

The Way Forward Co-Chairs have been asked to send out a recap of the United Methodist General Conference held April 23 to May 3, 2024, at the Charlotte Convention Center in Charlotte, North Carolina. Since so much has been written about the conference, the Way Forward Committee identified a short article that provides a factual recap of the highlights of the changes for the United Methodist Church.

Below is the link to the article:

<https://peopleneedjesus.net/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/what-happened-at-the-united-methodist-general-conferencev20.pdf>

In this article there is a link [laudable legislative outcomes](#) to the recap provided by the United Methodist website at [gc20202024_recap.pdf \(resourceumc.org\)](#). At the UMC Website there is more explanation of what transpired at the conference.

If you would like to take a deeper dive, we have found the attached video provides the best insights of what took place at the UMC General Conference. <https://youtu.be/OOidaTKoJxw?si=jWU2TQSFzH1VUsIk>

The Way Forward Committee would like for the congregation to start looking forward to the future and continue to pray for our church during the 40 Days of Prayer which you are receiving each week. As

Arlene Privette announced on Sunday, our new minister's first service will be June 30th.

We are confident that God has great things in store for Pendleton Methodist Church and we know He will walk with us as we look forward to our exciting journey ahead.

Blessings,

Howard Corbett and Russ Guffee

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