

2023 Governing Board



Lois Zook

I started singing in the Chancel Choir of First Community Church in 1987 and am still singing! My husband Glenn and I became members of the church in the fall of 1988. A year later I joined the FCC Administrative Support staff in the Worship & Arts Department and held that position until June of 2020 when I retired.

We are very lucky to have both of our children and their families living close by us in Dublin and actively involved at FCC as well. Amanda/Mandy Levell, husband Keith Levell, Kara 11 and Anderson 7 and Michael/Mike Zook, wife Amalia/Mollie Zook, Maggie 13, and George 11.



Jennifer Short

I have been a member of First Community for 10 years. I've served on Older Adult Council and Mission Council and volunteered as a Greeter. I'm a member of Guild A, and have served on the Guild's Executive Committee. I coordinate the Guild's annual "We Love You Luncheon" for First Community staff members. I have also volunteered for Big Brother Big Sisters for many years. I'm an estate planning lawyer for DuPont and Blumenstiel, LLC, following many years at Nationwide Insurance. I enjoy spending time with my extended family and friends and traveling overseas.



Daniel Davis

I grew up in First Community Church, attending with my family. As a youth I participated in the Block of Wood and Seven Keys. I was the first youth deacon in the church during my college years at Otterbein. I met my eventual wife, Vickie Murphy, in the youth program. I was also a counselor at Akita during college. I've served on the mission council and participated in the Back Bay Mission as well as volunteering in Heart to Heart with Vickie. Vickie and I joined friendship group number 66. My cousin in law Rev. Jim Long and I presented a workshop on Dr. Roy Burkhart. Jim and I also co-facilitated a grief and loss group together. I also co-facilitated a life transitions group with the Rev. Dr. Deb Lindsey. I am a forensic psychologist and maintain a private practice in the Grandview area. I graduated from Otterbein College and earned my doctorate from The Ohio State University. While in college, I founded and served as the first director of Concord Counseling in Westerville. I have served as the psychology supervisor for the Timothy B. Moritz Forensic Unit of Twin Valley Behavioral Hospital. I also served as the clinical director of the Buckeye Ranch and as a clinical director for mental health within the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections. I have consulted with the Ohio Department of Youth Services. Most recently I was a Senior Forensic Psychologist for the Netcare Forensic Center. I am board-certified in forensic psychology and have authored or co-authored four books, book chapters as well as numerous peer reviewed research articles. Most importantly, Vickie and I have a blended family of 5 adult children and have 7 grandchildren. We have a puppy mill rescue golden retriever named Gabby (whom the grandkids named Gabriella Pizza). Vickie is very active in the church music. Vickie has been very active in church music since her youth. She sang and played guitar at North Campus and now is in the Cambridge Choir. Consequently, I am best known as her "Roadie."



Kristyn Anderson

I discovered First Community Church upon relocating to Ohio with my family during the second half of 2019. My first engagement with the congregation was via the contemplative way group. My husband Troy Anderson and I, and our son Colin Anderson began attending worship online during Covid's peak. Our family was welcomed into the Congregation in April of 2021. As the community emerges from the pandemic, I have become engaged with the Community Justice Ministry Team, specifically dedicating time to racial equity, non-violence, and supporting Pride activity in the summer. Our family is excited for Colin to join the Mexico mission trip this Spring. I have worked in education for the majority of my career. I bring experience as a primary grade-level Montessori assistant and high school teacher in West Virginia. Currently, I serve the Student and Staff Well-being department with Upper Arlington Schools. I have been a Registered Yoga Teacher since 2016. My husband Troy and I have been married since 2000. We are parents to Colin and enjoy trying to contain the energy of our two dogs and two cats. We have lived in California, West Virginia, Arizona, and now Ohio as a family. We enjoy hiking, kayaking, paddle boarding, attending local music events, and volunteering in the surrounding community.