

## **David Maulden**

Mooresville District- Gold Hill Methodist

Ethnicity- Caucasian

### **Share your testimony of coming to faith and salvation in Jesus Christ.**

My foundation is being brought up in a Christian home, raised by two Methodist choir directors, dedicating my life during confirmation class as a youth, wavering in faith during my college days, and was moved by the Holy Spirit to realize the error of my ways while singing in the choir for a funeral of a special man in my church. That was about 50 years ago.

### **Describe your ministry in the name of Jesus Christ.**

My ministry has been one of organizing and participating in outreach over the years, both within and outside the church, through mission work to regional locations for disaster relief, Habitat builds, community service projects, employment with a crisis assistance non-profit, and serving our church through holding multiple positions on committees. Music has also been a big part of my ministry through being a member of the choir and wind ensemble. I currently run the audio/visual equipment and handle technology related tasks for two churches related to streaming.

### **Service in the General Conference is a special task. Explain your understanding of this task.**

My understanding of being elected as a delegate to General Conference is that I should be willing to serve on a committee which may meet remotely for several months leading up to the General Conference. The decisions and votes made at the General Conference will lay the foundation and direction for the Global Methodist Church in the months and years going forward, and they are not to be taken lightly.

### **What gifts/strengths/passions/talents do you bring to the building up and organizing of the Global Methodist Church?**

My gifts/strengths would best be summarized as having organizational skills, attention to detail, some understanding of technology, and exposure to business/accounting years ago.

**Do you agree to fast and pray for your role and the delegation to the General Conference?** Yes

**Do you attend worship at your church at least 3 out of 4 Sunday's a month?** Yes

**Do you attend worship when on vacation, out of town, or not otherwise in the church to which you are appointed?** Yes

**Are you a part of a small group, Sunday School class or band?** No

**Are you involved in Christian missions at least once a month?** Yes

**Do you pray regularly for your church, pastor, and members?** Yes

**Do you give a full tithe to the church of your membership?** Yes

**Do you uphold and agree with the Doctrinal Standards of the GMC as stated in Part 1 of the Transitional Book of Doctrines and Discipline?** Yes

**Do you uphold and agree with the Social Witness of the GMC as stated in Part 2 of the Transitional Book of Doctrines and Discipline?** Yes

**If elected will you agree to represent Jesus Christ and uphold the integrity of the GMC NC PAC?** Yes

**Do you have a current U.S. Passport?** Yes

**In order to serve, will you be available to travel to Costa Rica from September 19-27, 2024 and attend online meetings ahead of the conference? Yes**

**Are you willing and able to bear some of the cost for attendance to serve in this capacity? Yes**

**I once again affirm that I satisfy the requirements to be a delegate to the Convening General Conference of the Global Methodist Church. Yes**

**I consent for my answers to be published on the NCPAC website. Yes**