Are you smarter than the average United Methodist? Dads Edition

1. True or False: Joseph, Jesus’ earthly father, has no recorded words in Scripture.
   □ True
   □ False

2. A pastor in the Church of England, what was the name of John Wesley’s father?
   □ Charles
   □ Edward
   □ Samuel
   □ William

3. Which dad was the longest serving bishop in The United Methodist Church?
   □ Bishop Escrivao A. Zunguze
   □ Bishop Elias Galvan
   □ Bishop Emilio de Carvalho

4. When were the first United Methodist father and daughter ordained together?
   □ 1974
   □ 2000
   □ 1996
   □ 2016
5. True or false: The first Father’s Day church service was held at a Methodist Church.
   - True
   - False

6. What Methodist daughter first proposed an official day to honor fathers?
   - Ann Jarvis
   - Sonora Smart Dodd
   - Frances Willard

7. Which of the following is true of the “Father of the United States,” George Washington?
   - He is recognized as the “Father of the American Foxhound.”
   - He owned more than 30 dogs.
   - His dogs included three named Tipsy, Drunkard, and Tipler.
   - All of the above

8. What is the oldest Methodist structure in Pennsylvania, named after one of the church’s founding fathers?
   - Asbury United Methodist Church
   - Boehm’s Chapel
   - Hamorton United Methodist Church
   - Barratt’s Chapel

9. Who is remembered as the “Father of Methodist Missions”?
   - Thomas Coke
   - Francis Asbury
   - Charles Wesley
   - Richard Whatcoat

10. Which U.S. president signed the law making Father’s Day a federal holiday?
    - Calvin Coolidge
    - Dwight D. Eisenhower
    - Lyndon Johnson
    - Richard Nixon

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**Answers: Are you smarter than the average United Methodist? Dads Edition**

1. **True or False: Joseph, Jesus’ earthly father, has no recorded words in Scripture.**
   
   True. Joseph plays a vital role in Jesus’ life and the four Gospels, yet none of his words are recorded in the Bible.

2. **A pastor in the Church of England, what was the first name of John Wesley’s father?**
   
   Samuel Wesley was clergy of the Church of England, a notable poet, and father to John Wesley who founded Methodism.

3. **Which dad was the longest serving bishop in The United Methodist Church?**
   
   Bishop Emilio de Carvalho was an active Bishop in his native country of Angola from 1972 to 2000.

4. **When were the first United Methodist father and daughter ordained together?**
   
   On June 1, 2016, the Rev. Alan Nagel was ordained at the same time as his daughter, the Rev. Tiffany Nagel Monroe.

5. **True or false: The first Father’s Day church service was held at a Methodist Church.**
   
   True. The first Father’s Day church service was held at Central United Methodist Church in West Virginia.

6. **What Methodist daughter first proposed an official day to honor fathers?**
   
   Sonora Smart Dodd celebrated her widowed father who raised Sonora and her five siblings on his birthday in June 1920.

7. **Which of the following is true of the “Father of the United States,” George Washington?**
   
   All of the above. George Washington was recognized by the American Kennel Club for his continuous work with dogs.

8. **What is the oldest Methodist structure in Pennsylvania, named after one of the church’s founding fathers?**
   
   The chapel is named after Martin Boehm who became a leader of the United Brethren of Christ, a predecessor of The United Methodist Church.

9. **Who is remembered as the “Father of Methodist Missions”?**
   
   Thomas Coke was president of the Methodist Church in Ireland and first bishop of The Methodist Episcopal Church in America.

10. **Which U.S. president signed the law making Father’s Day a federal holiday?**

    Although many presidents had a hand in creating Father’s Day, President Richard Nixon signed it into law.