

March 8, 2018

President Donald Trump
White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC

Secretary Ryan Zinke
Department of the Interior
1849 C Street, NW
Washington, DC 20240

Dear President Trump and Secretary Zinke,

As religious leaders, we write in opposition to expanded oil and gas drilling and seismic testing in public waters. Offshore drilling brings unacceptable risks to God's oceans and coastal communities.

Offshore drilling could produce perilous consequences like oil spills that can poison the God's oceans, including wildlife and clean water. No oil company or Administration can guarantee the safety of drilling offshore.

Because the faith community serves as first responders in disasters, we know painfully well the devastation that oil spills can cause to our communities. It is well documented that oil spills can wreak havoc on ecosystems and local businesses and residents alike. Seismic testing that often precedes offshore oil and gas development also harms marine life, including imperiled sea mammals and important fisheries.

Any increased oil and gas drilling offshore will inevitably lead to increased pollution, oil spills, and harm to marine life. Drilling not only impacts marine life, but also impacts people who depend upon the oceans for food and jobs.

Expanding drilling into our Arctic, Atlantic, Eastern Gulf of Mexico and Pacific waters—still largely unspoiled by drilling's inherent hazards and harms—would put our coastal residents, businesses, oceans, and climate at grave risk. Exposing the Gulf of Mexico to additional drilling would further burden residents with the pollution and risks that have already caused great, lasting harm to the region.

God created the oceans with an abundance of life and, as stewards of God's earth, we should work to preserve and protect God's marine creation. As people of faith, we also uphold our duty to love our neighbors. Oceans provide food sources and livelihoods for millions in the U.S. and globally.

We urge the Trump Administration to focus on investments in renewable sources of energy such as wind and solar, as well as maximize our energy efficiency, instead of looking to expand fossil

fuel exploration in God's ocean. God entrusts us to be good stewards of God's oceans and coasts. We should honor this sacred duty and position our country as a global leader in energy stewardship.

We ask you to join us as God's steward of the oceans and to respect the local residents, businesses, and millions of Americans who have already made clear their support for preserving, not drilling off our nation's beaches.

Sincerely,

Rev. Carleton Gunn
First Parish Church UCC Saco
Sanford, ME

Rev. Connie Insley
United Church of Christ
Bangor, ME

Sister Renata Camenzind
Casco, ME

Rev. Priscilla Dreyman
New England Conference of the United Methodist Church
South Portland, ME

Rev. Brendon Bass
Presbyterian Church (USA)
Bethel, ME

Rev. James Anderson
Christ Church Kennebunk
Reformed Church in America
Kennebunk, ME

Rev. Dr. George Dole
New Jerusalem Church of Bath
Swedenborgian
Bath, ME

Rev. Dr. Susan E. Davies
United Church of Christ/Bangor Theological Seminary
Veazie, ME

Rev. Allison Smith
Congregational Church of Cumberland
United Church of Christ
Harpwell, ME

Rev. William Miller
African Methodist Episcopal Church
Charleston, SC

Rev. Brenda Kneece
Belmont Baptist Church
Columbia, SC

Rev. Jeff Kackley
Dorchester Presbyterian Church
Summerville, SC

Rick Joyce
Sustaining Way
Greenville, SC

Rev. Sotello Long
President
Disciples Home Missions
Summerville, SC

Elsie Long
Elder
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), SC

Rev. Dr. Jim Watkins
Presbyterian Church (USA)
Pawleys Island, SC

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Rutledge
Circular Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Charleston

Rev. Anya Marsalek Leveille
New Emanuel AME Church
Charleston, SC

Rev. Danny Reed
Unitarian Church in Charleston
Mount Pleasant, SC

Rev. Lori Hlaban
Unitarian Universalist
Beaufort, SC

Rev. Cecil Bromell
Macedonia Missionary Baptist
Darlington, SC

Rev. William Sally
Jerusalem Baptist
Charleston, SC

Rev. James Lewis
Covenant Missionary Baptist
Georgetown, SC

Rev. Leonard Griffin
Morris Street Baptist
Charleston, SC

Rev. Clary Grady
Reid Chapel AME
Columbia, SC

Rev. Ceaser Richburg
Bethel AME
Columbia, SC

Elder William Prioleau
Evening of Prayer COGIC
N. Charleston, SC

Rev. Henry Rivers
Wallingford Presbyterian
Charleston, SC

Rev. Wendy Price
Atlantic Beach Mission CME
N. Myrtle Beach, SC

Rev. Virginia Folks
Larry Temple CME
N. Charleston, SC

Rev. Jetson Maness
Vanderhorst Memorial CME
Charleston, SC

Rev. Alfred Williams
Canaan Missionary Baptist
N. Charleston, SC

Rev. Benjamin Snoddy
Mount Moriah Baptist
Spartanburg, SC

Rev. James Blassingame
Mt. Zion Baptist
Sumter, SC

Rev. Joiquim Barnes
New Hope CME
Lexington, SC

Rev. Michael McClain
Liberty Hill Miss Baptist
Catawba, SC

Rev. John McCoy
Nazareth Baptist
Rock Hill, SC

Rev. Michael Malcom
United Church of Christ, SC

Rev. David Robinson
Episcopal Church
Ocean Park

Rev. Jean Berman
Peaks Island

Sister Dale Jarvis
Sisters of Mercy

Sister Jackie Moreau
Sisters of Mercy

Rev. Rich Killmer
Former Director of Environmental Justice
National Council of Churches USA
Yarmouth, ME

Rev. Jennifer Copeland
North Carolina Council of Churches
Raleigh, NC

Rev. Beverly Wallace
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
Clayton, NC

Rev. Michael McClain
National Baptist Convention USA
Charlotte, NC

Rev. Lee Hull Moses
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Greensboro, NC

Rev. Art Smoker
Mennonite Church
Mars Hill, NC

Rev. Dennis Testerman
Presbyterians for Earth Care
Concord, NC

Rev. Jaye White
North Carolina Conference UMC
Fayetteville, NC

Rev. David Guthrie
Moravian Church in America-Southern Province
Winston-Salem, NC

Rev. Tamara Franks
High Country United Church of Christ
Vilas, NC

Rev. Sekinah Hamlin
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Durham, NC

Rev. Dr. T. Anthony Spearman
National Council of Churches Governing Board President
Greensboro, NC

Rev. Isaac Villegas
Mennonite Church
Durham, NC

Rev. Steve Hickle
United Methodist Conference
Raleigh, NC

Rev. Jim Abbott
Episcopal Diocese of Western North Carolina
Asheville, NC

Dr. Joseph Brown
Eastern North Carolina Episcopal District
African Methodist Episcopal Church
Fayetteville, NC

Rev. Patrick Campbell
UCC Southern Conference
Morganton, NC

Rev. David Guthrie
Episcopal Diocese of East Carolina
Greenville, NC

Rev. Rob Jackson
Presbytery of Salem
Presbyterian Church (USA)
Greensboro, NC

Rev. Sonja Lee
Unity Fellowship Movement
Charlotte, NC

Rev. Otis Robinson
Reformed Churches of God in Christ International
Winston-Salem, NC

Rev. Jill Bullard
Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina
Durham, NC

Rev. Robert Williams
Williams Memorial CME
High Point, NC

Rev. John Cradle
St. Joseph CME
Chapel Hill, NC

Rev. Ronald White, Sr.
Young Missionary Baptist
Raleigh, NC

Rev. Hazel Height
Greater St. Paul Miss Baptist
Durham, NC

Rev. Brian Thompson
Simon Temple AME Zion
Chapel Hill, NC

Rev. Doris Gorham
Beebe Memorial CME
Washington, NC

Rev. Barbara McCollum
Holsey Memorial CME
Statesville, NC

Rev. Robert Scott
St. Paul Baptist
Charlotte, NC

Rev. Cureton Johnson
First Baptist
Fayetteville, NC

Rev. David Mitchell
Mount Gilead Baptist
Durham, NC

Rev. Jerry Cannon
C.N. Jenkins Mem/Presbyterian
Charlotte, NC

Rev. Susannah Tuttle
Unitarian Universalist, NC

Sister Rose Marie Tresp
Roman Catholic, NC

Rev. Bernice Powell Jackson
United Church of Christ
Tampa, FL

Rev. Ann Goraczko
Episcopal Church
North Miami Beach, FL

Rev. Shanda Mahurin
Episcopal Church
Spring Hill

Rev. William Hoff
Riverside Presbyterian Church
Jacksonville, FL

Rev. Linda Reilly
United Church of Christ
Boynton Beach

Rev. Mary Beth Harper
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Silver Springs

Rev. Dr. Robert Carpenter
American Baptist Churches, USA
Penney Farms

Rev. Susan Sherwood
United Church of Christ
St. Petersburg, FL

Rev. Dr. David Swink
American Baptist Churches, USA
Ecumenical Theological Seminary past president
Deland, FL

Rev. Dr. Russell L. Meyer
Florida Council of Churches
Tampa, FL

Rev. Samuel Trice
Drake Memorial Baptist
Miami, FL

Rev. Shunda Wilkin
Carter Tabernacle CME
Orlando, FL

Rev. C.A. Smith, Sr.
Peace Temple CME
Pensacola, FL

Rev. John Philpot, Sr.
Talbot Chapel AMEZ
Pensacola, FL

Rev. Bobby McKenzie
Houser Memorial AMEZ
Pensacola, FL

Rev. D. Malone Smith
Community of Hope AME
Tallahassee, FL

Rev. Marvin Zanders, II
St. Paul AME
Jacksonville, FL

Rev. Mary Gutierrez
Pensacola, FL

Rev. Joan Verret
Episcopal, FL

Rev. Terence Gray
St. Mark AME
Orlando, FL

Rev. John Williams, Sr.
Ward Chapel AME
Winter Park, FL

Rev. Eugene Diamond
Abyssina Missionary Baptist
Jacksonville, FL

Rev. H.T. Rim
St Joseph Missionary Baptist
Jacksonville, FL

Re. Stanley Walker
Tabernacle Baptist
Jacksonville, FL

Rev. Zachary Royal
St. Mary's First Baptist
Coral Gables, FL

Dr. Curtis Karns
Presbytery of Yukon
Eagle River, AK

Mr. Prasado Rao Gudala
Word of God Ministry
Visakhapatnam, AK

Rev. Dr. Nadine Burtan
Little Rock, AR

Dr. Sally Rings
AZ Interfaith Power & Light
Phoenix, AZ

Br. Bridget Chapman
St Andrew the Apostle
Chandler, AZ

Sr. Lucy Calvillo
Sisiter of Mercy
San Francisco, CA

Rev. Ann Hayman
Santa Monica, CA

Rev. Lucretia Jevne
St. Brigid's, Rio Vista
Vacaville, CA

Rev. Dr. Eileen Altman
First Congregational Church of Palo Alto
East Palo Alto, CA

Sr. Gloriamarie
San Diego, CA

Rev. R Richard Roe
United Church of Christ
Los Altos, CA

Rev. Dr. Myrna Tuttle
United Church of Christ
Santa Barbara, CA

Sr. Judith Wemmer
Sisters of Saint Joseph/Orange
Los Angeles, CA

Rev. Melinda Teter Dodge
Los Altos UMC
Long Beach, CA

Rev. Dr. Kenneth Moore
First Christian Church
Auburn, CA

Rev. Dr. Benjamin Broadbent
Community Church of Sebastopol
Sebastopol, CA

Rev. Peter Sawtell
Eco-Justice Ministries
Denver, CO

Rev. Allyson Sawtell
Retired
Denver, CO

Rev. Dr. Charisa Hunter-Crump
Cairn Christian Church
Lafayette, CO

Rev. Mark Meeks
Capitol Heights Presbyterian Church
Bailey, CO

Rev. Rebecca Kemper Poos
Congregational UCC
Buena Vista, CO

Rev. Mary Beth Mankin
American Baptist Churches USA
Boulder, CO

Marie Venner
CatholicNetwork.US
Lakewood, CO

Rev. Dr. Andrea Doeden
Zion's Lutheran
Trinidad, CO

Sr. Margaret Fuhr
Sisters of St. Francis
Denver, CO

Ms. Amy Petre Hill
Porter Hospital & Mountain View United Church
Aurora, CO

Ms. Liz Kochis
Colorado Springs, CO

Dr. Miok Fowler
United Methodist Women
Greenwood Village, CO

Rev. Jeffrey Dodson
First Congregational UCC
Grand Junction, CO

Mr. Tony Williams
Centennial, CO

Dr. Matt Bergles
CMC
Denver, CO

Jan McCoy
Colorado

Rev. Alison Lufkin
Leadville, CO

Sr. Maryann Mueller
Felician Sisters
Benfield, CT

Rev. Nancy Leckerling
United Church of Christ
Madison, CT

Sr. Denise Curry
Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur
Washington, DC

Mr. Martin Rock
Washington, DC

Rev. Dr. Edward White
National Capital Presbytery
Washington, DC

Sr. Mary Smith
Maryknoll Sisters Eastern Region
Washington, DC

Rev. Ron Stief
NRCAT
Washington, DC

Rev. Donna Bowers
PCUSA
Milford, DE

Mr. Robert Hall
Delaware Ecumenical Council on Children and Families
Wilmington, DE

Sister Elizabeth Sully, OP
Dominicans of Sinsinawa
Atlanta, GA

Rev. Michael Malcom
Rush Memorial Congregational Church UCC
Conyers, GA

Rev. Truman Moore
Atlanta, GA

Rev. leigh Campbell-Taylor
Oakhurst Presbyterian Church
Atlanta, GA

Mr. Jonathan Boyne
Honolulu, HI

Rev. Dr. John Heidel
The Interfaith Alliance Hawaii
Kailua, HI

Rev. Jack Mithelman
Redeemer Lutheran Church
Indianola, IA

Rev. Dr. Gary Chapman
Burlington, IA

Rev. Dr. Terry Gallagher
SustainingCreation.org
Aurora, IL

Sr. Laura Northcraft
School Sisters of Notre Dame
Belleville, IL

Rev. Dr. Linda Wygant
Grace Seeds Ministry
Burbank, IL

Rev. Jonathan Knight
Downers Grove, IL

Sr. Therese MacKenzie
EcoSpirituality Group, SHCJ
Chicago, IL

Rev. Frank Edmands
Procter Camp and Conference Center, London, Ohio
Fort Thomas, KY

Mr. Bill Bowman
Bardstown Road Presbyterian
Louisville, KY

Rev. Dr. Leah Schade
Lexington Theological Seminary
Lexington, KY

Jennifer Guekda
Louisville, KY

Sr. Claire McGowan
Bardstown, KY

Rev. Dr. Jim Antal
Mass. Conference UCC
Framingham, MA

Rev. Dr. Frances Bogle
Community Chaplaincy Council
Framingham, MA

Rev. Jeffrey Conlon
Faith United Parish of Fitchburg, MA
Worcester, MA

Rev. Steve Garnaas-Holmes
St. Matthew's United Methodist Church
Acton, MA

Rev. Betsy Sowers
Old Cambridge Baptist Church, Cambridge
South Weymouth, MA

Rev. Dr. Ian Mevorach
Common Street Spiritual Center
Natick, MA

Bishop Bud Cederholm
Episcopal Diocese of Ma.
Plymouth, MA

Rev. Dr. Cynthia Good
Calvary Church UMC
Arlington, MA

Rev. Mariama White-Hammond
Bethel AME Church
Dorchester, MA

Rev. Fred Small
Arlington Street Church, Boston
Cambridge, MA

Phoebe Morad
Lutherans Restoring Creation
Braintree, MA

Rev. Dr. Margaret Bullitt-Jonas
Episcopal Diocese of Western Mass. & Mass. Conference, United Ch
Northampton, MA

Rev. Dr. Paul Minus
Faith Communities Environmental Network
Orleans, MA

Rev. Marisa Egerstrom
St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Holyoke
Holyoke, MA

Rev. Vicki Kemper
First Congregational Church, UCC, in Amherst, MA
Belchertown, MA

Rev. Jane Beebe
Amherst, MA

Rev. Jan Hawkins
First Presbyterian Church
Belchertown, MA

Rabbi Ellen Bernstein
Hampshire College
Holyoke, MA

Rev. Victoria Guest
First Congregational Church in Natick
Natick, MA

Ms. Mary Beth Hamm, SSJ
Sisters of St. Joseph
Reisterstown, MD

Sr. Alice Talone
Ellicott City, MD

Bishop W. Darin Moore
Mid-Atlantic Episcopal District AME Zion Church
Largo, MD

Rev. Allen Harris
Takoma Park, MD

Sr. Mary Davia
Bon Secours
Marriottsville, MD

Sr. Ellen Burkhardt
Dominican Literacy Center
Mt Clemens, MI

Ms. Dorothy Wolf
Hope Church of the Brethren
Alto, MI

Rev. Brian Chace
Trinity Church West Branch
Frederic, MI

Rev. Vicki Hesse
Episcopal Diocese of Michigan
Detroit, MI

Rev. Lynn C Borgeson
The United Methodist Church - Minnesota
Minneapolis, MN

Rev. Dr. Glenn Monson
Mount Olive Lutheran Church
Rochester, MN

Rev. Donna Olsen
Hope 4 All UHM Interfaith Community
Minneapolis, MN

Mr. Matthew Young
BeechWood
Saint Paul, MN

Dr. Peter Schultz
Moorhead, MN

Rev. Frank Sierra
St. Philip's Episcopal Church
Joplin, MO

Sr. Carol Boschert
Sisters of the Most Precious Blood of O'Fallon, MO
O'Fallon, MO

Rev. Dr. Jane Fisler-Hoffman
United Church of Christ
Raymore, MO

Sr. Joan Gannon
Society of the Sacred Heart
Saint Charles, MO

Sr. Jeanne Derer
Franciscan Sisters of Mary
St. Louis, MO

Rev. David Rommereim
Good Shepherd Lutheran
Whitefish, MT

Sr. Kathleen Hanley, CHM
Billings, MT

Sr. Cecily Schroepfer
Sisters of St. Francis
Billings, MT

Mr. Dean Littlepage
UU Fellowship of Bozeman, MT: chair of Environmental Justice Cmt
Bozeman, MT

Sr. Marya Grathwohl
Earth Hope
Billings, MT

Rev. Gretchen Deeg
Bismarck, ND

Archdeacon Betsy Bennett
Hastings, NE

Ms. Susan Fuller
Wolfeboro, NH

Sr. Sharon Kelly
Sisters of Mercy
Keansburg, NJ

Rev. Mitchell Trigger
First Presbyterian Church of Rockaway
Rockaway, NJ

Rev. Earl James
Reformed Church in America
New Brunswick, NJ

Rev. Damien Lake
Glen Ridge Congregational Church
Glen Ridge, NJ

Rev. Russell Eidmann-Hicks
Holmdel Community UCC
Colts Neck, NJ

Sr. Joan Brown, osf
New Mexico Interfaith Power and Light
Albuquerque, NM

Rev. Tom Hawley
Elevation counseling
Albuquerque, NM

Sherill Spaar
Santa Fe, NM

Sr. Lesley Block
Sparkill, NY

Rev. Dr. Richard Gilbert
Interfaith Impact of New York State
Rochester, NY

Rev. Linda Martin
Broadalbin First Presbyterian Church
Edinburg, NY

Rev. Elsie Rhodes
First Presbyterian Church
Cooperstown, NY

Ms. Mary Thorpe
St. Paul's Lutheran, Spencer, NY
Van Etten, NY

Rev. Ed Murphy
Lowville, NY

Rev. Joyce de Velder
Reformed Church in America
Schuylerville, NY

Rev. Ivy Gauvin
St. Timothy Lutheran Church
Bemus Point, NY

Fr. Bill Cooper
Episcopal Diocese of Albany.
Vermontville, NY

Rev. Yuri Ando
Bellport UMC
Bellport, NY

Rev. David Aja-Sigmon
Brooklyn, NY

Rev. John Paarlberg
First Reformed Albany
Loudonville, NY

Rev. Martin Hauser
Grace & St. Pau's Church Church
New York,, NY

Sr. Jacqueline Curtis
Community of the Transfiguration
Cincinnati, OH

Rev. Anne Reed
Transfiguration Spirituality Center
Cincinnati, OH

Rev. Dwight Davidson
The United Church of Granville
Granville, OH

Rev. Lynn Bozich Shetzer
Reedurban Presbyterian Church
North Canton, OH

Dr. Byron Kauffman
West Liberty, OH

Rev. William Meyer
Copley, OH

Rev. Joshua Langille-Hoppe
United Methodist Church
Shawnee, OK

Mr. Derek Stratton
Brantford, Ontario, ON

Ms. Edith Orner
AAUW; HCAO; LWV
Albany, OR

Mr. Lorenz and Barbara Schultz
Albany United Methodist Church
Albany, OR

Rev. J. Howard Cherry
Pittsburgh, PA

Rev. Paul Metzloff
Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
Dallas, PA

Rev. Mark Terwilliger
Countryside Community Church - a United Methodist Fellowship
Clarks Summit, PA

Mrs. Susan Coulson
Earth Stewards
Carlisle, PA

Rev. Inge Williams
Shoemakersville, PA

Rev. Thomas Lang
St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Fleetwood, PA
Pennsburg, PA

Rev. Sandra Strauss
Pennsylvania Council of Churches
Harrisburg, PA

Mr. Mark Peterson
Glenside, PA

Rev. Dr. Marjorie Keiter
St. John the Evangelist
Nesquehoning, PA

Rev. Harold Jacobson
Grace Lutheran Church
Clarion, PA

Rev. Linda Watkins
First Baptist Church of Pawtucket
Cranston, RI

Rev. Jean McCusker
Sioux Falls, SD

Dr. Susanne Skyrn
Vermillion, SD

Rev. Dr. Rebecca Abts Wright
The School of Theology, The University of the South
Sewanee, TN

Ms. Jacqueline E. Edmonston
First Presbyterian Church of Elizabethtown
Johnson City, TN

Rev. Vincent Dial
Bethel Christian Church
Jonesborough, TN

Mr. Tom Wilbanks
Dallas, TX

Rev. Charles Walden
Corpus Christi, TX

Elder Jim Miller
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
Wichita Falls, TX

Rev. Charles Fredrickson
San Antonio, TX

Sr. Margery Race
Austin, TX

Rev. Laura Inscoc
Diocese of Virginia
Richmond, VA

Bishop Carroll Baltimore
Global Alliance Interfaith Networks
Lorton, VA

Rev. Morris Fleischer
Newport-Mt. Olivet UMC
Christiansburg, VA

Rev. Dr. Richard Cizik
Interfaith Power and Light
Fredericksburg, VA

Rev. Dr. Jonathan Barton
Virginia Council of Churches
Midlothian, VA

Rev. Dr. Joseph Crockett
Midlothian, VA

Sr. Margaret Mathewson
Sisters of Bon Secours
Norfolk, VA

Christy Dowdy
Arlington Church of the Brethren
Harrisburg, VA

Sr. Joanne LaFreniere
Sisters of Mercy
So. Burlington, VT

Rev. Anne Hall
Lutheran Church in the San Juans
Lopez Island, WA

Ms. Mary Mutch
La Crosse, WI

Rev. Cherisna Jean-Marie
Bethany College
Bethany, WV

Brother Mark Schroeder, O.F.M.
California

Rev. John Fernandes
California

Rev. Beverly Markham
Georgia

Rev. Kate Colussy-Estes
Georgia

Rev. C. G. Walden
Georgia

Rev. Kate McGregor Mosley
Georgia

Rev. Jonathan Boyne
Hawaii

Rev. Bernardo Alayza Mujica
Iowa

Rev. Nancy Coyle
Indiana

Sister Marge White
Indiana

Rev. M. Cristina Paglinauan
Maryland

Rabbi Donald Berlin
Maryland

Rev. Sue Lowcock Harris
Maryland

Rev. James Wolford
Maryland

Sister Karyn Barry
Massachusetts

Rev. Julie Wilson
Maryland

Sister Barbara Carr
Maryland

Sister Paulissa Jirik
Minnesota

Sister Judy Chiodo
Minnesota

Sister Eleanor Goekler Goekler
New Jersey

Sister Marcia Huber
New Jersey

Rev. Matty Giuliano
New Jersey

Rev. Daniel Demetzky
Ohio

Sister Patricia Meyer
Ohio

Sister Maria Ceci
Pennsylvania

Rev. Tom Nieland
Texas

Sister Lucille Flores
Wisconsin

Rev. Anita Schell
Newport, Rhode Island

Rev. Thurman Echols
Moral Hill Baptist
Axton

Rev. Alvin Edwards
Mount Zion Baptist
Charlottesville

Rev. Geoffrey Guns
Second Calvary Baptist
Norfolk, VA

Rev. Luther Allen
First Baptist-Lynnhaven
Virginia Beach, VA

Rev. Andre Jefferson
Bethel AME
Hampton, VA

Rev. Oretha Cross
Saint Paul AME
Newport News, VA

Rev. Veron Ricks
Saint Mark AME
Virginia Beach, VA

Rev. Cheryl Fleming
Broomfield CME
Richmond, VA

Rev. Reginald Woodhouse
First Baptist-Jefferson Park
Newport News, VA

Rev. Robert Murray
First Baptist
Norfolk, VA

Rev. Robert Pettis
Zion Baptist
Richmond, VA

Rev Jacquelyn Hollingsworth
Christ Chapel AME
Sterling, VA

Rev. Etoria Goggins
First African AME
Manassas, VA

Rev. Robert Smith
First AME
Alexandria, VA