

Blue Ridge District

Instructions for 2019 Charge Conferences

Each Charge Conference will be held in your Missional Network according to the schedule below and should follow the basic agenda with the theme “Fruitful Connection” based on John 15. Please make sure the following components are incorporated in your celebration:

Agenda

Welcome & Opening Hymn	Host Pastor/Missional Network Leader
Message: “Fruitful Connection”	Beth Crissman
Celebration of Shared Mission & Ministry	Missional Network Representatives
Fruitful Opportunities	Rob Parsons and Shonnie Streder
Business of Charge Conference	Beth Crissman

Instructions

1. All Charge Conference Reports will be completed 100% online this year. Please plan to attend (along with any staff or laity who will be a part of the process) one of these two trainings being held in the Blue Ridge District:
 - Sunday, August 18th, 3-5pm - Groce UMC
 - Wednesday, August 21st, 10am-noon - First Rutherfordton
2. All charge conference reports should have been submitted prior to the Charge Conference.
3. We will also include a time at each gathering to recognize those in our congregations who are going through exploration, ordination or certification.

Schedule

Date	2:00pm	5:00pm
September 29th	McDowell	East Asheville/Fairview
October 6th	Mitchell/Yancey	Leicester/Madison
October 13th	North Buncombe	Urban Asheville
October 20th	Hendersonville	Polk
October 27th	Transylvania	S. Buncombe/N. Henderson
November 3rd	East Rutherford	Rutherford
November 10th	Hominy Valley	