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District: 2 Church: 81 - DUR - Duke Memorial
 Pastor: 115 - Lisa Brown Cole

ANNUAL CHARGE CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Report of Continuing Education Plans

Date 11/06/2003

THE BOOK OF DISCIPLINE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 2000, ¶349.5 requires a report on the continuing education plans of the pastor for the past year and plans for the year to come. The *DISCIPLINE* also requires the church to make "provision for time and financial support of continuing education for ministry, professional development, formation and spiritual growth for the pastors, diaconal ministers and deacons serving their primary appointment in that local church."

All questions are to be answered by the Pastor-Parish Relations Committee in consultation with the pastor and submitted to the District Superintendent at the Annual Charge Conference.

FROM THE PASTOR-PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE

1. What continuing education experiences did your pastor participate in since the last charge conference?

Lisa had been participating in the Parish Based Clinical Pastoral Education program at Duke Medical Center. She completed 1 semester of CPE in Spring 2003, and is presently working on completing the Fall unit of CPE.

2. What continuing education experiences has your pastor already planned for the ensuing year? List each event, location, and contact hours planned.

Lisa plans to complete the Spring 2004 CPE unit at Duke University Medical Center. This will fulfill the requirement of 4 Units of CPE which will enable her to move into the Chaplaincy ministry at some point in the future, should she choose to do so.

3. If your pastor's continuing education plans are incomplete at this point, what types of experiences does he/she anticipate in the ensuing year? Give as much information about these plans as you can.

Plans stated above.

4. What provision has the church made to support financially the pastor's continuing education program?

Lisa is provided with \$750.00 each year for Continuing Education.

5. What provisions are being made in consultation with the District Superintendent to provide pastoral services in the event the pastor is away from the charge?

Provisions would be made as needed, involving the staff of Duke Memorial.

6. How much time has been allocated to the pastor for continuing education?

Time as needed.