

# LEADERSHIP

OREGON CONFERENCE of the FREE METHODIST CHURCH

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BISHOP MATT WHITEHEAD - FMCUSA



**Matt Whitehead** began his service as Lead Bishop for the Free Methodist Church–USA in July 2019 which includes his oversight of Western US conferences (of which Oregon is one), and internationally of Africa and Asia. For the previous 20 years, Bishop Matt served as Superintendent of the Pacific Northwest Conference headquartered in Seattle, Washington, the same conference where he had previously served as lead pastor at two churches. Matt holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Seattle Pacific University, a Master of Divinity from Western Evangelical Seminary (Portland Seminary) and a Doctor of Ministry from Asbury Theological Seminary.

Matt & Melanie are celebrating 43 years of marriage in August, and are the parents of two daughters, Jessica and Melissa. They are big football fans (GO HAWKS!) and enjoy spending time with their three grandsons and family.

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## MISSION STATEMENT

To love God, love people,  
and to make disciples.

## VISION STATEMENT

To bring wholeness to the world through healthy  
biblical communities of holy people multiplying  
disciples, leaders, groups and churches.

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## SUPERINTENDENT ROBROY RANGER



**Robroy Ranger**, originally from Australia, began as Superintendent of the Oregon Conference in June of 2021 after serving a year on the PNW Conference Executive team. His prior ministry includes over 20 years as Lead Pastor & Chief Cultural Architect of a multicultural church in WA.

Robroy's primary passion is to breathe Christ in the world, establish community-wide purposeful discipleship in Christ's love, and to create new opportunities for people to serve Christ within multicultural community relationships.

Robroy is married to Jackie and they are the parents of three children: Ashlie—husband Mason & baby Jamison, Selby—missionary in Eurasia, and Angel-- a vibrant 17-year-old. Robroy's favorite pastimes include cycling, biking, and adventure travel.

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## Our **DIRECTION**



We are becoming a multicultural group **united** around Jesus to ignite a **Spirit-fueled movement**.

## Oregon Conference

of the Free Methodist Church

