

First United Methodist Church
Elected Church Leadership

Board of Stewards

Chair – Bo Thagard
Immediate Past Chair-Billy Woods
Lay Leader – Bill Holland
Treasurer - Jason McGhee
Recording Secretary – Jane Williams

Administrative Areas Chairs

Finance-Christie Armstrong
& Cliff Mendheim
Staff-Parish-Larry Williams
Board of Trustees-TBD
Building-Grounds-Deavours Clark
Walton Garden-Malinda Baumann

Ministry Team Chairs

Adult Discipleship-Sam Stanfield
Respite Board-Hope Johnson
Children-Mary Olivia Jones
Tween-Jessica Robinson
Youth-Ashley McGee
Congregational Care-
Rev. Lynn Smilie Nesbitt
Food Service-Pam Bryan

Harbor Board of Dir-Jean Dagostin
Hospitality-Josh Chapman
Missions-Scott Helms & Neece Tarrant
Military Ministry- Davis Flowers
Worship-Millie Armstrong
Chapel-Susan Livingston
Bridge-Mike Dagostin
Altar Guild-Rebecca McDonald
United Women in Faith-Priscilla Tucker
Music Ministry Board-Lisbeth Ash
Strategic Planning Team-Dr. David Saliba

Class of 2025

Amy Cobb
David Johnston
Ed Cox
Ben Martin
Sam Stanfield
Adrian Flowers

Class of 2026

Jim Stuckey
Drew Sarrells
Ben Craven
Blair Parker
Andrew Spry
Elizabeth Whitfield
Babs Blanks

Class of 2027

Quinn Brock
Emily Bailey
Sam Casey
Shannon McRae
Katie Shaw
AllenTanton
Grady McGee, Youth Delegate

Lay Members to Annual Conference: Kash Deaton, Ryan Deaton, Jerry Adkinson
(Alternates: Lisbeth Ash, Joe Read, Allyce Read)

Ex-officio Members of the Board of Stewards (Clergy and Staff Liaisons with voice and vote):

Dr. David R.Saliba, Rev. Elizabeth Hinton, Rev. T. Matthew Langford,
Robbie Amunds, Carla Barnett, Sonia Crutchfield, Ryan Deaton, Tony Garrette,
Betty Helms, Wendy Hicks, Katie Holland, Karla Jackson, Elizabeth Saliba, Erin M. Smith.

ADMINISTRATIVE AREAS

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Co-Chairs, Christie Armstrong/Cliff Mendheim
Treasurer, Jason McGhee

Class of 2025

Charles Andre
Christie Armstrong
J.T. Carroll

Class of 2026

Josh Haisten
Kendall Johnson
Cliff Mendheim

Class of 2027

Bryan Holladay
Justin Wright
Marty Clark

Chairs of: Children's Team, Missions Team, Adult Discipleship Team

Ex-officio Members: Lay Leader, Chairs of Board of Stewards, Board of Trustees and Staff-Parish Relations Committee

Staff Liaisons: Dr. David Saliba, Rev. Elizabeth Hinton, Rev. T. Matthew Langford, Carla Barnett, Wendy Hicks

FUND MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Chair, Dr. David Saliba

Class of 2025

Les Pinckard

Class of 2026

Alan Livingston

Class of 2027

Cliff Mendheim

Current:

Immediate Past:

Board of Stewards

Bo Thagard
Billy Woods

Finance

Christie Armstrong
David Bailey

Trustees

Steve Shaw
George Flowers

Staff Liaisons: Carla Barnett, Wendy Hicks

NOMINATIONS AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Chair, Dr. David Saliba

Class of 2025

Rodney Holland
Paige Heffner
Mandy Eubanks

Class of 2026

Julie Jones
Jane Williams
Jake Helms

Class of 2027

David Kinney
Katie de Jong
Don Wessel

Ex-officio Member: Bill Holland

Staff Liaisons (No Vote): Wendy Hicks, Karla Jackson, Rev. Elizabeth Hinton, Rev. T. Matthew Langford

STAFF-PARISH RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Chair, Larry Williams

Class of 2025

Lawrence Johnson
Suzanne Woods
Larry Williams

Class of 2026

Jim Ellis
Brent Cook
Margo Black

Class of 2027

Alan Livingston
Whit Huskey
Kate Martin

Ex-officio Member: Bill Holland

Staff Liaisons (No Vote): Wendy Hicks, Dr. David Saliba, Rev. Elizabeth Hinton, Rev. T. Matthew Langford

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Chair, Steve Shaw
Vice Chair, Ben Martin
Secretary, Ben Barron

Class of 2025

Billy Woods
Steve Shaw
Jessica Robinson

Class of 2026

Samuel Prim
Dawn Theune
Ben Martin

Class of 2027

Ben Barron
Maria Shelor
Lee Thomas

Staff Liaisons: Wendy Hicks, Rev. T. Matthew Langford, Tony Garrette

BUILDING AND GROUNDS

Chair, Deavours Clark

Class of 2025

Byron Strickland
Billy Smith
Will Parker

Class of 2026

Jonathan Bailey
John Hutto

Class of 2027

Brian Baker
Richard Gamble
Tony Spina

Staff Liaisons: Tony Garrette, Dennis Barnes, Wendy Hicks

WALTON MEMORIAL GARDEN

Chair, Malinda Baumann

Class of 2025

Judy Harris
Shanah Martin

Class of 2027

Connie Lurie
Shea Mendheim

Staff Liaisons: Karla Jackson, Wendy Hicks

AGE LEVEL TEAMS

CHILDREN'S TEAM

Chair, Mary Olivia Jones

Class of 2025

Kash Deaton
Senthly Sanders
Megan Carter

Class of 2026

Catherine Wright
Juanita & Bayne Heersink
Jennifer Thompson

Class of 2027

Hannah & Josh Chapman
Blakely & Nathan Ellis
Brooke & Andrew Preston
Blair & Will Parker

Staff Liaisons: Sarah Elizabeth Carroll, Elizabeth Saliba, Kaylee Vaughn

TWEEN TEAM

Chair, Jessica Robinson

Class of 2025

Juanita Heersink
Tyler Black

Class of 2026

Ann Huskey
Jessica Robinson

Staff Liaison: Sonia Crutchfield

YOUTH TEAM

Chair, Ashley McGee

Stacy Griffin
Kristin Sherer

Betsy Liddon
John Andre

Kelli Shirley
Ashley McGee

Staff Liaison:

Robbie Amunds

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP TEAM

Chair, Sam Stanfield

Class of 2025

Jessica Robinson
Sam Stanfield
Adrian Flowers

Class of 2026

Jarrod Hanchey
Branham Hanchey
J.T. Carroll
John Hutton
Martha Jo Dennison

Class of 2027

David Barfield
Kerri Barfield

Staff Liaison: Ryan Deaton

RESPITE BOARD

Chair, Hope Johnson

Vice Chair, Maria Shelor

Secretary, Jane Williams

Treasurer, Paul Hufham

Class of 2025

Paul Hufham
Steve McCarroll
Cliff Mendheim
Jane Williams
Rhett Williams

Class of 2026

Maria Shelor (staff)
Juanita Heersink
Ed Cox
Steve Shaw
Julie Shaw
Ann Ellis

Class of 2027

Claire Helms
Wayne Helms
Hope Johnson

Staff Liaisons:

Katie Holland, Dr. David Saliba



MINISTRY TEAMS

CONGREGATIONAL CARE TEAM

Chair, Rev. Lynn Smilie Nesbitt

Mackenzie Crutchfield, Ann Ellis, Cinda Raines, Susan Warren

Staff Liaisons: Dr. David Saliba, Rev. Elizabeth Hinton, Rev. T. Matthew Langford

HOSPITALITY TEAM

Chairs, Josh Chapman

Class of 2025

Amy Prim
Samuel Prim
Rosalynd Timbie
Emily Ziegenfelder
Andrew Gholson
Ginger Scarbrough

Class of 2026

Gene McGriff
Sandra McGriff
Helen Mendheim
Patty Palmer
John Cheney
Debbie Cheney

Class of 2027

Staff Liaison: Dr. David Saliba, Rev. T. Matthew Langford

FOOD SERVICE TEAM

Chair, Pam Bryan

Beverly Baird, Lynn Caylor, Carolyn Dillard, Pam McCoy, Leisa Owens, Don Swanson, Pat Thomas

Staff Liaisons: Wendy Hicks, Meredith Flowers

HARBOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Chair, Jean Dagostin

Class of 2025

Jean Dagostin
Mary Kate Keel
Larry Williams
Les Pinckard

Class of 2026

Joseph Johnson
Brittney Simpson
Kim Price
Nancy Harrell

Class of 2027

David Crutchfield
Joe Copeland
George Flowers
Chris Parrish

Ex-officio Member: Dr. David Saliba

Staff Liaisons: Rev. Derrick Tiller, Ryan Deaton

MILITARY MINISTRY TEAM *

Chair, Davis Flowers

Sandy Anderson, Mike Jones, Rob Massingill

Staff Liaison: Ryan Deaton

MISSIONS TEAM

Co-Chairs: Scott Helms/Necie Tarrant

Molly Blalock
Ed Cox
Nancy Harrell

Necie Tarrant
Wanda Emblom
Mary Kate Keel
Josh Chapman

Rhett Williams
Lee Ann Boykin
Caroline Pinckard

Staff Liaison: Ryan Deaton

STRATEGIC PLANNING TEAM

Chair: David Saliba

Christie Armstrong
Ed Cox
Jean Dagostin
Kash Deaton

Bill Holland
David Johnston
Ashley McGee
Douglas Shaw

Bo Thagard
Leanne Todd
Larry Williams
David Saliba

Staff Liaisons: Rev. Elizabeth Hinton, Rev. T. Matthew Langford, Ryan Deaton, Wendy Hicks,
Karla Jackson

WORSHIP, CHAPEL TEAM

Chair: Susan Livingston

Susan Livingston, Kay Roney, Rosalyn Timbie, Jane Williams

Staff Liaison: Rev. Lynn Smilie Nesbitt

WORSHIP, BRIDGE CORE TEAM

Chairs: Mike Dagostin

Class of 2025

Mike Dagostin
Mickey Breedlove
John & Debbie Cheney

Class of 2026

Josh Chapman
Jason/Ashley McGee
Turner/Mary Olivia Jones

Class of 2027

Keith & Tracy Pruitt
Douglas & Katie Shaw
Jake & Kristen Helms

Staff Liaison: Dr. David R. Saliba, Sonia Crutchfield

WORSHIP, SANCTUARY TEAM

Chair:

Millie Armstrong

Altar Guild Chair:

Rebecca McDonald

Flower Guild Chair:

Leanne Todd

Usher Chair:

Sam Vann

Acolytes/Servers Coordinator:

Amy Cobb

Tril Ausley
Debbie Cheney
Sheila Kelly
Julie Shaw

Martha Thagard
Jay Timmerman
Beverly Youngblood

Staff Liaisons: Dr. David R. Saliba, Erin Smith, Karla Jackson



MUSIC MINISTRY BOARD

Chair: Lisbeth Ash
Vice President Joe Read
Secretary
Treasurer:
Clergy Representative: Rev. T. Matthew Langford
Members at Large: David Barfield, Kerri Barfield, Andrew Spry, Mandy Thomas

Staff Liaison: Erin M. Smith

WEEKDAY CHILDREN'S MINISTRY ADVISORY COUNCIL

Class of 2025

Mackenzie Crutchfield
Joe Sanders
Debbie Cheney

Class of 2026

Swayze Gholson
Terry Francis
Mark Warren

Class of 2027

Samantha Krietemeyer
Lawrence Johnson
Tracy Pruitt

Staff Liaison: Wendy Hicks
