlining the pastor’s program of CONTINUING EDUCATION for the year.
I. BAPTISMS
1. Number of infants baptized since last report? 3 – Mary Kate Lovell & Cameron Mardis (April 2004), Corbin Hucks (September 2004)
2. All others: children, youth, adults? 2 – Catherine Bagnal (November 2003), Kim Noel (May 2004)

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3. a. Who has been received into preparatory membership since the last report?
Emily & Gavin Hutson (February 2004) Mary Kate Lovell, Cameron Mardis (April 2004), Corbin Hucks (September 2004), Catherine Bagnal (November 2003), Kathryn & Trey Johnson (September 2004)
b. 0
4. Who has been received into full membership since the last report?
a. On confession of faith or restored? Kim Noel (May 2004)
b. From other United Methodist churches? Diane Bagnal (Nov. 2003), Jody, Dina & Jeremy Hutson (February 2004), Garland Johnson & Angela Johnson (September 2004), Julia Watson (February 2004)
c. From other denominations? Erica Huey & William Graham (May 2004)
5. Who has been removed since the last report?
a. 0
b. 0
c. By transfer to other denominations? Angela Jordan, Leanne Dusenbury, Patricia Grant.
d. By death? Lonnie Martin (Nov. 2003), Jean Best (Nov. 2003), Thelma Dawsey (Mar. 2004), Sara Johnson N/A, Jamie Best (June 2004), Dave Altman (July 2004)

III. Membership Audit
7. a. Who have moved from your community since the last Charge Conference?
None
b. N/A
c. No
Report of the Pastor – 2004
State of the Church

In preparing this report, I took the time to look back at my words about the church in last year's Charge Conference. I was pleased at how much I said then that remains true a year later. In that report I affirmed, that despite limited time in Aynor, I had found it to be a strong congregation with a good spirit and a positive outlook for the future. All of those things have remained unchanged through the year. From the pastor's office, ministry and relationships appear to be in good condition.

Over this past year we have worked to enhance our life and service together. In this calendar year we addressed the issues that had been in question regarding the parsonage. I was pleased that both the current committee and those responsible for future needs deemed it appropriate to take action to update the parsonage, rather than building at this time. Also in connection with property, AUMC has purchased another portion of land which joins its campus, thus providing space for future parking or expansion needs. During this year, our Council also moved to purchase new computers and software for the office staff, which has aided in the day to day work of ministry.

Our weekly worship continues to be warm and well attended. We have seen a number of families come into our church over this past year. Several of those have committed themselves to our congregation in membership. Our other weekly efforts have been fruitful and faithfully attended. Several seasonal moments were added this past year and were very well received.

In thinking about what has changed since last year, I can only say that while last year I was a newcomer who anticipated good things, this year I speak as one who has experienced this goodness. I am very thankful for the good working relationships that I have enjoyed over the year. I think a solid foundation has been laid for a beneficial future. I am personally, very thankful for the support of the church during the finalization of my transition into the United Methodist Church. This has been a long road but well worth the journey. The church has, at every turn, expressed support and care for myself and family. Congregational families have been open in accepting my place as pastor here. My family and I have been embraced both in our temporal role in Aynor and as persons of worth and value in the community. I look forward to continued service and growth and hope to fulfill Christ's calling for this particular expression of the Kingdom of God.
**PASTOR'S CONTINUING EDUCATION REPORT TO THE CHARGE CONFERENCE**

**2004**

**NAME:**  
Dennis J. Mardis

**CHARGE:**  
Aynor

**DISTRICT:**  
Marion

Conference Status: (Check One)  
FM  
PM  
AM  
FTLP  
PLP  
Other

**S.C. CONFERENCE CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT:** That each minister be involved in a program of continuing education throughout her/his years of ministry, that twelve CEU's be earned in each quadrennium, and that not less than one CEU be earned in any one year. Programs that don't fit the CEU pattern may be submitted to the District Committee on Ordained Ministry for approval.

**IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED:** That each minister plan for periods of extended study. These extended study periods should be one month or more in duration and should occur about once in each quadrennium. SOME CONFERENCE FUNDING IS AVAILABLE FOR QUALIFIED STUDY PLANS.

**REPORT:** Please fill in the spaces below with your record of CE for recent years as shown and project whatever plans you have in mind for the years ahead. If possible, show where in the years ahead you might be able to participate in an extended study leave.

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Signature:  
Date: 10/9/04
1. Has this committee met in the parsonage within the past twelve months? Yes ✓ No __
   Was that meeting for a complete attic-to-basement review? Yes ✓ No __
2. Are all the members of this committee familiar with the current Parsonage Guidelines? Yes ✓ No __
3. Does this parsonage provide the items listed under Section I & II of the current Parsonage Guidelines? Yes ✓ No __
4. Are there furnishings and/or appliances which need to be replaced? Yes  ✓ No __
   Are there repairs or additions that need to be made to conform to the Parsonage Guidelines? Yes  ✓ No __
   A. Recommendations:
      1. New carpet to be installed as soon as possible
      2. ________________________________
      3. ________________________________
      4. ________________________________
   B. Steps taken to meet each recommendation:
      1. Parsonage has been painted inside & out
      2. New windows installed all over house
      3. New air/heat installed & wiring added & brought up to date
      4. New addition added to laundry room & new front door
5. Are pets being kept in the parsonage? Yes  ✓ No __
6. Has pastor been made aware of his/her responsibilities should damage occur because of pets being kept in the parsonage? Yes  ✓ No __
7. Have all discarded items been removed from the premises? Yes  ✓ No __
8. Has there been periodic pest extermination in the parsonage? Yes  ✓ No __
   A. Are there funds for cleaning carpet when there is a change in the appointments? Yes  ✓ No __
   B. Are there funds for cleaning draperies when there is a change in the appointments? Yes  ✓ No __
   C. Are there funds for painting the interior? Yes  ✓ No __ Painting completed
9. Is there a sufficient amount in the budget for maintenance and upkeep of the parsonage? Yes  ✓ No __
   A. Does pastor have a copy? Yes  ✓ No __
   B. Is there a copy in the church’s safety deposit box or with the Trustees? Yes  ✓ No __
10. For insurance purposes are there at least two copies of the inventory of parsonage furnishings including photographs of each room’s furnishings, purchase dates and cost of all appliances and furnishings? Yes  ✓ No __
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11. Has the chairperson compiled, in notebook or file form, pertinent information as to purchase date and place, warranty, repair information, etc. for all items purchased for the parsonage? Yes  ✓ No __

Pastor’s Comments:

______________________________
Signature of Pastor

Chairperson of P/SPR/Parsonage Committee’s Comments:

______________________________
Signature of P/SPR/Parsonage Chairperson

______________________________
Signature of Board of Trustees Chairperson
CHARGE CONFERENCE FORMS
To be turned in to District Superintendent at Charge Conference

____ Official Roll and Attendance Record (for 2005)
   (one per church)

____ Minutes of the Charge Conference, 2004
   (one per charge- should be completely filled out and must be signed
    by recording secretary, presiding elder will sign it at charge
    conference)

____ Report of Pastor- 2004
   (one per church- must be signed by pastor)

____ Pastor’s Continuing Education 2004
   (one per pastor)

____ Annual Report of Trustees- 2004
   (one per church- must be signed by Trustee Chairperson)

____ 2004 Report of the Committee on Lay Leadership
   (two per church- list correct mailing addresses)

____ Ministerial Support to be Paid for Calendar Year 2005
   (one per pastor- must be signed by Church Council Chairperson)

____ Accountable Reimbursement Policy
   (one per church per pastor- must be signed by Church Council
    Chairperson)

____ Charge Pastor Parish Relations Committee 2005
   (one per charge)

____ Lay Member to 2005 Annual Conference
   (one per charge)

____ Charge Conference Parsonage Report- 2004
   (one per charge- must be signed by pastor, SPPRC Chairperson, &
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____ Lay Speaker Annual Report
   (two per lay speaker)

____ Recommendation for Nomination to Conference Leadership Positions
   (as many as needed)

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Old business:
1. Need driveway and parking lot leading off the covered drive.
2. Do we need to purchase the Barnhill property?
3. Paul Dusenbury talked with Mr. Barnhill, selling price of the property is $50,000.00.
4. John Dawsey made a motion to give Mr. Barnhill a letter or what needs to do for buying the property. Paul Dusenbury seconded. Motion carried.
5. Carlisle Dawsey made a motion for Wes Lovell to make contact before the week is out. Carlisle Dawsey mended the motion for the trustees to contact for the purchase of the lots. Gary Altman seconded. Motion carried.
6. Carlisle Dawsey made a motion that we do not provide any letter for tax benefits. John Dawsey seconded. Motion did not carry.
7. No higher than $50,000.00 for the lots.

Pastor's Report:
1. Patsy Gaskin presented all annual conference materials to Preacher Dennis and said she could not attend the Annual Conference.
2. John Dawsey made a motion to ask the next in line and if they could not go then Treva will go. Gary Altman second. Motion carried.
3. Preacher Dennis love of history and religion has called him to retrace Bishop Asbury's first journey into South Carolina. The journey will take 2 1/2 weeks in March to do this project. Gary Altman made a motion to support Preacher Dennis in his journey. John Dawsey seconded. Motion carried.

Children's Ministries: Rachel Dawsey
1. Next Wednesday will be the last Sunshine Club meeting until September.

Family Ministries: Beth Davis
1. Family Night June 13 at 6 PM.
2. Picnic after church on July 4
3. Family Night August 8 at 6 PM

Youth Ministries: Cliff and Angela Roberts – No Report

United Methodist Women: Patsy Gaskin – No Report

United Methodist Men: David Parker
1. The UMM have purchased additional hearing aids for the people who need them.

Evangelism: Cynthia Soles – No Report

Missions: Don Hopson
1. Planning the Clothes Drive to West Virginia the last week in June.
2. Survey to see if any one is interested in a Mission trip outside the United States in the early spring.

Communications: Leanne Altman
1. VBS July 25 – 30

Church and Society: Jackie Woodle – No report

Music: Sylvia Page
1. New choir robes.
2. The $3,000.00 in budget only covered about ½ of the cost.
3. The new choir robes purchased after the church burned were all donated.

Finance Report:

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Trustee: Joe Peavy – No report

Parsonage: Francis Floyd
1. Diane Bagnal reported Treva and family are very pleased with the additional work to the house.

With no further business to be considered at the time, meeting adjourned at 7 PM.

Respectfully Submitted
Beth Davis
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$3,000 for choir robes was not in budget and Michelle made motion to add to budget. Leanne second. I have it.

Church property: will take $30,000 to maintain the church building.

Leanne suggested a Puppet Ministries to start in the summer, on a weekly basis, grades 3 – 5. Will take about $1,000 to start the program. The Church Council suggested we have Special Projects to support the Puppet Ministries.

Saundra Parler suggested to mail the newsletter to all members.

Information from Angela Roberts on the Youth budget and they need $12,700. No action taken at this time.

Will take up a special offering for Keith Frye on the 5th Sunday.

$2,500 approved for office computers. Freddy Gerrald requested $2,734.00 for both computers and $900.00 for software package and $500.00 for in house training. Michelle made motion to buy software and training. Joanne Joyner second. I have it.

John made motion to approve budget. Carlisle second. I have it.

Church Council Planning Luncheon will be February 8, 2004.

With no further business to be considered at this time, meeting adjourned at 6 PM.

Respectfully Submitted
Beth Davis