2025 Central UMC Leadership

Administrative Council

Administrative Council Chair (2027) - Cindy Stauffer

Connect Lay Leader (2025) - Lisa Thompson

Grow Lay Leader (2025) - Kara Scheetz

Serve Lay Leader (2027) - unfilled at this time

Give Lay Leader (2026) - Jennifer Hensley

Missions - Sheila Borders and Steve Rodier

Lay Members to Annual Conference - Janice and David Willocks

Staff Parish Chair - Wendy Messler

Trustees Chair - Trustees elect their own chair in 2025

Lead Pastor - Scott Laver

Associate Minister - Audrey Madigan

Director of Finance - Joel Malone

Director of Children's Ministries - Hannah Collins

Director of Youth Ministries - Michelle Garcia

Our Purpose:

1. To discern the will of God for our Church (Para. 252.3b)

- 2. To celebrate current ministry initiatives (Para. 252.3b)
- 3. To implement and evaluate strategic ministry and mission initiatives that help us fulfill our mission as a church (Para 22.1)
- 4. Conduct administrative oversight of our church (Paragraph 252.4)

Staff Parish Relations Committee - SPRC

2025 Wendy Messler Sharon Yarbrough Open

2026 Josh James Jake Platfoot Donnie Malone 2027 Leslie Downey Kim Everett Alex Woods

Also on Team: Lead Pastor, Lay Leader

Objectives

- 1. Administer the SPRC Budget
- 2. Serve as a resource to the Central UMC staff and congregation
- 3. Promote excellence at Central

Finance Team

2025 Marlene Hillerman Elizabeth Irvin Jennifer Hensley (Ch)
2026 Lisa Thompson Bob Yates Lea Ann Sparks
2027 Andy Hodges Michael Stockham Bernie Horton

Treasurer: Becky Moses

Also on team: Council Chair, Lay Members to Annual Conference, SPRC Rep, Trustees Rep, Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Lay Leader of Serve, Church Business Administrator, Lead Pastor

Objectives

- 1. Encourage the culture of generosity within Central UMC on a year round basis
- 2. To oversee and raise our financial resources
- 3. Communicate how money given is making an impact in people's lives
- 4. Conduct an annual generosity campaign that has broad congregational participation
- 5. Provide opportunities for people to think and plan for giving beyond their lifetime through the use of endowments and other avenues

Trustees - Oversee our buildings and property

2025 Rita Smith Ruth Vaught Drew Herron
2026 Brian Williams Ronnie Powell David Rohr
2027 Rhonda Rasar Avery Pickett Lee Sparks
Also on Team: Business Administrator, Lead Pastor, Lay Leader of Grow

Church Landscaping Team: (Being Developed)

Objectives

- 1. Maintain an attractive church campus.
- 2. Engage in specific projects that arise during the year
- 3. Keeping the church well maintained

Nominations - Develops and deploys leadership of the church

2025 Melissa Best Libby McCammon 2026 Alan Jay Anne Yocum

2027 Open Open

Also on team: Lead Pastor (CH), Associate Pastor, Lay Leaders

Objectives

- 1. To help our church expand its ministry potential by helping people find and use their gifts for ministry.
- 2. To help folks better discern where the Lord is calling them to use their gifts and talents
- 3. To cultivate leaders for ministries in the church
- 4. To identify, train and equip leaders in the church to be successful in their positions