

# Appointments and Assignments 2022-2023

## Categories of Service:

AM Associate Member  
 CLM Certified Lay Minister  
 PL Part-Time Local Pastor  
 FL Full-Time Local Pastor  
 LPA Lay Person Assigned  
 PD Provisional Deacon  
 FD Deacon in Full Connection  
 PE Provisional Elder  
 FE Elder in Full Connection  
 RA Retired Associate Member  
 RL Retired Local Pastor  
 RD Retired Deacon  
 RE Retired Elder  
 OP Provisional Member of another conference or Methodist denomination  
 OE Elder Member of another conference or Methodist denomination  
 OF Full Member of a non-Methodist denomination  
 OLM Lay Minister of a non-Methodist denomination  
 OR Retired Elder from another conference or Methodist denomination  
 SE Supervising Elder  
 Names in ***Bold Italics*** are serving in the first year of a new Appointment/Assignment  
 \* Closed by action of the Appointive Cabinet, pending ACS

Appointments and Assignments to the Central Valley District			
District Superintendent: David Niu			
Church Name	First Name	Last Name	Current Clergy Status
Armona UMC	Dennis	Hutson	OR
Atwater UMC	Yeu	Vang	PL
Bakersfield, First UMC	Richard	Thompson	FE
Bakersfield, St. Mark's UMC	Steven	Isenman	OR
Bakersfield, Wesley UMC	Anne	Schlesinger	FE
Byron UMC	Tevita	Ofahengaue	FE
Caruthers UMC	Patricia	Felts	CLM
Clovis, Fresno Korean United Methodist Church	<b>Jinsik</b>	<b>Lee</b>	<b>RE</b>
Clovis, Memorial UMC	Vathanak	Heang	FE
Clovis, United Japanese Christian	Akiko	Miyake-Stoner	FE
Associate	Ivana	Heang	FL
Delano UMC	Pablo	Vargas	OF
Dinuba, Palm UMC	Michelle	Magee	OF
Dos Palos UMC	<b>Siosaia</b>	<b>Koloti</b>	<b>PL</b>
Escalon UMC	Peggy	Bosch	PL
Farmington UMC	Peggy	Bosch	PL
Firebaugh-Mendota UMC	Robert	Gilberg	FE
Fresno, Grace UMC	<b>Floyd</b>	<b>Quenzer</b>	<b>RE</b>

New Church Start at Grace UMC	Eduviges	Flores	FL
Fresno, St. Mark's UMC	Leonard	Adams	PL
Fresno, St. Paul's UMC	Vashua	Vang	FL
Fresno, Wesley UMC	Robin	Mathews-Johnson	FE
Galt UMC	Mary	Maaga	FE
Hanford, First UMC	Pablo	Róvere	FE
Hughson UMC	Darrell	Arnold	FL
Ione Community UMC	Mark	Smith	FL
Jamestown UMC *			
Kerman UMC *			
Kernville, Kern River UMC	Jean	Sidner	OR
LeGrand UMC	<b>Siosaia</b>	<b>Koloti</b>	<b>PL</b>
Lemoore UMC	Dennis	Hutson	OR
Linden UMC	Tevita	Vaikona	FE
Lindsay UMC	<b>Allison</b>	<b>Byerley</b>	<b>FE</b>
Livingston UMC	Eric	Cho	FE
Lodi, First UMC	George	Edd-Bennett	FE
Lodi, Salem UMC	Samuel	Fabila	RE
Los Banos UMC	<b>Peter</b>	<b>Suhn</b>	<b>PE</b>
Madera UMC	James	Garrison	FE
Manteca, St. Paul's UMC	Jason	Thornton	FE
Mariposa UMC	Mark	Buenafe	FE
Merced UMC	Ella	Luna-Garza	FE
Modesto, Centenary UMC	Timothy	Gravatt	FE
Modesto, First UMC	Debra	Brady	FE
New Cuyama, Cuyama Community UMC	Steven	Draucker	RL
Oakdale, Community UMC	Jeffrey	Holder	AM
Oakhurst New Community UMC	James	Luther	RE
Patterson Federated Church	Eun-Joo	Myung	FE
Porterville, First UMC	Thomas	Buratovich	FE
Porterville, Grand Avenue UMC	Thomas	Buratovich	FE
Porterville, Vida Nueva	Marcelo	Escarzaga	FE
Reedley, First UMC	Neal	Harris	FE
Riverdale UMC	Neal	Harris	FE
Sanger UMC	<b>Sosaia</b>	<b>Fineanganofa</b>	<b>FL</b>
Selma, First UMC	<b>Sosaia</b>	<b>Fineanganofa</b>	<b>FL</b>
Sonora UMC	<b>Kevin</b>	<b>Campbell</b>	<b>FE</b>
Stockton, Central UMC	<b>Sungho</b>	<b>Lee</b>	<b>FE</b>
Associate for Cambodian Ministry	Viseth	Hou	FE
Stockton, Holy Cross	Gary	Pope-Sears	FE
Associate for Tongan Ministry	Tevita	Vaikona	FE
Stockton, St. Mark's UMC	<b>Jola</b>	<b>Bortner</b>	<b>RE</b>
Stockton, St. Paul's UMC	Romeo	Gunzon	FE
Sutter Creek, Creekside UMC	Mark	Smith	FL
Taft UMC	Cynthia	Brettschneider	CLM
Tehachapi Valley UMC	Falamao	Samate	PE
Tipton UMC	Steven	Creel	SE

Tracy, First UMC	Tevita	Ofahengaue	FE
Tranquillity UMC	Beth	Stidham	RL
Tulare UMC	Allison	Byerley	FE
Associate for Hispanic Latino Ministry	Marcelo	Escárzaga	FE
Tuolumne/Soulsbyville UMC	Kevin	Campbell	FE
Turlock, First UMC	Steven	Judson	OE
Valley Springs Community UMC	Joe	Carmichael	OR
Visalia UMC	Steven	Creel	FE
Associate for Hispanic-Latino Ministry	Corazón	Morán Luna	FE
Weldon UMC	<b>TBS</b>		

Year	Start
3	7/1/2020
5	7/1/2018
18	7/1/2005
2	4/1/2022
7	7/1/2016
2	7/1/2021
3	7/1/2020
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
2	7/1/2021
9	6/1/2015
2	3/7/2022
3	7/1/2020
5	8/1/2018
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
7	7/1/2016
6	7/1/2017
4	7/1/2019
<b>1</b>	<b>11/1/2022</b>

3	7/1/2020
6	7/1/2017
5	7/1/2018
2	7/1/2021
3	7/1/2020
5	7/1/2018
3	7/1/2020
5	7/1/2018
3	7/1/2020
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
3	7/1/2020
6	7/1/2017
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
3	7/1/2020
5	7/1/2018
2	5/1/2022
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
2	7/1/2021
6	7/1/2017
3	7/1/2020
5	7/1/2018
3	7/1/2020
2	7/1/2021
31	7/1/1992
6	7/1/2017
3	7/1/2020
10	7/1/2013
4	7/1/2019
11	7/1/2012
10	3/1/2013
22	7/1/2001
3	7/1/2020
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
5	7/1/2018
5	7/1/2018
2	7/1/2021
<b>1</b>	<b>7/1/2022</b>
5	7/1/2018
5	7/1/2018
15	7/1/2008
5	7/1/2018
3	7/1/2020

2	7/1/2021
20	7/1/2003
3	7/1/2020
3	1/1/2020
8	7/1/2015
2	7/1/2021
2	5/10/2022
18	7/1/2005
16	7/1/2017
	<b>7/1/2022</b>