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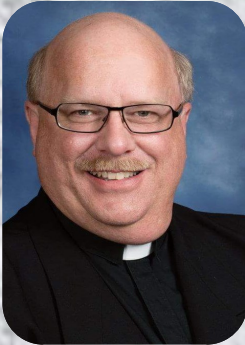
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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Pam Neal,  
President

### **Together We Can -- Together We Will**

That theme has taken on new meaning since March 2020. To say this last year has been difficult for everyone is an understatement. I know many of you have dealt with COVID personally, and every one of us have been affected.

We were all disappointed last July when the ATS had to be moved to 2022 in Orlando. Everyone thought we would have no problem having the 2021 ATS in Scottsdale, and plans were in full swing when a late spike of COVID in Arizona caused the resort to have restrictions on their property that would limit our participation in the ATS.

The move to find another property that could 1) accommodate the number of people and classrooms we needed, and 2) was not already booked led us to the only available facility that met our needs in Greenville, South Carolina and to move the Scottsdale ATS to 2023. None of this is ideal, but is the situation in which we find ourselves today. It is unfortunate that the CDC Guidelines have since been lifted that might have allowed the removal of the restrictions at the resort, but action had already been put in place. We couldn't wait until June to make a decision.

I am grateful for the ATS Committee and the entire Region 6 leadership who worked tirelessly to give us a great Scottsdale 2021 ATS. We appreciate their work and look forward to having the ATS in Scottsdale in 2023. Thank you, Frank O'Laughlin, Conference Director, Ruby Kinlaw, Executive Director, Dave Brown, ICPC Member Service for all their work during the challenges of relocating the 2021 ATS. Thank you, Glenn Davenport, Region 8 Director, and the entire Region 8 leadership for their commitment to help with the many details involved for making a successful Greenville ATS.

The good news is we ARE having an ATS. The location is not where we planned, but we are GOING to have an ATS. COVID will not win. I encourage you, if at all possible, come to the ATS in Greenville. It has been two years since we have seen each other. Although fellowship is always an important part of an ATS, I believe it is more important than ever this year. We need to be together, to laugh together, to encourage and lift each other up.

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**PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**  
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The brand new 10 Basic Courses will be unveiled and taught at this ATS. Please bring any of your new Chaplains who have not taken the Basic Courses yet and give them the advantage of the brand new courses.

All the things you love about the ATS will be in place: an Opening Ceremony, a Memorial Service, an Election of Officers, and a beautiful Banquet on Thursday evening where John A. Price Award Recipients will be recognized for 2020 and 2021.

Many good things have happened this past year in spite of COVID. The new Basic Courses have been completed as well as plans in the works for enhanced Instructor Development, building relationships with IACP and other organizations, accreditation possibilities, and other actions that will benefit the membership of ICPC.

As we near July at the ATS when Election of Officers will take place, this will be my last message to you as President. It has been such an honor and privilege to serve as your President. Two years ago, I would have never guessed what would lie ahead for all of us and the twists and turns the last two years have taken. Although the last two years have not gone as I had planned, I am grateful we have weathered the storm. You may remember my quoting Maya Angelou when the COVID crisis began, "Every storm runs out of rain." Yes, we are seeing this storm "run out of rain."

You are an amazing group of dedicated Servants. I am humbled by the work you do every single day to support and encourage our law enforcement officers and to assist your community when in crisis. Those are not just the words we say about Chaplains; they are what you do and who you are.

I am grateful for each of you and encourage you to keep on loving and serving the men and women who give so much sacrificially each and every day. Our Officers need us more than ever as they deal with so much negativity and unfair characterizations. Their families suffer as well. We have the privilege to give them the support and encouragement they need as they continue to protect and serve our communities.

A Law Enforcement Chaplain is such a worthy and rewarding calling. I am grateful for the journey we have had and will continue to have together. I will continue to pray for you daily as we continue to serve as Law Enforcement Chaplains.

I hope to see you in Greenville. COVID does not win.

**Together We Can -- Together We Will.**



*Pam Neal*

Pam Neal  
ICPC President  
2019 - 2021





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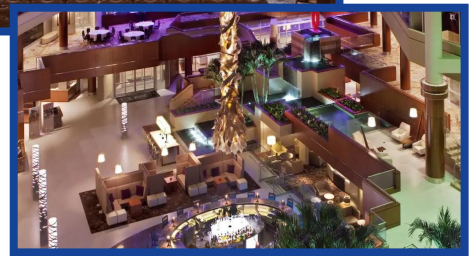
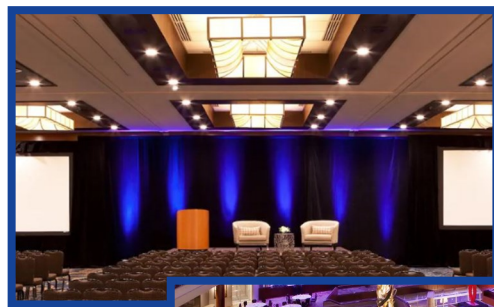
**48TH ANNUAL TRAINING SEMINAR  
GREENVILLE, SC ~ JULY 12-16, 2021**

COVID-19  
PLAN B



<b>SEMINAR FEES** :</b> LODGING <u>NOT</u> INCLUDED		
<b>Tracks:</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Non-Member</b>
Basic Enrichment Liaison	\$325.00	\$500.00
Advance <small>*A01 CISM Accredited</small>	\$550.00	\$825.00

**\*\*Late fee of \$100.00 after June 24, 2019**



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Greenville, SC 29601

## RESERVATIONS:

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Discount Code: **Mention G-ICPC**  
864-235-1234—Direct

## ROOM RATES

Single/Double Occupancy: **\$119.00**

Room rate/block guaranteed until:  
**June 24, 2021**

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Airport—Greenville-Spartanburg  
International. Airport (GSP)

**Brochure and Registration information  
are available on our website**

[www.icpc4cops.org](http://www.icpc4cops.org)

# Editorial Comment

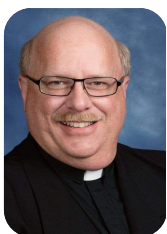
## Richard Hartman, Editor

Dear ICPC Members,

The latest newscast I saw said, “Life is starting to get back to normal in our community.” What does that mean? Is it possible for any of us to get back to “normal” after a global pandemic that has taken so many of our loved ones and friends, changed our lifestyle and been on our daily minds for over 18 months? Pre-Covid, sociologist and psychologist told us that if we do something every day for 21 days it becomes a part of our daily routine. So is it any wonder that people are reluctant to go back to the way things were pre-2020? It is out of our routine. Our lives have been dramatically changed and we need to be conscience about what that means in our own lives and the lives of others.

In my community of Fort Wayne, Indiana (USA), the past three weeks have seen a dramatic increase in the number of violent acts (homicides, shootings, and domestic disputes). When you are out of the streets you can feel and see that there is a REAL tension going on between people. People appear to just be angry at everything and everyone. If things do not go exactly the way they want things to go, they start yelling and violence ensues. The question then is, “Is it any wonder after the changes in all of our lives over the past 18 months?” So now that we can name it, how do we deal with the issue?

As Law Enforcement Chaplains, we are the bridge between the Law Enforcement community and the Religious community. Normally this would mean a bridge between people who enforce the laws of the land and the peacefulness of the faith community. This is still very true and very important to our calling as Law Enforcement Chaplains. However, we are humans, and we are struggling to deal with the issues that are not only affecting our community at large, but also our faith communities. For many of us, our “Rock” or foundation that we base everything on (faith community and family) are still struggling from all the pandemic issues. Yet, we are also out there with our Law Enforcement officers who are on the “front lines” of this anger and turmoil. So, what do we do? We need to make sure you are ready or as ready as you can be to meet those challenges ahead of you. Make sure to take time daily to recharge your life- sleep, eat proper foods and get good exercise, and drink water. Be kind to yourself and don’t try to power through as if there aren’t any obstacles too great for you to over-come. When you are with others (family, church family, law enforcement, community), make sure before you start yelling about something, that being angry, and yelling is the best option t the situation. Try to be a calming influence that God know you can be. It isn’t an easy task but I believe we are needed more than any other time in the history of humanity to help all of us through these difficult times.



Be kind of one another.

Sincerely,

Chaplain Richard Hartman  
Journal Editor

# ICPC Executive Officers 2019-2021



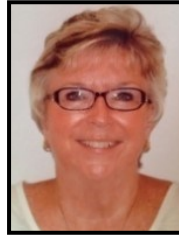
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## OFFICIAL NOTICE

The Annual meeting of the International Conference of Police Chaplains (ICPC) will be held in Greenville, SC, July 12-16, 2021.

Business to be conducted will include: receiving reports of the officers and committees, acting upon recommendations of the same, setting the 2021-2022 budget, elections, and any other business necessary and proper to come before said meeting.

## 2021 Election Procedures

Elections will be held during this year's ATS for the following ICPC Executive Office:

President-Elect  
Vice-President  
Secretary  
Treasurer

Open to Full, Retired or Life Members of ICPC in good standing. Updates and/or changes to membership must be submitted **NO LATER** than **June 28, 2021** to the corporate office: [icpc@icpc4cops.org](mailto:icpc@icpc4cops.org)

## 2021 Executive Officer Nomination Timeline

July 31, 2020	Nominations open for President-Elect, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary
February 01, 2021	Nominating Committee provides slate of qualified candidates to the Corporate Office, providing candidates electronic color photograph (JPG) and bio (Word format).
March 10, 2021	March edition of the ICPC Journal includes the slate of qualified candidates and announces the opening of “Floor” nominations <b>180 calendar days</b> preceding the Annual Training Seminar. “Floor” candidates must submit completed Form N-2012 and provide an electronic color photograph (JPG) and bio (Word format). to the Corporate Office via fax 850-654-9742 or Email: <a href="mailto:icpc@icpc4cops.org">icpc@icpc4cops.org</a> <b>no later than mid-night April 13, 2021.</b>
April 13, 2021	Close of “Floor” nominations, 12:01 AM <b>90 calendar days</b> preceding the opening ceremonies of the Annual Training Seminar.
April 14, 2021	Corporate Office presents all submitted, qualified “Floor” nominations to the Nominating Committee for review/verification process.
May 01, 2021	Nominating Committee provides final slate of all qualified candidates and includes an electronic color photograph (JPG) and bio (Word format) to the Corporate Office.
June 10, 2021	June edition of the ICPC Journal includes the slate of all qualified candidates running for executive office <b>30 calendar days</b> after Floor nominations close.
July 12, 2021	Candidates presented to the attendees of the Annual Training Seminar
July 14, 2021	Candidates Forum – Wednesday Evening 7:15 pm
July 15, 2021	Election of Officers
July 15, 2021	Announce election results at the Thursday Business Meeting
July 15, 2021	Officers presented at the Banquet and sworn in
September 10, 2021	Journal Article announcing new officers

# NOMINATING COMMITTEE'S SLATE OF EXECUTIVE OFFICER CANDIDATES 2021-2023

## President (automatic)



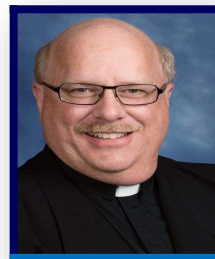
**Ronald J. White**  
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Chicago Heights Police Department  
Chicago Heights, IL  
Non-Denominational  
ICPC Credentialed—Diplomate

## President-Elect



**Jim Bontrager**  
Volunteer Chaplain  
Elkhart Police Department  
Elkhart, IN  
Non-Denominational  
ICPC Credentialed—Diplomate

## Secretary



**Richard Hartman**  
Emeritus Chaplain  
Fort Wayne Police Department  
United States Secret Service  
Fort Wayne, IN  
Lutheran  
ICPC Credentialed—Senior

## Vice-President



**Paul Ellis**  
Volunteer Chaplain  
Maricopa Police Department  
Maricopa, AZ  
Assemblies of God  
ICPC Credentialed—Diplomate



**Erick Riddle**  
Volunteer Chaplain  
Carroll County Sheriff  
Monticello, IN  
Non-Denominational  
ICPC Credentialed—Diplomate



**Gary Welsh**  
Assistant Commissioner of Police and  
Director of the National Police College  
of Jamaica  
Kingston, Jamaica  
Church of God  
ICPC Credentialed—Diplomate



**Robert C. Daniel**  
Retired FBI Agent,  
Springfield, MO  
Church of Christ  
ICPC Credentialed—Senior

## Treasurer



**Bob Heath**  
Volunteer Chaplain  
Joplin Police Department  
Joplin, MO  
Non-Denominational  
ICPC Credentialed—Diplomate



## QUALIFICATIONS TO HOLD OFFICE

<b>President-Elect</b>	<b>Vice-President</b>	<b>Secretary</b>	<b>Treasurer/CFO</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full member in good standing for the previous 5 years</li> <li>• ICPC Credentialed (Senior or above)</li> <li>• Attended at least 5 Annual Training Seminars and Regional Training Seminars in the previous 5 years</li> <li>• Exhibited involvement in the activities of their Region and/or Area</li> <li>• Participated in ICPC committee work</li> <li>• Demonstrated organizational leadership skills and abilities</li> <li>• Served in the office of Vice President</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full member in good standing for the previous 5 years</li> <li>• ICPC Credentialed (Senior or above)</li> <li>• Attended at least 5 Annual Training Seminars and Regional Training Seminars in the previous 5 years</li> <li>• Exhibited involvement in the activities of their Region and/or Area</li> <li>• Participated in ICPC committee work</li> <li>• Demonstrated organizational leadership skills and abilities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full member in good standing for the previous 5 years</li> <li>• ICPC Credentialed (Senior or above)</li> <li>• Possess strong knowledge of Robert's Rules of Order</li> <li>• Experienced in record keeping</li> <li>• Possess professional writing skills</li> <li>• Experienced in conducting business meetings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full member in good standing for the previous 5 years</li> <li>• ICPC Credentialed (Senior or above)</li> <li>• Have at least 2 years of experience in business finance in such areas as accounting, bookkeeping, non-profit organization accounting and record keeping, investments and endowments</li> <li>• Ability to generate and present a corporate financial report</li> </ul>











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# REGION DIRECTORS

<b>Position Vacant</b>					
<b>Region 1</b>	<b>Region 2</b> Michael Neil	<b>Region 3</b> Steve Breitbarth	<b>Region 4</b> Robert Vester	<b>Region 5</b> Dan Schafer	<b>Region 6</b> Paul Ellis
			<b>Position Vacant</b>		
<b>Region 7</b> Mike Hardgrove	<b>Region 8</b> Glenn Davenport	<b>Region 9</b> Keoki Awai	<b>Region 10</b>	<b>Region 11</b> Kibinge Wa Muturi	<b>Region 12</b> Gary Welsh

## REGION RESOURCES

For information on ICPC Regions, please visit our website: [icpc4cops.org](http://icpc4cops.org)—Regions

Page Selections:	Description
Region Directors	Provides contact information by Region
Area Representatives	Provides a listing by State/Area of the Representative and contact information.
Region Map	Graphic containing the global regions of ICPC.
Region Training Seminars	Lists upcoming training dates, locations, host contact information, brochure for current and/or upcoming training events, and accommodation links.
Region News and Links	Links to regional websites for news and additional information.

**The MEMBERS ONLY Section has migrated to our ICPC Microsoft 365 Platform.**

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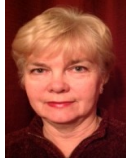
### Articles, News, Notes, Comments, and Suggestions

We'd like articles, news, notes, perspectives, and/or opinions on ICPC programs and publications. Send ideas to: [icpc@icpc4cops.org](mailto:icpc@icpc4cops.org)

Include:

- Reprint permission;
- Formatted in Word format or included in the body of an email; and
- Include a picture of the submitter.

# STANDING COMMITTEES

	<b>Advisory</b> Keoki Awai Kailua, HI		<b>Bylaws</b> Robert Cornelius Casa Grande, AZ		<b>Credential</b> Richard S. Kassel Indianapolis, IN
	<b>Development</b> Mark Bardsley Marion, IN		<b>Disaster</b> Tamra Gore Benton, AR		<b>Diversity</b> Vacant
	<b>Education</b> Mark Clements LaCrosse, WI		<b>Instructor Development</b> Stephen R. Niles Waukesha, WI		<b>Ethics</b> Bill Youngblood Charleston, SC
	<b>Executive</b> Pam Neal Knoxville, TN		<b>Finance</b> Robert Heath Joplin, MO		<b>International</b> Gary Welsh Jamaica
	<b>Liaison</b> Mark F. Arbeen Burke, VA		<b>Membership</b> Frank J. O'Laughlin LaCrosse, WI	<b>Committee Chairs are appointed by the President and will typically serve two years in conjunction with the President's term of office. Committee Chairs may serve additional years.</b>	
	<b>Public Relations</b> Richard Hartman Fort Wayne, IN		<b>Spiritual Oversight</b> Diane Peterson Anchorage, AK		

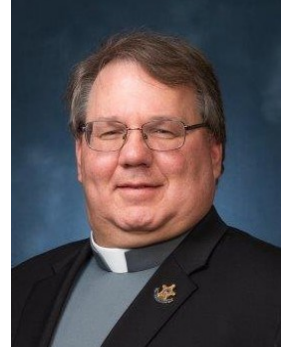
# PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTED

	<b>Academic Registrar</b> John Transue Evans, GA		<b>Parliamentarian</b> Bill Youngblood Charleston, SC		<b>Contract Endorser</b> Robert Heath Joplin, MO
	<b>Journal Editor</b> Richard Hartman Fort Wayne, IN		<b>Resident Agent</b> Conant Carr Las Cruces, NM		<b>Personnel</b> Wes McDuffie Grand Prairie, TX
	<b>Peer Support</b> Robert Johnson Waynesboro, VA		<b>International Conference of Police Chaplains</b>		

# NEW LIFE MEMBERS



Chaplain William J. Roscoe  
Life Member #118  
Member Since 2009  
Canyon County Sheriff ID



Chaplain Mark F. Arbeen  
Life Member #119  
Member Since 2016  
United States Secret Service



Chaplain Gary Welsh  
Life Member #120  
Member Since 2008



## Jamaica Constabulary Force New ICPC Life Members



Chaplain Maxine Welsh  
Life Member #121  
Member Since 2008



Robert H. Barr  
Life Member #122  
Member Since 2012



Maxo DeJanis  
Life Member #123  
Member Since 2009



Lenford N. Newell  
Life Member #124  
Member Since 2009



Senoro K. Newell  
Life Member #125  
Member Since 2009



Orett E. Samuels  
Life Member #126  
Member Since 2016

Interested in becoming a life member? Requirements: Full member in good standing for five (5) years. For more information email our office: [icpc@icpc4cops.org](mailto:icpc@icpc4cops.org)

# NEW MEMBERS

*Dates: February 16, 2021 through May 15, 2021*

## Region 2

Krauger, Burnett F.	Monmouth	OR
Whitbeck, Philip E.	Caldwell	ID

## Region 3

Beech, George M	Rochester	MN
Metzler, Michael J.	Hinckley	MN
Raglin, Tina R	Virginia	MN
Rusco, Ruben R	Hibbing	MN

## Region 4

Andersen, Jason O.	DeForest	WI
Bryk, Jennifer	Chicago	IL
Fernihough, Daniel	Bryan	OH
Flynn, Jeanette M.	Chicago	IL
Johnson, Jeanette	Bellwood	IL
Keesee-Henry, Edie I	Arcadia	IN
Koziol, Stephen J.	Corunna	IN
Kruchkow, Christopher A.	Berne	IN
Middlestead, Jeffrey E.	Sault Ste Marie	MI
Musarra, Christian M	Northfield	OH
North, Bradley S	Antwerp	OH
Olson, Drew	Janesville	WI
Overton, Joel T.	Greenwood	IN
Parker, Stephen R.	Auburn	IN
Reeves, Joseph M.	White Water	WI
Talley, Chris	Morristown	OH
Tapp, Tina C.	Hopkinsville	KY

## Region 5

Camacho, Nicholas	Womelsdorf	PA
Campbell, Craig W.	Lockport	NY
Doherty, Derrick L	Middletown	NJ
Hewes, Joseph E	Freehold	NJ
Mulligan, Barry R.	Keyport	NJ
Perez, Manuel A.	Reading	PA
Sanders, Mark K.	Middleport	NY
Schultz, Andrew E	Fair Lawn	NJ

## Region 6

Cruse, Michael	Anaheim	CA
Dunnigan, Erin	Petaluma	CA
Jones, Kelly M.	Dublin	CA
Lam, Angela D.	Petaluma	CA
MacDonald, Richard L	Azusa	CA
Park, Brian J.	Riverside	CA
Purificacion, Dennis T.	American Canyon	CA
Resnicke, Arin D.	Redding	CA
Richey, Scott M	Snowflake	AZ
Sanner, Dean M	North Las Vegas	NV
Steele, Licitika L.	Rio Rancho	NM
Stein, Michael A	Berthoud	CO
Tran, Huy N	Peyton	CO
Walker, Elizabeth	Santa Maria	CA
Yolanda, Joseph	Tracy	CA

# NEW MEMBERS CONTINUED

*Dates: February 16, 2021 through May 15, 2021*

Region 7		
Adams, Loren E.	Dickinson	TX
Calhoun, Patrick W	Tulsa	OK
Castleman, Jason A	Claremore	OK
Currence, Donald L	Ozark	MO
Drake, Bradley Y.	Alvin	TX
Jimenez, Scott	Big Spring	TX
Johnson, Steven K.	Ballwin	MO
King, Timothy L.	Crane	TX
Kirk, Cheryl L.	San Antonio	TX
Knox, John G.	Granbury	TX
Liedkie, Frank A.	Grand Prairie	TX
Lunnam, Curtis L.	Lawrence	KS
Walker, Daniel M.	Chesterfield	MO
Wermuth, Daniel H.	Joplin	MO

Region 8		
Anacius, Elisabeth	Tampa	FL
Asaftei, Marius R.	Winter Springs	FL
Austin, Bryan W	Chattanooga	TN
Beeler, Teresa	Orlando	FL
Brown, Brian	Wesley Chapel	FL
Brown, Michelle V.	Nashville	TN
Camenisch, Robert C.	Hixson	TN
Caram, Edward J	Chattanooga	TN
Cobb, Delores A.	Collierville	TN
Collins, Greg	Hixson	TN
Correll, Brian D.	Conover	NC
Edwards, Christopher N	Chattanooga	TN
Ewing, Lakweshia J.	Chattanooga	TN
Hardee, Deck S.	Moneta	VA
Hembree, Brandon K	Fredericksburg	VA
Ivey, Andrew T.	Nashville	TN
Jackson, Charlotte	Orlando	FL
Jean-Baptiste, Judy	Apopka	FL
Lewis, Craig J	Signal Mountain	TN
Miller, Arlton R.	Leakesville	MS
Norman, Dale V	Charleston	SC
Prestridge, David E	Chattanooga	TN
Taylor, Daryl S.	South Riding	VA
Walczykowski, Lawrence M	Weldon	NC
Woods, Michael L.	Stuarts Draft	VA



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Auxiliary information, news, how to join, etc., please submit to:

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# ICPC Annual Training Seminar (ATS)

Greenville, SC

July 12-16, 2021

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## ***Breaking News***

ICPC Annual Training Seminar (ATS)  
Will be held on schedule

Greenville, SC July 12-16, 2021

*(Click here for course Selections and Registration Fees)*

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Single/Double Occupancy: **\$119.00**

• + taxes and fees per night

**Discount Code: G-ICPC**

**ICPC GROUP RATE CUT-OFF:**

***June 24, 2021***

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Greenville-Spartanburg Intl. Airport  
(GSP)

*"Developing Professional Chaplains through Dynamic  
Education and Support"*

# Come See what's new in your ICPC Teams

- Annual Report
- Annual Training Seminar
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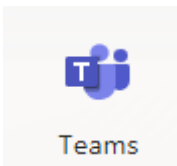
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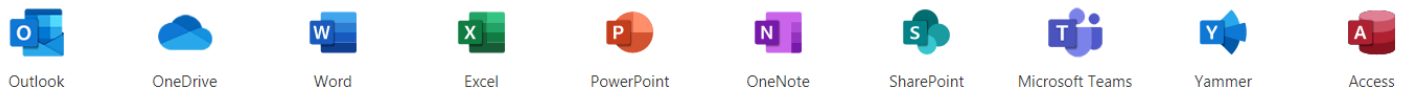
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# INFORMATION FATIGUE

So you're standing there at the gas pump waiting for your gas tank to fill up while watching a TV screen above the pump that now plays commercials.

It seems these days that you and I are constantly bombarded with never ending "INFORMATION NOISE." Whether it is from social media, our cell phones, television, evening news, movies, radio, conversations with our friends, the internet, in bookstores, the doctor's office, our work place and NOW commercials at the pump. With all this coming at us a fella just might begin to suffer from "information fatigue."



We live in a world of constant noise telling us "What we need to know!" "Look at this!" "Look over here!" "This is how you become beautiful!" "You can't live without this!" "Try this!" "You really need this!" "Try that!" "You won't believe this!" "Go here!" The noise can cause us to become exhausted, fragmented, fearful, and even disheartened.

In Scripture, Jesus showed us how to walk away from all this noise in Mark 1:35 where it states, "Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed." There are times we need to shut down all our devices for a set period of time a day and focus on our Heavenly Father's love for us and his simple yet beautiful truth.

All the noise of this world can be reason for us to be "worried about many things" (Luke 10:38-42). In the story of Mary and Martha we note that for busy and active people there is a need to slow down and pull away to be with Jesus. While this might not be a natural inclination, it is a necessity. Martha had chosen worry and busyness over resting and listening in the presence of Jesus. Listening to the noise of a busy life can create a loss of perspective. That is why Jesus gives the simple prescription "that only one thing is really needed," and that is to spend time with Him. Worry makes us think that many things are absolute priorities, when really there is only one.

The greatest stress reliever is to spend time with your Heavenly Father sitting quietly before Him listening — a time of solitude for Him to love you and you to love Him. Fellowship with him will give you a confidence, an assurance, and a peace that surpasses all understanding.

"If you feel afraid, exhausted, or hopeless, it's time to get alone in a solitary place. That may be your basement, back yard, or bathroom. It may be in the woods where you wander, or at the lake where you can sit quietly and listen to Him and talk to Him too."

We all need God in our lives. He is sufficient and adequate for you...He is the only one who can genuinely satisfy your hearts. He will help you sort things out...He loves you! Give him some time!

*With kind regards,*

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lee Shaw".

Senior Chaplain Lee Shaw

# News & Notes



Above Chaplain Tina Frost with one of Cabot Police Department Officers.

## Celebrating call to chaplaincy - Arkansas Baptist News

Growing up, Frost wanted to be a police officer. Later, in adulthood, she became a police dispatcher. In her mind that was a stepping stone to becoming a police officer, but that never happened. [Click to read whole story](#)



To the right Chaplain John Putnam presents the 2020 Illinois State, Wentink-Kauffman Award of Excellence in Law Enforcement Chaplaincy to Rabbi Dov Klein.



To the left Chaplain Ric Worshill presents 2021 Illinois State, Wentink-Kauffman Award of Excellence in Law Enforcement Chaplaincy to Chaplain Jacques Conway at the Oak Park PD.

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In existence for 45 years, ICPC, a 501(c) (3) organization, continues to strive to expand its trainings and services to its members.

ICPC's mission statement, *Developing Professional Chaplains through Dynamic Education and Support*, is realized not only through annual membership dues, but also by means of individual donations.

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## Peer Support Team

Self-care, without a doubt, is an especially important part of our ministry, taking care of ourselves. Making sure we have taken time to rest our minds and hearts from this very demanding position called Chaplain. ICPC believes that having a peer support team and Hotline is very much related to self-care.

When I think about self-care, as we deal with trauma, stress and anxiety, we need a place to come to and share those emotions. That is what peer support is all about. It means we can share, with those who experience the same reactions, the pent-up anxieties and stressors that invade our very soul.

Here are ten benefits to having a Peer Support Team and hotline:

1. ***Individuals speak the same language.***
2. ***Assists in communication.***
3. ***Learn from peers who have “been there”.***
4. ***Support is applicable to the job.***
5. ***Increases family support.***
6. ***Identifies health problems.***
7. ***Provides directed advice and support.***
8. ***Provides confidentiality and trust.***
9. ***Prevents judgment/condemnation.***
10. ***Provides a way to give back.***



When you seek support, it is common to share your experience and talk about what you have been through and what you have done—things that relate to why you are reaching out. It is helpful to know that you are speaking to someone who understands the lingo. You do not have to explain acronyms or procedures; your listener understands.

Peer support is not new. It has been offered through families, churches, CISM, local law enforcement agencies and the ICPC family. Peer support is also a way we walk together. Discover your own simple, safe, wellness tools for coping. You can develop a list of things to do every day to stay well. Identify upsetting events and early warning signs, and create a personal crisis plan and post crisis plan.

Several months ago, our President Pam wanted to develop this program, so we started. It is now a reality and being offered to all our ICPC members throughout the ICPC family. It is offered 24/7, 365 days a year as a benefit of ICPC membership. If you need support and a caring listener, call this number **(#850-654-5136)** and one of our team members will answer. It is strictly confidential. No name required. This is for you and me; so please take advantage of it and know that someone is there for you. **SOMEONE CARES.**



Bob Johnson Peer Support Chair  
Diplomat, Life Member, Ethic, Disaster  
SS, ATF

# A Word About the Credential Process

RICHARD KASSEL, CREDENTIAL CHAIR

Members routinely ask about obtaining a Basic Credential Certificate after taking the 12 Basic Core Courses at an Annual, Region, or District Training Seminar.

Completion of the courses meet *part* of the requirements for a Basic Credential, it is *not* an automatic process.

## Credential Application Requirements

1. Member of ICPC
2. CEU and ICPC CEU hours/criteria:
  - **Basic**—3.5 CEU (ICPC-1.8 Basic Core Courses)
  - **Liaison**—4.0 CEU (ICPC-1.8 Basic Core Courses and .45 Liaison I, II and III)
  - **Senior**—15 CEU (ICPC-1.5); hold a Basic/Liaison Credential; 5 years as a law enforcement chaplain
  - **Master**—35 (ICPC-3.5); hold a Senior Credential; 10 years as a law enforcement chaplain
  - **Diplomate**—50 CEU (ICPC-5); hold a Master Credential; 15 years as a law enforcement chaplain; and 20 ATS/RTS Credits
  - **Fellow**—100 CEU (ICPC 10); hold a Diplomate Credential; 20 years as a law enforcement chaplain; 40 ATS/RTS Credits

The ICPC Credentialing Pamphlet (available on the front side of our website under the Credential Tab or [HERE](#)) provides definitions and additional details.

After review of the Credentialing Pamphlet, verify with the Academic Team to see if you meet all the requirements.

Once verified, you must apply for a credential by completing the appropriate application form from the ICPC website ([icpc4cops.org](http://icpc4cops.org))—Members Only Section—Credential Folder.

Members of the ICPC Credential Committee are eager to assist our members in obtaining higher levels of credentials.

There are committee members in each region of ICPC who conduct the interviews required for Senior and Master Credential Levels.

You will find them helpful as you seek any of the offered credential levels. Their names are listed on the website (Members Only Section—Committee Folder—Committee Roster). Please do not hesitate to contact them if you need assistance in preparing your application.

## Credential Certificates—Final Approval

Basic, Liaison, Senior, and Master Level—Certificates and pins are mailed from the ICPC Corporate office.

Diplomate and Fellow—Certificates and pins are presented at the ATS.

## Transcripts

Our Academic Team: Dr. John Transue, Academic Registrar and Mike Hendricks, Assistant Academic Registrar strive to maintain accurate records; however, it behooves each member to maintain a record of ICPC courses and/or other academic submissions.

Again, please consult the Credential Pamphlet for additional information regarding requirements for each credential level.

## Blessings



*Rick Kassel has been a member of ICPC since 1993 and served as the Region 4 Director, Credential Committee Chair and is a Certified ICPC Instructor. He lives in Indianapolis, IN and retired from the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department (IN)*



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# CREDENTIAL RECIPIENTS

(2-16-21 to 5-15-21)



## **BASIC**

Granchukoff, Veniamin (Ben) I.

Holt, Robert H.

Humble, Michael E.

McBride, J Calvin

Richey, Teresa G.

Shreffler, Michelle A.

Smith, Michael

Woodgate, Bruce I.

## **SENIOR**

Bartlett, Monte D.

Harman, Robert G.

Madren, Fred M., Jr.

Poulsen, Robert W.

Vann, Raymond K., Jr.

## **MASTER**

Brown, Allan R.

Chaisson, J. Wayne

Grow, Debra

Long, Greg L.

Parrish, Wilson

Russell, Jeffry R.

## **Credential Levels**

### **BASIC**

Member Status—All  
3.5 CEU  
(1.8 ICPC CEU Basic  
Core Courses Required)  
Application Fee - \$25.00

### **LIAISON**

Member Status—All  
4.0 CEU  
(1.8 ICPC CEU Basic  
Core Courses Required)  
**Liaison I, II, III**  
(.45 ICPC CEU)  
Application Fee - \$25.00

**THEN**

### **SENIOR**

Member Status—Full Member  
15 CEU (1.5 ICPC)  
Hold ICPC Basic or Liaison Level Credential  
5 Years LE Chaplain  
Application Fee - \$50.00

### **MASTER**

Member Status—Full Member  
35 CEU (3.5 ICPC)  
10 Years LE Chaplain  
Hold ICPC Senior Level Credential  
Application Fee - \$75.00

### **DIPLOMATE**

Member Status—Full Member  
50 CEU (5 ICPC) + 20 ATS/RTS Credits  
Hold ICPC Master Level Credential  
15 Years of Law Enforcement Chaplaincy  
Application Fee - \$150.00

**Application Deadline - March 31st**

### **FELLOW**

Member Status—Full Member  
100 CEU (10 ICPC) + 40 ATS/RTS Credits  
Hold ICPC Diplomate Level Credential  
20 Years of Law Enforcement Chaplaincy  
Application Fee - \$150.00

**Application Deadline - March 31st**

For the complete guide visit the [icpc4cops.org](http://www.icpc4cops.org) website or click link below

<http://www.icpc4cops.org/credential/index.html>

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## “Get our Six” Campaign

The International Conference of Police Chaplains mission is “Developing professional chaplains through dynamic education and support”. I believe in the mission and have received hundreds of hours of quality law enforcement chaplaincy training. All the while developing lifelong friends through the fellowship at Annual and Regional Training Seminars for the past 28 years.

Generally, we will throw our support behind something or someone we believe who supports our mission. Support may be with our time, voice, or money. I have tried to do all three.

ICPC desires to continue to be the cutting edge of law enforcement chaplaincy. The only way that can be accomplished is by investing funds in development and programs. We have set up a campaign “[Get our 6](#)” to help raise financial support for ICPC’s mission. As any law enforcement officer knows, having a partner who you know and trust tell you; they “got your 6” might mean the difference between going home safe or being injured or killed in the line of duty. I am encouraging each ICPC member to get behind the mission of ICPC and put your financial support where it will do the most good.

The “**Get our 6**” campaign is designed to begin immediately. Like many corporations, we have had an unfortunate loss of revenue in the fiscal year that just closed June 30<sup>th</sup>. With just ¼ of our member’s support of giving \$10.00 (or more) each month, we could make up a huge portion of lost revenue. Your contributions may be processed through the ICPC Donation Button on our website’s homepage. You will have the option to designate your donation as a recurring gift and you would not have to think about it again. Remember, your generosity qualifies as an IRS tax contribution.

Honestly, \$10.00 a month would not be a hardship to most of us, perhaps skipping two coffee shop drinks or maybe skipping a fast food lunch each month. It would mean a world of difference for ICPC’s mission. If we are going to continue to be the premiere law enforcement chaplaincy organization, we must have the funds to aggressively address our future.

I am willing to commit by being the first to contribute to the “**Get our 6**” campaign.

Respectfully submitted,



Chaplain Bob Heath, ICPC CFO  
Joplin, MO Police Department

*The ICPC Journal ~ June 2021*



## HALL OF FAME

ICPC wishes to thank the following  
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*Thank you for your faithful*

*support of ICPC!*

# THE SILENT/VISUAL ROLLCALL OF OUR FALLEN OFFICERS



## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

### ARIZONA



Police Officer Christopher Farrar  
EOW: 4/30/2021  
Chandler Police Department, AZ  
Causes: Vehicular assault

### CALIFORNIA



Sergeant Richard Paul Brown  
EOW: 2/17/2021  
Fresno Police Department, CA  
Causes: COVID19



Deputy Sheriff Thomas Albanese  
EOW: 2/25/2021  
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, CA  
Causes: Motorcycle crash



Police Officer II Jose Anzora  
EOW: 3/3/2021  
Los Angeles Police Department, CA  
Causes: Struck by vehicle



K9 Jango  
EOW: 4/27/2021  
Bakersfield Police Department, CA  
Causes: Gunfire



Detention Services Officer Michael Wall  
EOW: 4/30/2021  
Los Angeles County Probation Department, CA  
Causes: Heart attack



Detective Luca Benedetti  
EOW: 5/10/2021  
San Luis Obispo Police Department, CA  
Causes: Gunfire



Police Officer Jimmy Inn  
EOW: 5/11/2021  
Stockton Police Department, CA  
Causes: Gunfire

### COLORADO



Police Officer Eric Talley  
EOW: 3/22/2021  
Boulder Police Department, CO  
Causes: Gunfire

### FLORIDA



Deputy Sheriff Michael Magli  
EOW: 2/17/2021  
Pinellas County Sheriff's Office, FL  
Causes: Vehicular assault



Officer Jesse Madsen  
EOW: 3/9/2021  
Tampa Police Department, FL  
Causes: Vehicular assault



Police Officer Kevin Valencia  
EOW: 3/15/2021  
Orlando Police Department, FL  
Causes: Gunfire



Sergeant Shane Owens  
EOW: 3/27/2021  
Broward County Sheriff's Office, FL  
Causes: COVID19



Deputy Sheriff Carlos Antonio Hernandez  
EOW: 4/11/2021  
Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office, FL  
Causes: COVID19



K9 Joker  
EOW: 4/21/2021  
Indian River County Sheriff's Office, FL  
Causes: Training accident

### GEORGIA



Captain Justin Williams Bedwell  
EOW: 3/1/2021  
Decatur County Sheriff's Office, GA  
Causes: Gunfire

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**Sergeant Barry Edwin Henderson**  
**EOW: 3/9/2021**  
Polk County Sheriff's Office, GA  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Sergeant James K. Smith**  
**EOW: 4/9/2021**  
Iowa State Patrol, IA  
**Causes: Gunfire**



**Deputy Sheriff Christopher Wilson Knight**  
**EOW: 4/6/2021**  
Bibb County Sheriff's Office, GA  
**Causes: Stabbed**

## LOUISIANA



**Reserve Deputy Constable Martinus Mitch**  
**EOW: 2/26/2021**  
Second City Court of New Orleans Constable's Office, LA  
**Causes: Gunfire**

## ILLINOIS



**Police Officer Gary Hibbs**  
**EOW: 3/12/2021**  
Chicago Heights Police Department, IL  
**Causes: Assault**

## MARYLAND



**Corporal Keith Heacock**  
**EOW: 4/28/2021**  
Delmar Police Department, MD  
**Causes: Assault**



**Senior Master Trooper Todd A. Hanneken**  
**EOW: 3/25/2021**  
Illinois State Police, IL  
**Causes: Automobile crash**

## MICHIGAN



**Lieutenant James Kouski**  
**EOW: 4/3/2021**  
Hometown Police Department, IL  
**Causes: Vehicular assault**



**Chief of Police Fred Alan Posavetz**  
**EOW: 3/22/2021**  
Clinton Township Police Department, MI  
**Causes: COVID19**

## INDIANA



**Lieutenant Eugene Lasco**  
**EOW: 2/21/2021**  
Indiana Department of Correction, IN  
**Causes: Stabbed**

## MINNESOTA



**K9 Luna**  
**EOW: 2/25/2021**  
Duluth Police Department, MN  
**Causes: Gunfire**



**Reserve Deputy Sheriff James Driver**  
**EOW: 3/29/2021**  
Monroe County Sheriff's Office, IN  
**Causes: Automobile crash**



**Detention Deputy Mark Edward Anderson**  
**EOW: 4/15/2021**  
Olmsted County Sheriff's Office, MN  
**Causes: Heart attack**

## IOWA



**Correctional Officer Robert McFarland**  
**EOW: 3/23/2021**  
Iowa Department of Corrections, IA  
**Causes: Assault**

## MISSISSIPPI



**Deputy Sheriff Thomas Patrick Barnes**  
**EOW: 4/10/2021**  
Jefferson Davis County Sheriff's Department, MS  
**Causes: Automobile crash**

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## NEW YORK



**Trooper Joseph Gallagher**  
EOW: 3/26/2021  
New York State Police, NY  
Causes: Struck by vehicle



**Police Officer Anastasio Tsakos**  
EOW: 4/27/2021  
New York City Police Department, NY  
Causes: Vehicular assault

## NORTH CAROLINA



**Sergeant LaShonda Owens**  
EOW: 3/18/2021  
Northampton County Sheriff's Office, NC  
Causes: COVID19



**Police Officer Brent Nelson Hall**  
EOW: 4/3/2021  
Newton Grove Police Department, NC  
Causes: Automobile crash



**Deputy Sheriff Joseph Brandon Gore**  
EOW: 4/3/2021  
Brunswick County Sheriff's Office, NC  
Causes: COVID19



**Police Officer David Parde**  
EOW: 4/17/2021  
Lexington Police Department, NC  
Causes: Gunfire



**Deputy Sheriff Logan Fox**  
EOW: 4/28/2021  
Watauga County Sheriff's Office, NC  
Causes: Gunfire



**Sergeant Chris Ward**  
EOW: 4/28/2021  
Watauga County Sheriff's Office, NC  
Causes: Gunfire

## OHIO



**Natural Resources Officer Jason Lagore**  
EOW: 2/23/2021  
Ohio Department of Natural Resources -  
Division of State Parks and Watercraft, OH  
Causes: Duty related illness

## OKLAHOMA



**Police Officer Matt North**  
EOW: 3/20/2021  
Bernice Police Department, OK  
Causes: Heart attack



**Corporal Kyle Jeffrey Davis**  
EOW: 3/25/2021  
Washington County Sheriff's Office, OK  
Causes: Assault

## OREGON



**Deputy Sheriff Stanley "Allen" Burdic**  
EOW: 3/11/2021  
Douglas County Sheriff's Office, OR  
Causes: Gunfire



**Sergeant John Burright**  
EOW: 5/4/2021  
Oregon State Police, OR  
Causes: Struck by vehicle

## TENNESSEE



**Deputy Sheriff Terry Dyer**  
EOW: 4/20/2021  
Madison County Sheriff's Office, TN  
Causes: Heart attack

## TEXAS



**Corrections Officer IV Tawiwo Obele**  
EOW: 2/16/2021  
Texas Department of Criminal Justice -  
Correctional Institutions Division, TX  
Causes: COVID19

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**Deputy Constable Manuel Phillipe De La R**  
**EOW: 2/16/2021**  
Hays County Constable's Office - Precinct 2, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Major Estaban "Stevie" Ramirez, III**  
**EOW: 2/16/2021**  
Bell County Sheriff's Office, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Parole Officer Troy K. Morin**  
**EOW: 2/23/2021**  
Texas Department of Criminal Justice - Parole Division, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Corrections Officer III Tracey Adams**  
**EOW: 3/6/2021**  
Texas Department of Criminal Justice - Correctional Institutions Division, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Trooper Chad Walker**  
**EOW: 3/31/2021**  
Texas Department of Public Safety - Texas Highway Patrol, TX  
**Causes: Gunfire**



**Corrections Officer Luis Arturo Hernandez,**  
**EOW: 3/31/2021**  
Texas Department of Criminal Justice - Correctional Institutions Division, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Corrections Officer Jimmy Garcia**  
**EOW: 4/15/2021**  
Texas Department of Criminal Justice - Correctional Institutions Division, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**Deputy Sheriff Alexander Gwodz**  
**EOW: 4/22/2021**  
Harris County Sheriff's Office, TX  
**Causes: COVID19**



**K9 Kozmo**  
**EOW: 4/26/2021**  
Mesquite Police Department, TX  
**Causes: Unidentified**



**Deputy Sheriff Samuel Alexander Leonard**  
**EOW: 5/10/2021**  
Concho County Sheriff's Office, TX  
**Causes: Gunfire**



**Sergeant Stephen Jones**  
**EOW: 5/10/2021**  
Concho County Sheriff's Office, TX  
**Causes: Gunfire**

## VIRGINIA



**Police Officer Dominic Jared Winum**  
**EOW: 2/26/2021**  
Stanley Police Department, VA  
**Causes: Gunfire**



**OFFICER DOWN MEMORIAL PAGE**

REMEMBERING ALL OF LAW ENFORCEMENT'S HEROES

## Line of Duty Death MEMORIAL PROGRAM

On April 17, 1984, the Arkansas Miller County Sheriff's Department received the first ICPC Line of Duty Death (LODD) memorial.

The memorials and letters expressing our condolence on their loss are presented to the agency head, with a courtesy copy for the deceased officer's family.

Memorial Program donations are tax deductible, please consider partnering with us in this vital ministry.

We invite you to partner with us to continue this vital ministry of compassion to those who have experienced a Line of Duty Death (LODD).

Upon notification of a LODD from the Officer Down Memorial Page (ODMP), ICPC prepares a memorial for presentation to the agency and family.

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## ICPC Line of Duty Death Memorial Presentation

As an organization, the International Conference of Police of Chaplains (ICPC) strives to honor those who have fallen in the line of duty, preferably through an in person presentation of a Memorial to both the fallen's family and to the agency they served. Recognizing that people grieve in different ways, the wishes of both the family and the agency will be the guiding principle in carrying out this effort. Our commitment of support is to whatever way they deem the most beneficial to all involved.

The loss of an officer shakes the law enforcement family to its very core. Natural families are stripped of their dearest members, agencies of those who linked arms in the battle against evil and communities of the heroes that served them. It's during this time that words should be few, the ministry of presence everything and honor the overarching theme of the day.

It's in that spirit we submit the following policy for ICPC members assisting the organization in the presentation of the Line of Duty Death Memorial:

1. Having been designated by ICPC corporate as the responsible party (RP) for making the presentation as well as having received it in the mail, the RP will make contact with the fallen's department and determine who has been assigned as the departmental liaison with the family. The RP will keep the ICPC State Rep as well as the Regional Director abreast of all correspondence.
2. The RP will then contact the Family Liaison Officer or departmental representative identified. He/she will explain our desires as an organization and what that looks like in the presentation of the Line of Duty Death Memorial which we hope would be well received by the deceased hero's family and department.
3. Should the family and/or the department opt for the presentation to be made in person, the RP will coordinate a time/location to do so with the Family Liaison Officer. The RP will communicate all confirmed plans with chaplains in his/her region as well as state and regional leaders. All are encouraged to show their support at the presentation as able. Should the family or the department not desire a presentation, the Memorial will be given to the Family Liaison or departmental representative to be passed on to the appropriate family member/departmental leader.
4. It's important that the presentation be made with the proper mindset as well as in the proper attire. Uniforms should be worn if the chaplain has one... Suits in lieu if they do not. RPs should represent with a sober yet compassionate bearing. A strong undercurrent of honor should permeate the presentation for both the deceased and their family/ department. Comfort should be given where warranted ... all with the minimal words needed to communicate sincere honor and love.
5. **The RPs should make every effort to keep the LODD presentation out of the limelight. No photos should be taken unless requested by the survivors or the department. Any media contact initiated will solely be done by the survivors or the department, not by the RP. The ICPC RP should remain as low key as possible, in everything showing honor and respect to those suffering loss.**
6. RPs shall submit an electronic LODD After-Action summary form via the link/designation provided by the ICPC Corporate Office.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR WILLINGNESS TO REPRESENT ICPC IN HONORING THE FALLEN.**

# THE BADGE

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Standing there in his dress blues he vows to give his best.  
Can he know the gravity of the badge now on his chest?  
Visions in his mind, he's going to change the world.  
He's sure to find, like us once blind, to the violence unfurled.

He took the call and gave his all there's so little time to rest  
Not withstanding so demanding, this badge upon his chest.  
Now things he sees is fitful dreams that somehow should not be,  
All the things he happened on that he cannot un-see.

Now there's prayers he prays at night, and fears that he confessed  
Now he knows it grows and grows the weight that's on his chest.  
Somewhere on a lonely street a single shot rings out.  
Lying there in his dress blues he gave the world his best.  
Succumbing to the weight of it they lay his soul to rest.

## International Conference of Police Chaplains Archive Photo



**ICPC ORGANIZATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE  
OCTOBER 9-10, 1973 WASHINGTON, DC**

*Left to right: Bob Gordon, Executive Secretary, ICPC; Wil Harvey; Jack Price; Joe Coleman; Joe Dooley; Walter Mischke; John Owen; Joakim Valasaidas; Bill Travers. (William Reinecke and James Powderly, not pictured.)*

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## History of ICPC LOGO

The ICPC logo is shaped like a five-pointed star of the early peace officer which was made famous by the Texas Rangers. Superimposed upon this is the more modern shield, the badge of office for those who have sworn to “shield” the public from those who would violate the law.

A field of blue, for truth, is surrounded by a circle of gold, for the unity of our chaplain family. Superimposed on the shield are the symbols of the Judeo-Christian faith, signifying faiths of ICPC’s Founders, the six-pointed Star of David and the Cross of Christ.

A laurel wreath, a symbol of honor, surrounds the shield distinguishing the law enforcement profession. At the top of the shield is a rising sun signifying God’s Word.

Thus, we have both symbols of law enforcement and faith inextricably woven together and superimposed to symbolize our office as law enforcement chaplains.

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