

CUMMING FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
CHURCH LEADERSHIP FOR 2023

NOTES:

1. Names in **bold** type indicate 2023 is first year serving in that position.
2. The Senior Pastor, as the administrative officer of the church, serves as an ex officio member with vote on all councils, boards, task forces, committees, etc. of the church unless otherwise prohibited by *The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church*.
3. The Senior Pastor may designate staff members to serve as ex-officio members of certain committees, councils, boards, etc. Such ex-officio members will have vote unless such is prohibited by *The Book of Discipline of The United Methodist Church*.

CHURCH COUNCIL

Executive

Church Council Chair (*3rd Lay Delegate to Annual Conference*) **Kevin Tallant**
 Church Council Vice-Chair (*4th Lay Delegate to Annual Conference*) **Jeff Roy**
 Recording Secretary..... **Barbara Ledbetter**
 Co-Lay Leaders (*1st & 2nd Lay Delegates to Annual Conference*) Debbie Poss & Don Slater (2)

Administrative Chairs

Board of Trustees Chair **Jon Brockman**
 Finance Committee Chair **Dana Letchworth**
 Church Treasurer..... Sandy Ray (+)
 Staff-Parish Relations Chair **Jason Smith**

Ministry Area Team Captains

Hospitality Team Captain **Patrick Webb & Susan Van Veld**
 Worship Team Captain..... **Patrick Webb**
 Faith Development Team Captain..... Wayne Abbott (2)
 Preschool Board Chair..... **Kathy Thomas**
 Congregational Care Team Captain..... Jeff Porcel(2)
 Missions & Service Team Captain **Christa O'Neal**
 Generosity Team Captain Robert & Janet Scott (2)
 President of United Women in Faith Janet Scott
 President of United Methodist Men..... John Heath
 Youth Representative..... **Anderson McKnight**
 Young Adult Representative..... Taylor Seay (2)

Clergy Staff

Senior Pastor Rev. Dr. Matt Stewart
 Pastor of Missions & Ministries Rev. Gia Jones
 Pastor of Faith Development..... Rev. Jane Brooks

Staff

Director of Children Ministries.....Cherie Perkins
 Director of Student MinistriesNate Bramel
 Church Administrator/Director of Hospitality & Worship..... Kristy Thompson
 Director of Music, Worship & Arts John Hutchinson

At-Large Members

Class of 2023Mike Harrington, James O'Neal
 Class of 2024 Kevin Tallant, Scott Messer, Craig Hethcox

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ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

CLASS OF 2023	Tammy Hensley	Bette Holoman	Dana Letchworth
CLASS OF 2024	Johanne Daigh	Sue Buckalew	Carol Johnson
CLASS OF 2025	Sharon Knolls	Jerry Harris	Rachael Bardall
Lay Leaders	Don Slater & Debbie Poss (Vice-Chairs)		
Staff:	Senior Pastor (Chair) and Church Administrator		

STAFF-PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE

CLASS OF 2023	Claudia Baldowski	Emily Thorton	Patrick Webb
CLASS OF 2024	Barbara Barnett	James O'Neal	Jeff Porcel
CLASS OF 2025	Jason Smith (Chair)	Chuck Pugh	Sharon Walton (Vice-Chair)
Lay Leaders	Debbie Poss & Don Slater		
Staff:	Senior Pastor		

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CLASS OF 2023	Joe Thorton	Sam Austin	John McGruder
CLASS OF 2024	Jerry Sanders	Jon Brockman (Chair)	Elizabeth Porcel (Secretary)
CLASS OF 2025	Gary Pierson (Vice-Chair)	Megan Hunt	Gloria Buice (Treasurer)
Staff: (without vote)	Senior Pastor and Facilities Manager		

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Chair			Dana Letchworth
Vice-Chair			Tim Heard
Church Treasurer			Sandy Ray
Generosity Team Captain			Robert & Janet Scott
Lay Leader			Debbie Poss & Don Slater
Church Council Chair			Kevin Tallant
Board of Trustees Chair			Jon Brockman
SPRC Chair			Jason Smith
CLASS OF 2023	Bill Bierschenk		Mack Butler
CLASS OF 2024	Judy Carter	Dana Lechworth	Jim Grant
CLASS OF 2025	Mary Helen McGruder	Tim Heard	Siv Keyser
Staff: (with vote)	All clergy		
Staff: (without vote)	Financial Administrator		

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HOSPITALITY TEAM

Hospitality Team Captain	Patrick Webb & Susan Van Veld		
Greeter Team Coordinator	Sharon Knolls (8:45&11:00)/ Linda Butler (9:45)		
CLASS OF 2023		Mary Nelson	Tammy Hensley
CLASS OF 2024	Mark Adams	Louwanna Underwood	Sue Buckalew
CLASS OF 2025		Siv Keyser	Cerue Harris
STAFF:	Director of Welcome & Hospitality and Director of Communications		

WORSHIP TEAM

Worship Team Captain	Patrick Webb		
Modern Worship Communion Coordinator	Vickie Stuckey (2)		
Modern Worship Setup Coordinator	Vickie Stuckey		
Traditional Altar Guild Coordinator	Mary Nelson		
Traditional Acolyte Coordinator			
Traditional Usher Co-Coordinators	Ken Baldowski (+) & Rock Hunt (2)		
Traditional Altar Flowers Coordinator	Renee Turner (+)		
Traditional Communion Coordinator	Kristy Thompson		
Flower Ministry Coordinator	Patrick Webb (+)		
Seasonal Decorations Coordinator	Nancy and Rick Graves		
STAFF:	Director of Worship & Arts and Director of Welcome & Hospitality		

FAITH DEVELOPMENT TEAM

Faith Development Team Captain	Wayne Abbott (2)		
Library Committee Chair	Siv Keyser (+)		
Preschool Committee Chair	Kathy Thomas		
Children's Council Chair	TBS		
Youth Ministry Team Chair	Ryan Payne (+)		
Safe Sanctuary Coordinator	Barbara Ledbetter (+)		
College Care Pals Coordinator	Christa O'Neal		
Church Historian	Carol Allred		
Assistant Historian	Ken Baldowski		
Class of 2023	Jim Hensley	Lin Holoman	
Class of 2024			
Class of 2025	Howard Allred	Ann Teasley	Ann Tallant
STAFF:	Pastor of Faith Development, Director of Children Ministries, Pastor of Student Ministries, Pastor of Congregational Care & Older Adult Ministries, Director of Preschool, Director of Nursery Ministries		

PRESCHOOL BOARD

Preschool Board Chair	Kathy Thomas		
Preschool Director (<i>without vote</i>)	Rachael Bardall		
Preschool Assistant Directors (<i>without vote</i>)	Kim Hannigan		
Board of Trustees Representative			
Staff-Parish Relations Representative			
Committee on Finance Representative			
Class of 2023	Moriah Washburn	Carol Cain	Elizabeth Fries-Corbin
Class of 2024	Laurin Dunleavy	Andi Furman	Sue Buckalew

