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# FLORIDA-BAHAMAS SYNOD NOMINATION FORM - FLOOR NOMINATIONS

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Position Nominated For / Mission District: ROSTERED FEMALE SYNOD COUNCIL 3 yr. Term

Title: Rev First Name: Wynemah Last Name: Hinkley

Address: [REDACTED] City/ZIP: Palmetto Bay

Member of Congregation Name / City: St. Thomas Conference: Miami-Dade

Email: [REDACTED] Home Phone: [REDACTED] Cell: [REDACTED]

Primary Language: English Occupation: Clergy Parish Minister

Male  Female Birth Year: 1959

Category: Layperson  Rostered Minister  PCLE  (Person of Color or language other than English)  
Youth  (15 -17 yrs. old) Young Adult  (18 -30 yrs. old)

Education (< 50 words):

Bachelor Social work Valparaiso Un. Valparaiso, IN 1980-84  
Master of Divinity Lutheran School of Theology Chicago, IL 1985-1989  
Certificate in Spiritual Direction Sacred Space Program 2018-2021  
Alabama-West FL. Conference  
The United Methodist Church

Service Experience (< 50 words):

Minister of Word and Sacrament for 34 yrs. in ELCA  
Interim ministry in various congregation  
Spiritual Direction  
Married for 35 years and mother of 3 adult children

Current or past congregational or synod roles (< 50 words):

Metro NY Synod St. John's Poughkeepsie, NY 1989-1992  
Christ Woodstock, NY 1993-1998  
Redeemer Kingston, NY 2001-2007  
VA Synod College Lutheran Salem, VA 2008-2017  
FL. BAHAMAS Synod St. Thomas Palmetto Bay, FL 2019 - Present

Person making nomination: [Signature] Email: elizabeth.schmeissel@gmail.com

Consent of person being nominated: [Signature]  
Consent may be emailed to Elections Chair by announced deadline if nominee is not present at Assembly: tracymoffatt@aol.com



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Position Nominated For / Mission District: At - Large Rostered Leader

Title: Rev. First Name: Jennifer Last Name: Kopacz

Address: [REDACTED] City/ZIP: Tallahassee, 32308

Member of Congregation Name / City: Grace, Tallahassee Conference: Panhandle

Email: [REDACTED] Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: [REDACTED]

Primary Language: English Occupation: Pastor

Male  Female Birth Year: [REDACTED]

Category: Layperson  Rostered Minister  PCLE  (Person of Color or language other than English)

Youth  (15 -17 yrs. old) Young Adult  (18 -30 yrs. old)

Education (< 50 words):

Elmira College, BS in Psychology  
Trinity Lutheran Seminary, MDiv

Service Experience (< 50 words):

[Empty box for Service Experience]

Current or past congregational or synod roles (< 50 words):

Panhandle Conference Dean (current)  
FB Synod Council - currently at-large  
FB Synod Consultation Committee -> 2022

Person making nomination: Sue Homant Email: SUEHOSPICE@AOL.COM

Consent of person being nominated: [Signature]  
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Position Nominated For / Mission District: at-large rostered female

Title: Rev First Name: Sarah Last Name: Locke

Address: 3929 Cano Ct City/ZIP: Jacksonville, FL 32217

Member of Congregation Name / City: Jacksonville Campus Conference: First Coast

Email: joxcampusmin@gmail.com Ministry: Ministry Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: 804-896-2125

Primary Language: english Occupation: pastor

Male  Female Birth Year: 1992

Category: Layperson  Rostered Minister  PCLE  (Person of Color or language other than English)  
Youth  (15-17 yrs. old) Young Adult  (18-30 yrs. old)

Education (< 50 words):

Bachelor of Arts in American Political Science from The Ohio State University.  
Master of Divinity from Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary.

Service Experience (< 50 words):

Lutherans Restoring Creation board member  
UNF Interfaith work  
ELCA global mission personnel (2015)

Current or past congregational or synod roles (< 50 words):

Region 9 Boundaries Training revision task force member  
Region 9 FCTE stewardship gathering planning team  
Retreat chaplain at Luther Springs  
Compensation committee member

Person making nomination: Daniel Locke Email: Pastor.Daniel.Locke@gmail.com

Consent of person being nominated: Sh Locke

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Position Nominated For / Mission District: SYNOD COUNCIL - FEMALE ROSTERED SOUTHEAST

Title: DEACON First Name: MICHELLE Last Name: MEHAN

Address: [REDACTED] QUEENS RD City/ZIP: PORT RICHEY 34668

Member of Congregation Name / City: LIVING FAITH, PORT ST LUCIE Conference: TRADEWINDS

Email: [REDACTED] Home Phone: --- Cell: [REDACTED]

Primary Language: ENGLISH Occupation: PALLIATIVE CARE CHAPLAIN

Male  Female Birth Year: [REDACTED]

Category: Layperson  Rostered Minister  PCLE  (Person of Color or language other than English)

Youth  (15 -17 yrs. old) Young Adult  (18 -30 yrs. old)

Education (< 50 words):

Columbia Theological Seminary - 2017 Doctor of Ministry  
Master of Arts in Practical Theology  
Concentration: Pastoral Care

Service Experience (< 50 words):

Palliative Care Chaplain - BayCare Health System  
North Bay Hospital - Newport Richey, FL Board Certified.  
Pastoral Care, spirituality groups, Grief Groups, Compassion,  
Creative Prayer Experiences. Servant Heart

Current or past congregational or synod roles (< 50 words):

- Church Council - retreats  
- Confirmation teacher - preaching  
- spirituality groups  
- prayer stations

Person making nomination: THE REV. ANN SCHMIDT Email: Schatzi46@aol.com

Consent of person being nominated: [Signature]

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