



## OUTSTANDING LAY PERSON OF THE YEAR

The Outstanding Lay Person of the Year Award was established to honor lay persons in the Alaska United Methodist Conference who have made significant contributions in various areas of ministry in addition to their service in the local church. Nominees for this award may have been active in ministry in the areas of education, missions, communications, outreach, new ministries, social concerns, personal spiritual growth, community service, or other ministries that help strengthen the church in the local community, the state and the world.

You may consider people who have demonstrated a commitment through service over many years, as well as those who have made specific achievements during the past year.

Please attach this award nomination form to a letter introducing the nominee and describing the reasons for which you are nominating him/her for the Outstanding Lay Person of the Year Award. Recommended guidelines and/or qualifications are:

1. **Work in the Local Church.**  
How has he/she demonstrated leadership and dedicated service in the local church? How has he/she lived and articulated the Christian faith at home and at church?
2. **Work in the Community.**  
How has his/her faith and committed service been at work in the community? Has the person reached out in mission?
3. **Work beyond the Local Community.**  
How has her/his faith and service been at work ecumenically, in the Conference, Jurisdiction, or General Church.

Send completed nominations by **May 20, 2026** – by email [alaskaumc@gmail.com](mailto:alaskaumc@gmail.com).

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Nominees Name \_\_\_\_\_

Nominees Church \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated By \_\_\_\_\_ Date Nominated \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for returning the nomination by May 20, 2026.**