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*Bishop Elaine JW Stanovsky*, Presiding Bishop

*Shirley DeLarme*, Secretary

The Official Record by Order of the Conference

***Elaine JW Stanovsky***  
**Resident Bishop**  
**The Greater Northwest Area**



*Bishop Elaine JW Stanovsky* was assigned as the Resident Bishop of the Greater Northwest Episcopal Area (encompassing the Alaska, Oregon-Idaho, and Pacific Northwest Annual Conferences) effective September 1, 2016.

Elaine was elected to the episcopacy by the Western Jurisdiction in 2008 and served the Mountain Sky Area, comprising the Yellowstone and Rocky Mountain Annual Conferences for eight years prior to assignment to the Greater Northwest Area.

Born in Vancouver, WA, she earned her BA degree summa cum laude from the University of Puget Sound and her M.Div. degree from Harvard Divinity School. Stanovsky was ordained deacon and elder in The Pacific Northwest Annual Conference, where she served pastorates at Kennydale and Crown Hill United Methodist churches in the Seattle area. From 1995 to 2008 she served in several District Superintendent positions and as Director of Connectional Ministries for the Pacific Northwest Conference. She has served as a member of the General Council on Ministries, the General Commission on Christian Unity and Interreligious Concerns and the General Board of Education and Ministry, as well as the Plan of Organization and Rules Committee of the General Conference. From 2012 - 2016 she served as the vice chair of the General Board of Discipleship.

Elaine maintains strong ecumenical and interfaith commitments, including the Renton Ecumenical Association of Churches, the Washington Association of Churches, the Seattle Holocaust Conference, the Consultation on Church Union and the World Council of Churches. She traveled to Russia twice with the Seattle-St. Petersburg Sister Churches Program. In 2009 she represented The United Methodist Church on an interfaith peace mission to the Middle East with the National Interfaith Leadership Initiative.

THE 2020-2021 PACIFIC NORTHWEST CABINET



**The Cabinet of The Pacific Northwest Annual Conference**  
(left to right: Brant Henshaw, *David Valera*, *Derek Nakano*, *Joanne Coleman Campbell*, *Bishop Elaine JW Stanovsky*, *Kristina Gonzalez*, *Kathleen Weber*, *William Gibson*, *Gregg Sealey*; not pictured: *J. Mark Galang*) \*

\*Names of ordained ministers are printed in *italics*.

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The persons here listed were approved by a special Clergy Session in June of 2020 for election to provisional membership or to full membership and ordination. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, the commissioning and ordination service, with its laying on of hands, was postponed until we can gather again. In the interim, these persons were granted all the rights and privileges of full or provisional membership.

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