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“Developing Professional Chaplains Through Dynamic Education and Support”

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PRESIDENT'S PERSPECTIVE....

A message from
Keoki Awai,
President of the International
Conference of Police Chaplains



Across the globe the International Conference of Police Chaplains has had a profound effect on our emotional and spiritual health, the well-being of future generations, and the vitality of our economy. Forty years ago, ministers began a coordinated effort to work with Law Enforcement assisting them, their families and their communities in times of crisis, calm and peace, encouraging faith and wisdom at all times.

ICPC was created in 1973 and since its formation, has responded to our World's most urgent challenges, and greatest celebrations of life.

Throughout its history, ICPC has been a champion for healthy societies by developing and participating in practical training programs equipping clergy to help the unique needs of the peace-keeping industry. ICPC exists to promote professional fellowship and support to law enforcement chaplains and provide helpful resources to manage and reduce the risks that affect our lives, fostering spiritual and emotional guidance, and building a stronger community.

Looking to the future, we must remain committed to the work before us and the opportunities that have supported decades of personal growth and expansion of the worldwide mission of providing training and support. To carry out these obligations, ICPC will continue to make training and support for all law enforcement chaplains a priority, and encourage our members to be a leader in improving our means and methods of service through active involvement. The advances we make today will build a sustainable lifestyle and future for our world, creating new relationships and laying the foundation for our long-term peace of mind. While our foundation is rock solid, we remain mindful of the need to constantly improve and strive for excellence every day. After forty years, there is still more we can do and more we can do better.

Four decades after its creation, ICPC is building on its legacy of responsible stewardship and is advancing in the face of new challenges. Though our resources are limited, we are operating within our means, with a balanced budget and have successfully passed our independent audit. As we strive to protect the integrity of our ministry in the 21st century, ICPC continues to lead on dealing with critical global issues officers and families face daily. The work of ICPC benefits everyone by making our world safer and healthier while securing the path to a better future for our children and grandchildren.

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News and Notes

Chaplain Emeritus

The Front Royal Police Department, Front Royal, Virginia has awarded the honor of Chaplain Emeritus to ICPC **Chaplain Wm (Bill) Barton**.

Congratulations
Chaplain Barton!

Website Communication

“Thank you so very much for being the Lord's encouragers for our Officers of the Law and the many hurting people out there. May God bless you all and keep you safe. I will remember you in my prayers.

Blessings,
Kate
The proud & grateful wife
of a Retired Police Detective”

Region #12 Director, Bishop Gary L. Welsh, OD, JP. Chief Chaplain of the Jamaican Constabulary Force was presented the following degrees for courses he pursued at the Central Christian University, Jamaica



Campus between 2005 and 2012: Doctor of Philosophy - Ministry/Organizational Planning and Administration and Doctor of Clinical Christian Counseling by the Honorable Owen L. Ellington, Commissioner of Police.

New Prayer Chain Email Address

If you would like to participate in ICPC's Prayer Chain, please use this **new** email address:



icpcprayerchain@gmail.com



ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION

On February 12, 2013 CASSDATA.com transmitted an email on behalf of ICPC.

We are in the process of enhancing membership communication by way of electronic transmissions. This not only allows for greater frequency of communications (without limitations), but gives us the ability to furnish information more quickly.

If you would like to receive ICPC communications electronically, please reply YES or NO.

If you did not receive the email on February 12, 2013, check your spam folder or contact us to verify your email address.

International Conference of Police Chaplains

"Serving All Law Enforcement Chaplains"



Annual Training Seminar
July 8-12, 2013
Grapevine, Texas



Host Hotel: **Gaylord Texan**
1501 Gaylord Trail
Grapevine, Texas

Reservations: \$125.00 Night + Taxes (includes resort fees)
Phone: 866-782-7897
Reservation Link: [ONLINE](#) or link from ICPC Website
ATS Code: S-ICP13

Airports: Dallas-Fort Worth or Dallas Love Field
Shuttle Service Provided by Host Committee

Conference Fees: **Basic/Enrichment/Liaison**
\$215.00 Member
\$235.00 Non-Member
Advanced
\$235.00 Member
\$355.00 Non-Member
Spouse - \$85.00
Children - \$45.00 (K-12th Grade)

*Scholarship Application available in the Member's Only Section on our website: icpc4cops.org

Nominating Committee 2013 Candidates

Floor nominations deadline April 9, 2013. Nomination Guidelines are available on the ICPC website: www.icpc4cops.org.

President (automatic)



**Mike
Hardgrove**

Volunteer Chaplain
Tulsa County
Sheriff's Office
Tulsa, OK
Methodist

Vice-President Nominees:



**Mark
Bardsley**

Volunteer Chaplain
Marion
Police Department
Marion, IN
Wesleyan

President-Elect



**Mark
Clements**

Volunteer Chaplain
LaCrosse
Police Department
LaCrosse, WI
Non-Denominational



**A. Mac
Stinson, Jr.**

Volunteer Chaplain
Shelby County
Sheriff's Office
Columbiana, AL
Methodist

Treasurer



**John Robert
'Bob' Fiers**

Volunteer Chaplain
Indianapolis
Police Department
Indianapolis, IN
Non-Denominational

Secretary Nominee:



**Cyndee
Thomas**

Volunteer Chaplain
Redding
Police Department
Roseville, CA
Non-Denominational

Officer Nomination Form N-2012

Closing date for "Floor" nominations is ninety (90) calendar days preceding the opening ceremonies of the 2013 Annual Training Seminar, Grapevine, TX. Completed forms and all confirmation documents must be submitted to the ICPC Office **no later than midnight April 9, 2013.**

Nominations must be submitted to ICPC, PO Box 5590, Destin, FL 32540 on **this** ICPC Officer Nomination Form N-2012.

I nominate the following candidate for the office of:

Candidate Information:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Primary Phone: _____
Email: _____
Region: _____ Credential: _____ Join Date: ___/___/___

_____ President Elect
_____ Vice President
_____ Secretary
_____ Treasurer

Submitted by:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Primary Phone: _____
Email: _____ Reg: _____
Credential: _____ Join Date: ___/___/___
_____ Signature Date

Seconded:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____ Primary Phone: _____
Email: _____ Reg: _____
Credential: _____ Join Date: ___/___/___
_____ Signature Date

- Candidates are to submit a personal statement, less than 500 words, outlining why they wish to hold this position and what they hope to achieve in this role.
- They shall confirm that they have read and are in compliance with the qualifications for this office.

Adopted 2012 Spokane, WA Annual Training Seminar

International Report—Dr. Vivian Pantón's Memorial

Chaplain Dan Nolta

To you Betty and to your children, and to you Commissioner Ellington: I am proud today to stand as the representative of the International Conference of Police Chaplains, and pleased, in spite of the circumstances, to be once again on the soil of your island nation.



Jamaican Constabulary Force Honor Guard

It was just a few short years ago that I spoke at Vivian (Dr. Pantón's) retirement and said to him, "Vivian, I am a witness, you can retire from one place like Jamaica Constabulary Force, but you do not retire from the work of the Kingdom and where the King may take you in the years ahead." And now the years ahead have come and gone and Vivian has passed from this life to his eternal home with his Heavenly Father, and we are left today with only the memory of his trademark smile.

When I heard of Vivian's death I knew immediately that I would do everything in my power to be here with you today. You see, Vivian was not just a friend to me and to many others. He was not just another pastor, or just another police chaplain. Neither was he just another member of the organization to which we both belonged, the International Conference of Police Chaplains. While he was one of

our many members from 20 different countries he was more, much more.

I first met Vivian in 1999 and was immediately captivated by his Jamaican accent, his inclusive smile, his ready wit and intelligence. Over the years, Vivian became to me a friend, brother in the Lord, consultant, traveling companion and role model.

When Vivian came to ICPC he brought an influence outside of North America. We found in him a leader who inspired us all, certainly including me, to take a look beyond the boundaries and see police chaplaincy programs that were solidly growing and flourishing right under our collective noses...programs like the one he grew right here for the Jamaica Constabulary.

Vivian's invitation brought me here in 2000 to get a close up look at this police chaplaincy program he had told us about...I was not disappointed. The program here demonstrates great care and consideration for the men and women of the Jamaica Constabulary. It utilizes the best of full time chaplains and station pastors. It is a readily transferable type of program that I could see then, and see now as a model to be utilized in many other countries as we go forward.

The visit to Jamaica and other countries set a fire under me to see police chaplaincy spread across the world. Vivian joined me in that endeavor and together we

traveled to Africa and later to Guatemala.

Vivian was chosen as my traveling companion on these trips because of his intense commitment to police chaplaincy and its benefit to police officers and their families. He had birthed one of the finest and most comprehensive chaplaincy programs in the world and could share that successful model. Those qualifications, coupled with his ability to meet people, include people and to communicate his heart, made him an ideal ambassador for ICPC and cause of police chaplaincy.

Vivian traveled to Africa, teaching with me in Kenya in 2004, It was the very first training conducted by ICPC outside of North America. The Kenyans loved him. Later Vivian and I went together to Guatemala where we consulted with the National Civil Police and were privileged to witness their chaplaincy program's birth. A year ago October I went with Gary and Maxine Welsh and some others to assist in training their first 100 chaplains.

It was out of the Guatemala experience and the passing of leadership to now Assistant Commissioner of Police, Dr. Gary Welsh, that the Caribbean Region of ICPC was established. Because of the groundwork laid by Vivian and Gary...another first... the first ever outside of North America Annual Training Seminar of the International Conference of Police Chaplains was held right here in

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Regional Director, Gary Welsh presenting Jamaican flag to Betty Panton
Jamaica a year and a half ago.

In 2002 Vivian was honored by ICPC as he was added to the ranks of those who have received the International Conference of Police Chaplain's John A. Price Award for "Excellence In Chaplaincy." This is the highest award given by our organization. It is given to police chaplains from across the world who have distinguished themselves among their peers as the "best of the best."

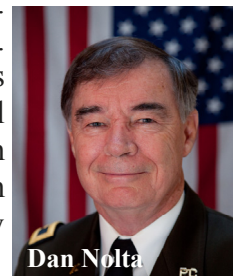
That is today how I characterize Dr. Vivian Panton to you...As the "best of the best."

I am humbled that he chose me as his friend, that we were brothers together in the Lord and brothers and fellow warriors in the advancement of police chaplaincy around the world.

To you, Commissioner Ellington, and to the men and women who

serve under you, I would say: "Jamaica, a tiny nation, has been made to stand tall and wide in the world of police chaplaincy because of Dr. Vivian Panton and those he has mentored."

On behalf of the President of ICPC, Keoki Awai, his Executive Board and each and every member of the International Conference of Police Chaplains: "May God bless the leadership of the Jamaica Constabulary as you live on in the shadow of Dr. Vivian Panton. And God bless you Betty until you and Vivian meet again in your heavenly home."



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Thank you one and all
for your kind and faithful
support of ICPC!

Regional Chaplains Response to Super Storm Sandy Region #5 Director, Dan Schafer

As we enter into the 15th week since Hurricane Sandy hit the shores of New Jersey and New York we look back at the definitive stages of emotional and spiritual highs and lows. In the beginning, there was a sense of denial. The previous year we were threatened by Hurricane Irene. Preparations and evacuation plans were put into place but flooding and damage was minimal. The first problem in Sandy was the choice of many not to evacuate. Residents had a very short warning when Sandy suddenly made the left turn into our shoreline. Within an hour in many neighborhoods they were swept away by the storm surge. Residents were forced to their upper floors and rooftops to seek safety. This put all of our emergency response personnel in grave danger. Many of our Police, Fire and EMS workers were putting their own families in harm's way and risking their own lives in the rescue effort. Police Departments, Fire Houses and First Aid buildings were totally destroyed or damaged during the storm.

On October 30th ICPC Region #5 went into full disaster mode. A trailer was donated by a local officer and our "Sandy Incident Command Center" was established on the grounds of Calvary Lighthouse in Lakewood New Jersey. A call was made to the Disaster Committee requesting a standby list of Chaplains willing to come and serve our region. At this point we had enough of local ICPC Chaplains to handle the operation. The Command Center was manned by ICPC Chaplains 24/7.

Verizon was very helpful in providing half dozen cell phones at no charge. These phones were limited to the use of the Chaplains who were sent to the field. The location of our Command Center became the mustering location for Convoy of Hope. There were times when ICPC Chaplains accompanied Convoy as they distributed supplies in the New Jersey and New York areas. We found it a great asset to have bilingual Chaplains working with us. Our Chaplains held services and offered CISM to Convoy and the workers at Calvary Lighthouse.

One of the most significant services of the ICPC Chaplain was to accompany citizens as they were shuttled to their homes to assess the damage. CISM with first responders was started immediately. We found a tremendous amount of anger from these servants over the refusal and attitude of residents who failed to heed the warning to evacuate. During this period, I was receiving numerous calls a day requesting CISM from OEM, CERT police, fire and EMS. Here we are, 15 weeks later, thousands are still in motels/hotels; thousands are with relatives. We are at a stage of desperation and hopeless with many residents. We have had blizzards and subzero temperatures with people living in mold infested homes without heat, gas or electric. Homes with over 50% damage must be destroyed. Most reconstruction on the shoreline requires elevation which has yet to be determined by Municipalities. Many are just walking away from their homes.

FEMA has since hired Chaplain James Davis, John Negrotto and myself as "Disaster Crisis Counselors." Our credentials with the State of New Jersey made it possible for this tremendous opportunity. The three of us are "New Jersey Disaster Response Crisis Counselors" a division of New Jersey Department of Homeland Security.

At our RTS in April we will be having a panel on the lessons learned from Sandy and the Newtown school shooting.

Please keep us in your thoughts and prayers.



Dan Schafer

WEBSITE MEMBERS ONLY SECTION

When registering for the Members Only Section of the ICPC website it is imperative that the email address used for registering matches the contact email currently on file with us.

Membership Directory

Please verify your contact information in the Membership Directory by visiting the website, Members Only Section.

Email changes to:

icpc@icpc.gccoxmail.com

ICPC—Reflecting on 40 Years Chaplain William R. Wentink

Editors Note: This is part one of a series of articles reflecting on ICPC's 40 year history.

Father Joe Dooley – our first president – had a dream in the early 1970's to put together a list of Police Chaplains around the Country. He envisioned being able to utilize the services and expertise of Police Chaplains in different communities in times of crisis. In July of 1974 I had the privilege of meeting with the first group of Police Chaplains in Chicago. Father Dooley had connections with the International Conference of Police Associations and we were invited to hold our first meeting during their Conference. At that first meeting in Chicago there were 26 Police Chaplains. We sat around a table and shared ideas, dreams and wishes. ICPC has always brought forth education, training and camaraderie. In 1975 we followed the International Conference of Police Associations to Seattle Washington. In 1976 we met as our own organization and incorporated in Albuquerque New Mexico. Chaplain Jack Price was elected as the Second President of ICPC in 1977.

ICPC has continued to grow and flourish during the past 40 years. There are now many members worldwide and our organization continues to grow by leaps and bounds. On December 1, 1985, Dave and Ellen DeRevere took a giant leap of faith and took the full time position of Executive Secretary of ICPC. The scope and responsibilities of that position have also continued to grow and that

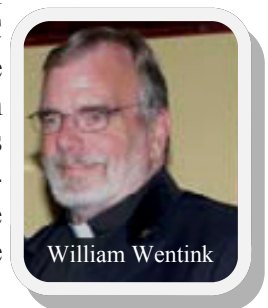
title was changed to Executive Director. The International Conference of Police Chaplains purpose is to assist, help and strengthen police chaplains around the world. This is accomplished in many ways. Quarterly the ICPC Journal is a constant source of information and communication. There is a Memorial Bible program whereby the ICPC, on behalf of the members, sends a note and a Bible to the family of Officers killed in the line of duty. For many years there has been a certification program. Chaplains can attain Basic, Senior or Master level certification. About 5 years ago two new credentials have been added: Diplomat and Fellow. This program has been very successful with 100's of chaplains being certificated in the different levels.

It is a real privilege to be a police chaplain. You are involved in the most sacred moments of people lives. You are able to bring peace where there is violence, justice where there is injustice and order where there is chaos. As police chaplains we pride ourselves on confidentiality and availability. We are there 24 hours per day, 365 days per year to bring God's saving love, saving grace and saving hope to those in need. We try to do all of this in a non-judgmental way.

As a police chaplain you will experience things that you only dreamed about and then you will dream about the things you experienced the rest of your life. You will see and experience more in one year than most people will see

and experience in a life time. In the same way you will have more opportunity to do good for others in one year than most people will have in a life time. Law enforcement is a profession where heroism is expected and seldom rewarded.

Police and chaplains are human problem solvers. When people are in trouble they call the police. When the police are in trouble they call the chaplain. The International Conference of Police Chaplains has always been there to support, help and encourage police chaplains. There are constantly new members who are utilizing the services of this organization. By continuing to serve in a professional and caring manner we are the best advertisement for police chaplaincy. I believe ICPC will continue to grow with the help of its capable leadership and the support of the members.



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IN MEMORIAM

“Our hearts and prayers are with the families.”

Chaplain John Zurek

Papillion, NE

DOD: 1/1/13

Condolences to:

Mrs. Connie Zurek

713 Elm Hurst Dr.

Papillion, NE 68046

Chaplain Vivian Pantone

Kingston, Jamaica

DOD: 1/13/13

Condolences to:

Mrs. Norma Pantone

19 Heaven Meade Drive

Kingston 19

Jamaica

Chaplain Hillard P. Martin, Jr.

St. Louis, MO

DOD: 2/21/13

Condolences to:

Mrs. Barbara Martin

5209 Lotus

St. Louis, MO 63113



PRESIDENT CONTINUED

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Many people have served faithfully as ICPC chaplains since 1973, and we take time to remember all those who have since died, especially members passing away this past year. Our thoughts and prayers continue to be with their family and friends. With the loss of some members acknowledged, I'm encouraged to know we have new members joining with us this year. A growing membership is a positive sign and we are purposed to do all we can to be a valued resource for chaplains.

I ask all to observe this 40th anniversary with celebrations, thoughts and prayers that honor our history, accomplishments, and the contributions of our founders and members since our beginning.

Attend the Annual Training Seminar this July in Grapevine, Texas and let's celebrate together. I hope to see you there, July 8-12, 2013. Thank you for making ICPC special. God bless us all.

There was a Chaplain

Written in remembrance of Chaplain Bev Graddy, April 1, 2012

As I am in heaven now so suddenly and so unexpectedly I came. I found myself surprisingly joined by a great cloud of witnesses who shared the common experience of a sudden departure.

As we shared our experiences I found that many had a common experience, a Chaplain.

As our hearts were grieved over leaving the ones we loved so dearly, we were encouraged that our loved ones were not left alone to walk through the Valley of the Shadow of Death. There was a Chaplain.

A Chaplain was there to see what my family was spared from seeing.

A Chaplain was there to give the news of our tragic end to the ones who meant the most to us.

A Chaplain was there to hear the sobs of grief.

A Chaplain was there to come alongside police, EMTs, Fireman, Coroners, victim advocates and emergency managements, ones who helped us when we could not have help ourselves with dignity and respect.

A Chaplain was there to simply listen.

A Chaplain was there until family and friends could be with our heartbroken. A Chaplain stood in that gap.

A Chaplain had a ministry of the presence of the one that I had known for years but only now beholding face to face.

Thank you Chaplain for simply being there.

Chaplain Gary McCaslin, Anderson Indiana Police Department

Newtown, Connecticut Tragedy

Chaplain Craig Hungler

The day after the shooting in Newtown I was contacted by our team leader for the Fraternal Order of Police Critical Incident Response Service, Michael Haley. He let me know that he had received a call from National FOP President, Chuck Canterbury who requested that Mike and another peer respond to Newtown, CT Police Department. The next day Mike and I were on the road travelling to Connecticut, unsure of what we would find once we got there.

When we arrived in Newtown we found a small police agency (approximately 40 sworn) who had found themselves thrust into an International spotlight. The attention from the media which this event was obviously attracting would be enough to cause stress within an agency. Combine that with the fact that Newtown is such a small and tight knit community and you can well imagine it was overwhelming.

Several things struck me during the time we were there attempting to normalize the officers reactions to such an abnormal situation. The first was the fact that their entire law enforcement community seemed to be very connected and supportive. The Connecticut State Police were there serving as “shields” for the victims’ families as they mourned and held funeral services for their children in private. The State Police also were clearly assisting the Newtown PD Detectives with the criminal investigation that still had to take place. With such an enormous crime sce-

ne to process the Newtown Detective Bureau was obviously overwhelmed and seemed to accept the State Police assistance gladly.

Neighboring towns from what seemed to be all across Connecticut were sending marked patrols and officers to assist with calls for service in Newtown. Each day different town cruisers and personnel were showing up for each shift, some from an hour or two away. The camaraderie and compassion displayed by these foreign agencies for their brothers and sisters of Newtown PD was truly heart-warming.

Newtown PD Command Staff was impressive to me in the way they displayed caring and compassion for their own personnel. This was clearly not just a reaction in this evil event, but a daily way of life within their agency. During our time there we would frequently be pulled aside by one of the command staff who was concerned for particular personnel and wanted to make sure we spent time with them.

The entire Newtown community was also very supportive of the police department. It seemed like a never ending parade of citizens stopping by the station with all types of food for the agency personnel as their way of supporting their cops. One day a restaurant owner stopped by with some food, telling the officers that someone had called in from several states away with his credit card number. He told the restaurant owner to run

\$1,000 on his credit card for food for the police department for the week. This was not an isolated incident either; a local donut shop received a similar call for a few hundred dollars of donuts to be delivered through the week.

FAITH was clearly what was getting the entire community through this horrible situation. The community was being represented by clergy from a multi-faith based community. For me it was so beautiful to see these men and women of various faiths standing side by side pledging to serve the citizenry. It reminded me so much of what we in ICPC strive to do each and every day at our departments. Regardless of an officers faith, whether that faith aligns with our personnel faith or not, we stand by them and provide that all important “Ministry of Presence.” While not using that term, it is exactly what was being practiced in Newtown.






































It was an honor and privilege to be able to serve with the Fraternal Order of Police during that event. Please join me in continuing to pray for the men and women of the law enforcement community there, as well as the entire community. It will take continued effort and work for them to walk through the healing process from this event which is so incredibly hard to understand.



Craig Hungler

LINE OF DUTY DEATHS

EOW (End of Watch) Dates: November 16, 2012 through February 15, 2013

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|  <p><u>Deputy Sheriff Scott Ward</u>
Baldwin County Sheriff's Office, AL
EOW: Friday, November 23, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Trooper Kyle W. Deatherage</u>
Illinois State Police, IL
EOW: Monday, November 26, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Tom Decker</u>
Cold Spring Police Department, MN
EOW: Thursday, November 29, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>Chief Petty Officer Terrell Horne, III</u>
US Coast Guard Office of LE, US
EOW: Sunday, December 2, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Constable John D. Manuel</u>
Allen Parish 1 Constable's Office, LA
EOW: Wednesday, December 5, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Deputy Sheriff Ricky Issac, Jr.</u>
Natchitoches Parish Sheriff, LA
EOW: Saturday, December 8, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>Patrolman Martoiya Lang</u>
Memphis Police Department, TN
EOW: Friday, December 14, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Deputy Sheriff Christopher R. Parsons</u>
Washington County Sheriff's Office, MO
EOW: Saturday, December 15, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Patrolman Angel Garcia</u>
El Paso Police Department, TX
EOW: Sunday, December 16, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>Corporal David Gogian</u>
Topeka Police Department, KS
EOW: Sunday, December 16, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Jeff Atherly</u>
Topeka Police Department, KS
EOW: Sunday, December 16, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Sean Louis Callahan</u>
Clayton County Police Dept., GA
EOW: Tuesday, December 18, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>Police Officer Jennifer Lynn Sebena</u>
Wauwatosa Police Department, WI
EOW: Monday, December 24, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Corporal Jimmie Norman</u>
Bellaire Police Department, TX
EOW: Monday, December 24, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Lt. Michael John "Chip" Chiapperini</u>
Webster Police Department, NY
EOW: Monday, December 24, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>Detective Randall "Shane" Thomas</u>
Henderson Co. Sheriff's Office, NC
EOW: Friday, December 28, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Edrees Mukhtar</u>
San Antonio Police Department, TX
EOW: Saturday, December 29, 2012</p> |  <p><u>Officer Chris Yung</u>
Prince William County PD, VA
EOW: Monday, December 31, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>Agent Mayra Ramirez-Barreto</u>
Puerto Rico Department of Justice, PR
EOW: Thursday, January 10, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Correctional Officer Eliezer Colón-Claussells</u>
Puerto Rico DOC and Rehabilitation, PR
EOW: Thursday, January 10, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Kevin A. Tonn</u>
Galt Police Department, CA
EOW: Tuesday, January 15, 2013</p> |
|  <p><u>Trooper Michael Slagle</u>
Tennessee Highway Patrol, TN
EOW: Friday, January 25, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Sergeant Rick Riggenschach</u>
Chitimacha Tribal Police Depr., TR
EOW: Saturday, January 26, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer William Michael McGary</u>
Conway Police Department, AR
EOW: Friday, February 1, 2013</p> |
|  <p><u>Sergeant Patrick Divers</u>
New York City Police Dept., NY
EOW: Friday, February 1, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Patricia A. "Patty" Parete</u>
Buffalo Police Department, NY
EOW: Saturday, February 2, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Deputy Sheriff Billy Ray Grimsley</u>
Portsmouth Sheriff's Office, VA
EOW: Sunday, February 3, 2013</p> |
|  <p><u>Public Safety Officer Keith Lawrence</u>
University of S. California DPS, CA
EOW: Sunday, February 3, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Police Officer Michael Crain</u>
Riverside Police Department, CA
EOW: Thursday, February 7, 2013</p> |  <p><u>Detective Jeremiah MacKay</u>
San Bernardino Co. Sheriff's Dept, CA
EOW: Tuesday, February 12, 2013</p> |
|  <p><u>Detective Christopher Simpson</u>
Chesterfield Police Department, MO
EOW: Tuesday, February 12, 2013</p> |  <p><u>K9 Tank</u>
Utah Highway Patrol, UT
EOW: Friday, November 16, 2012</p> |  <p><u>K9 Nash</u>
US Department of Justice - BATFE, US
EOW: Tuesday, December 11, 2012</p> |
|  <p><u>K9 Ivan</u>
Tucson Police Department, AZ
EOW: Wednesday, December 12, 2012</p> |  <p><u>K9 Maxo</u>
US DHS - Secret Service Uniformed
EOW: Saturday, January 26, 2013</p> |  <p><u>K9 Koda</u>
Leon County Sheriff's Office, FL
EOW: Thursday, January 31, 2013</p> |
|  <p><u>K9 Kody</u>
St. Paul Police Department, MN
EOW: Tuesday, February 12, 2013</p> | | |

Memorial Bible Program

On April 17, 1984, the Arkansas Miller County Sheriff's Department received the first ICPC Memorial Bible.



Sent to the Chief Executive, the Bible is to be presented to the slain officer's family or placed in the department library.

Included with the Memorial Bible is a letter to the Chief Executive, as well as a letter to the family whose member has passed, expressing our condolence to them.

Your donation to the Memorial Bible Program is tax deductible, as well as partnering with us to continue this vital ministry of compassion to those who have lost a loved one in the Line of Duty.



Commemorating First Responders

A program honoring fallen heroes in our communities

Presented by Wilbert Funeral Services, Inc (WFSI) and Wilbert Licensees, in cooperation with area funeral professionals

Commemorating First Responders provides families of firefighters, law enforcement officers and emergency medical personnel who have died in the line of duty with a tribute worthy of their valor and sacrifice.

At no charge to the family, Wilbert and Wilbert Licensees donate a customized Wilbert Stainless Steel Triune® burial vault. If the choice is cremation, we offer a selection of four urns, as well as a Stainless Steel Triune urn vault for memorial tribute. Engraving of the urn is included.

Each vault is customized with a Wilbert Legacy Series™ print depicting the hero's profession (if available) or a Legacy Custom Series™ print personalized with photos from the family.

If permitted by the cemetery, a WilbertWay® graveside service may also be included, which consists of a tent and chairs for the family, the personalized vault cover on display, and the final sealing and lowering of the vault.

For additional information on Wilbert's Commemorating First Responders program, contact:

Wilbert Funeral Services, Inc.
1-888-WILBERT
OR
Terry Whitlock 708-681-7040

Wilbert and our network of nearly 200 Licensees throughout the United States and Canada are honored to help families commemorate heroic lives, sacrificed in valiant service to neighbor and community.

How the program works

1. WFSI is notified by the respective first responder organization about the line-of-duty death.
2. That organization also notifies the family about the Commemorating First Responders program and learns which funeral home will be serving the family.
3. WFSI or the local Wilbert Licensee contacts the funeral home to coordinate the free vault or cremation option.
4. The funeral professional helps the family choose options and arrange the service.



ICPC REGIONS



REGION #	COMPOSED OF:	PHONE:	DIRECTOR:
1	Canada—Canadian Chaplains Association	519-727-6705	Chuck Congram
2	Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming	541-410-6128	Jim Crowley
3	Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North and South Dakota	218-929-1110	Steve Breitbarth
4	Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, West Virginia, Wisconsin	614-878-5353	Leo Connolly
5	Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maine, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont	732-928-8847	Dan Schafer
6	Arizona, California, Colorado, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah	520-253-0027	Bob Cutlipp
7	Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Missouri, Texas	417-434-8015	David Schepper
8	Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia	334-806-5707	Leon Adams
9	Hawaii, Australia, New Zealand, Pacific Area	808-395-9914	Andy Kikuta
10	Europe - Ambassador Christy Smith		
11	Africa	254-722-733804	Kibinge Wa Muturi
12	Caribbean	876-819-3902	Gary Welsh

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Wish to enhance your chaplaincy program with video resources?



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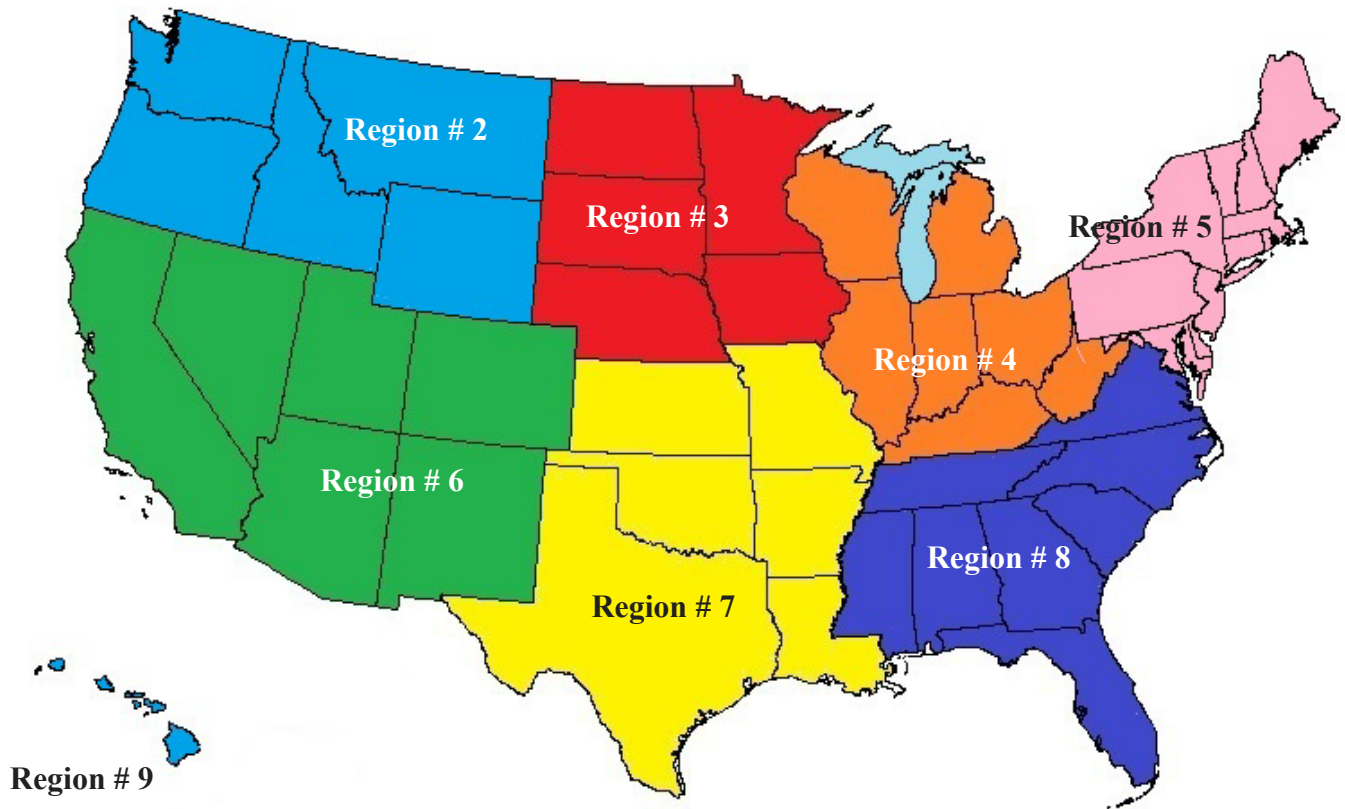
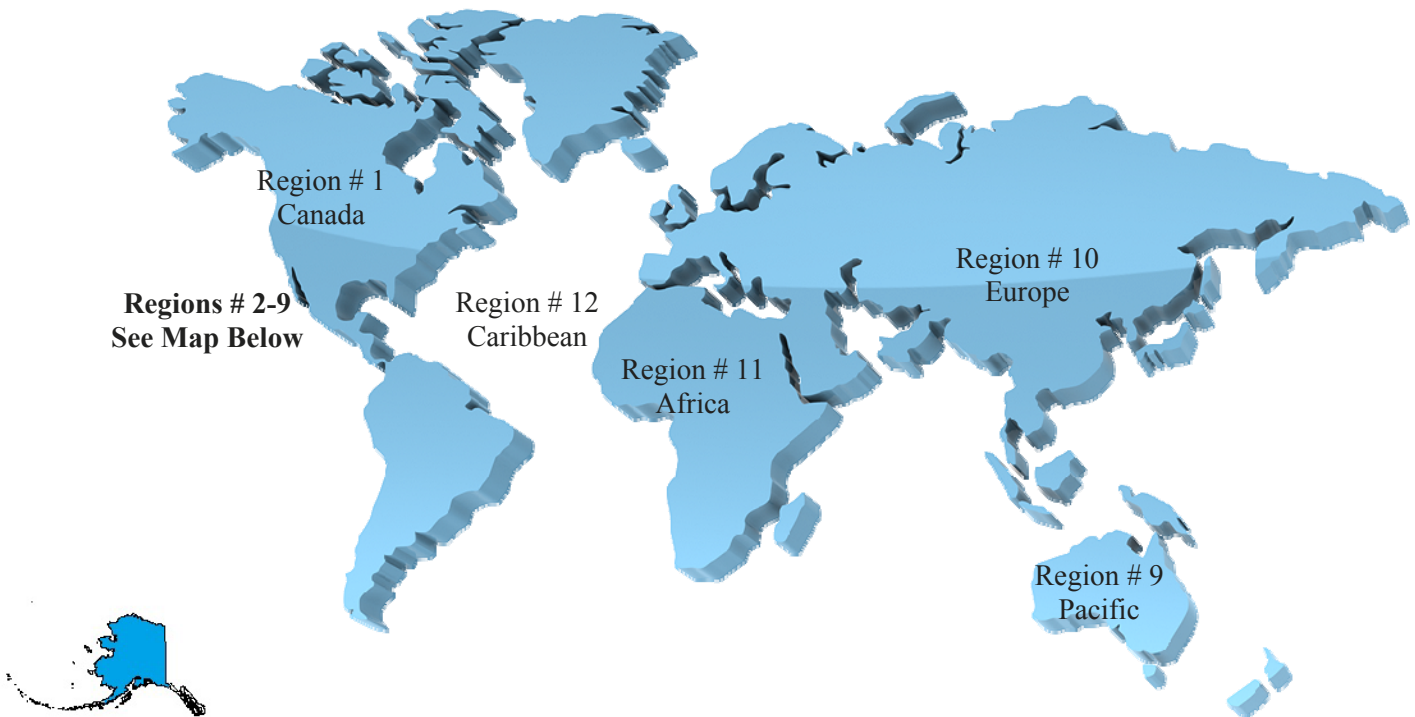
Regional Training Seminars 2012-2013



Area	Dates	Location	Contact Information
Canadian Chaplains Association	October 21-25, 2013	Saint John New Brunswick	Chuck Congram 519-727-6705 chuckcongram@sympatico.ca
Region #2	January 7-10, 2013	Cannon Beach, OR	Jim Crowley - 541-410-6128 jbcrowley@bendbroadband.com Jerry Gaidos - 503-791-1705 clatsopchaplain@gmail.com
Region #3	October 22-24, 2013	Mankato, MN	Chaplain Steven Breitbarth 218-929-1110C s.breitbarth@mchsi.com
Region #4	March 11-13, 2013	Crowne Plaza Hotel Dublin, OH	Craig Hungler 614-370-5727 craighungler@gmail.com
Region #5	April 21-23, 2013	Calvary Lighthouse Lakewood, NJ	Dan Schafer 732-928-8847 vernad@optonline.net
Region #6	TBA	TBA	Bob Cutlipp 520-253-0027C pastorcutlipp@gmail.com
Region #7	July 8-12, 2013	Annual Training Seminar Gaylord Texan Grapevine, TX	Brian Hamlin 817-832-4066C chapham4@att.net
Region #8A	April 7-9, 2013	Caraway Conference Center Asheboro, NC (VA, NC, SC)	Glenn Davenport 704-473-7299C gdavenport3@carolina.rr.com
Region #8B	March 18-20, 2013	Gaston Community Center Dalton, GA (AL, GA, MS, TN)	Donald Treick 706-820-8259 dtreick@epbfi.com
Region #8C	April 8-10, 2013	Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office Fort Walton Beach, FL (Gulf Coast)	Larry Carter 850-259-4958C lcarter@sheriff-okaloosa.org
Region #8D	March 11-13, 2013	Criminal Justice Institute Orlando, Florida (Central Florida)	Andrew Wade 407-808-6471C Andrew.Wade@cityoforlando.net
Region #8E	April 8-10, 2013	Trinity United Methodist Church Palm Beach Gardens, FL (South Florida)	Jim Shackelford 561-307-3361C chaplainjimshackelford@yahoo.com
Region #9	TBA	TBA	Andy Kikuta 808-392-3866C chaplainalien@yahoo.com



International Conference of Police Chaplains REGIONS





THE ICPC STORE IS NOW UP AND RUNNING!

The official ICPC Online Store is now ready and available for all ICPC members. The website, which is run by TeamGear, is the new hub for all chaplain-and-ICPC-related apparel. The website can be reached through the ICPC website, or at www.teamgear.us/icpc.

The website is set up with an “on-demand” approach. When a person orders something off of the website, it will be made specifically for that order. There is no inventory or back stock on these items. Consequently, there is no need for ICPC to make large investments with the potential for items to run out or sit on the shelves. With this approach, orders are taken care much more efficiently. Order forms will still be available at ICPC meetings.



Orders will be shipped out once a countdown clock, visible on the front page of the website, reaches zero. Once the clock has fully counted down, all orders will be counted, produced, and sent out to the individual’s doorsteps. The clock is reset every month, at the very latest. If the apparel is needed before the clock will reach zero, send an email to “icpc@teamgear.us,” and they can fulfill your order sooner if needed.

Currently, we have entered into a 2-year commitment with TeamGear, and they will be the sole suppliers of merchandise with the ICPC logo. While there are only wearable items, i.e. hats, shirts, jackets, etc., available on the website, other items will become available in the near future. We will communicate when these new items become available, so check back often.




visit the store link on the **ICPC** home page or directly at www.teamgear.us/icpc

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