



## DETAILED MINISTRY DESCRIPTION

*Living God's Word,  
Sharing God's Love*

*Member at Large, Church Council*

### ***LUMC Vision***

To be a beacon of God's amazing grace that empowers people's lives to celebrate, demonstrate, and acclaim the awesome power of the risen Lord, Christ Jesus.

### ***Title***

Member at Large, Church Council

### ***Purpose***

To represent the congregation as a member at large to the Church Council.

### ***Responsible to***

Church Council Chair.

### ***Description of duties***

- Become familiar with the Vision and Mission statements of the church. Ensure that the programs and policies approved by the Church Council mirror these statements.
- Attend all called meetings of the Church Council.
- Inform the congregation that you are available to bring issues before the Church Council.
- Become familiar with the policies, procedures, and annual budget of LUMC.

### ***Budget Responsibilities***

None

### ***Annual Charge Conference Attendance***

The annual Charge Conference meeting is an important connectional meeting between our church and the conference. You should make every effort to attend this meeting. If your position requires that you report to the Charge Conference, make preparations for this report well ahead of the meeting date.

### ***Time requirements***

- Attend meetings of the Church Council.

### ***Term***

Three years.

### ***Training and resources***

- [The Book of Discipline](#) - ¶251.3.

- Cokesbury Guidelines: [Church Council](#) – Available on the LUMC Equipping Ministry webpage.
- Policies, procedures, and annual budget of LUMC.

### ***Background Check***

Not required for this position.

### ***Qualifications, skills, and gifts***

- A personal and growing relationship with Christ.
- On a personal spiritual journey.
- Possess one more of the following spiritual gifts:
  - Discernment (D)
  - Knowledge (D)
  - Wisdom (D)

\* R - Required; D - Desirable

### ***Benefits to the Servant***

To become knowledgeable of all ministries, programs, policies, and procedures within LUMC.