

Countryside Church

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2016-17 Leadership Slate Announced

Listed below is the slate of candidates put forth by the Nominating Committee for the upcoming church year.

The church membership will vote at the Annual Meeting on Sunday, May 15 at 11:00 am*. The nominees, if elected, will assume their positions on July 1. These candidates were thoughtfully selected and recruited by our Nominating Committee, and we are confident that they will serve our church well, with both skill and compassion.

From the By-Laws, Article X-3: Additional nominations for all elected positions may be made by petition of at least ten percent (10%) of CCUU membership. Petitions shall be filed with the Secretary of the Board at least ten (10) days prior to the business meeting convened for their election.

**NOTE: There will be one worship service & religious education program at 10:00 am from the 3rd Sunday in May through Labor Day. On May 15, the Annual Meeting will immediately follow the one worship service.*

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Nominees for the Board of Trustees:

- President-elect: Christine Organ [1-yr term as Pres-elect, will then serve a 2-year term as President]
- Vice President: Sheryl Skifstad [1st yr of 2nd 2-yr term]
- Trustee: Kathi Hillyer [1st yr of 2-yr term]
- Trustee: Jeanie Michalec [1st yr of 2-yr term]
- Trustee: Mike Berry [1st yr of 2nd 2-yr term]

Continuing on the Board of Trustees:

- President: Karen Noorani [2nd yr of 2-yr term]
- Treasurer: Mary Johnson [2nd yr of 2-yr term]
- Secretary: Matt Briddell [2nd yr of 2-yr term]
- Trustee: Kristin Huston [2nd yr of 2-yr term]
- Trustee: Joy Simon [2nd yr of 2-yr term]

ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE

from the By-Laws, Article VII, Sec.5: The Endowment Committee shall consist of five voting members, members of the Congregation, elected at an Annual Meeting of the Congregation for five-year (5) staggered terms such that one member is elected each year and no member shall serve more than two consecutive terms. Nominations to the Committee shall be made in the same manner as for members of the Board of Trustees. The Parish Minister and President of the Board of Trustees shall be nonvoting members of the Committee. In the event of a vacancy, the Board of Trustees shall appoint a member to fill the vacancy until the next Annual Meeting.

Nominee for the Endowment Committee:

1. Tony Pretto [1st yr of 5-year term]

Continuing on the Endowment Committee:

2. Mike Berry [5th year of 5-year term]
3. Kay Gredell [4th year of 5-year term]
4. Fran Mueller [3rd year of 5-year term]
5. Lois Phillips [2nd year of 5-year term]

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

From the ByLaws, Article X-4: The Nominating Committee shall consist of seven (7) members. Six shall serve for a term of two (2) years. Each shall be eligible for reelection to one (1) additional term. One member shall be appointed each year by the Board of Trustees to serve for a one-year term. No Nominating Committee member may serve more than four years of continuous service. Three members shall be elected at the Annual Congregational Meeting each year. The Convener of the Nominating Committee shall be selected by the President from those directly elected by the Congregation to the Nominating Committee.

Nominees for the Nominating Committee:

1. Bruce Bezella [2-year term]
2. Jessica Gardner [2-year term]
3. Jeff Phillips [2-year term]

Continuing on the Nominating Committee:

1. Debbie Lee [2nd year of 2-year term]
2. Peggy Simonsen (2nd year of 2-year term]
3. Tim Reuter-Bowers [2nd year of 2-year term]

The Nominating Committee would like to thank those members who are completing their service for their commitment to the work of Countryside Church:

- Alan Greenland – Board Member
- Karen Greenland – Endowment Committee
- Angelina Huntsha, Siri Laurin, Laura Mandell – Nominating Committee