

REV. CALEB WILLIAMS

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QUALIFICATIONS

2018	Deacon in Full Connection West Michigan Annual Conference
2013	Boston University, School of Theology Master of Divinity Master of Sacred Music (Choral Conducting) Magna Cum Laude
2009	Western Michigan University Bachelor of Music: Music Education Magna Cum Laude 2009 Minor: Philosophy Lee Honors College

STRENGTHS & MBTI

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Positivity
Communication
Strategic
Activator

Extroverted
iNtuitive
Thinking
Perceiving

MINISTRY

2016-2020	Royal Oak First United Methodist Church Minister of Worship & Arts for fast growing progressive regional congregation <ul style="list-style-type: none">Expanded ministry and staff while moving from 200 to 450 average weekly worshipCentered marginal voices through raising and training diverse team of leadersDeveloped worship planning vision and structuresLed program of music groups, including tours, run-outs, classes, and studio recordingCollaborated with diverse community choirs in joint concerts; Hosted many concertsLaunched and co-led Pub Theology at local hipster watering hole
2013-2016	Portage Chapel Hill United Methodist Church Director of Music for mid-sized progressive suburban congregation <ul style="list-style-type: none">Collaborated with other area churchesRestarted children's music program (4 choirs)
2011-2013	United Church of Christ in Canton - Canton, MA Choir Director for small town congregation
2006-2007	Genesis United Methodist Church - Grand Rapids, MI Music Director for growing, progressive suburban church
2005-2006	Wesley Foundation of Kalamazoo - Kalamazoo, MI Music Director for United Methodist Campus Ministry

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LEADERSHIP

- 2016- **Camp Beloved** - Lake Louise UM Camp, Boyne Falls, MI
Counselor and worship leader for affirming and life-changing camp for LGBTQIA youth
- 2020 **Global Water Justice Summit** - Detroit, MI
Led worship to open and close international justice worker gathering
- 2019 **Still Beloved - Royal Oak, MI 2019**
Planned and led worship in response to Special General Conference decisions
Conducted mass choir
550 in attendance, including 50 clergy
Spun off other worship events statewide, including leadership at Ann Arbor Wesley
- 2019 **Michigan Methodist Federation for Social Action - East Lansing, MI 2019**
Planned and led worship services for "Just. Compassionate. Inclusive." event
- 2018 **UMC Youth Statewide Retreat - Midland, MI 2018**
Planned and led worship for UMC youth across Michigan
- 2015-2017 **Truth and Reconciliation Process Design Team and Commission - 2015-2017**
Led commission in gathering stories and producing film around harm done by the United Methodist Church in Michigan around issues of sexuality and gender identity
- 2015-2017 **Annual Conference Worship Team - 2015-2017**
Conference choir director, instrumentalist and vocal soloist in years since
- 2015-2016 **Michigan Festival of Sacred Music - Kalamazoo, MI - 2015-2016**
Vice President, Chair of Program Committee, Concert Host
- 2014-2015 **Conference Leadership Team - 2014-2015**
- 2006-2009
+2014-2016 **Big Kids Camp (Young Adult) - Dowagiac, MI 2006-9, 2014-16**

WORK

- 2010-2012 **Cerebral Palsy of Massachusetts - Chestnut Hill, MA**
Personal Care Assistant, and eventually friend, for college student with Cerebral Palsy
- Bass Soloist/Section Leader**
- Early Music Michigan, Kalamazoo, MI
 - Marsh Chapel (University Chapel of Boston University), Boston, MA
 - Tremont Temple Baptist Church (ABCUSA), Boston, MA

REFERENCES AVAILABLE

SKILLS

- Vocals, Piano, Guitar, Drums, Conducting, Songwriting
- Video production and editing (Final Cut Pro)
- Sound recording and editing (Logic Pro X)
- Planning Center Online, Proclaim, ProPresenter, Sibelius