

## **Matt Yost**

I live in Wooster with my wife, Abby, and daughters Claire and Samantha. Most of my life has been spent in Wayne County and I have attended Grace Church since I was six years old. I accepted Christ at the age of 8 while attending a Vacation Bible School program, and was baptized shortly thereafter.



Grace Church has been a part of my life for nearly 40 years, and has been instrumental in teaching, training and developing my relationship with Jesus Christ.

For my career, I am a partner at Hummel Group where I work as the Chief Sales Officer and also maintain a client base where I manage business insurance programs. I feel I have the gift of discernment and enjoy serving in areas where I can exercise this strength. Currently, I am the board chairman for the Pregnancy Care Center of Wayne County. I have also served on the Grace Church board for different terms over the past 14 years. In addition to serving on the board at Grace, I have led an adult ABF, middle school & high school class, and my family and I serve on the First Impressions Team and at Grace Youth.

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## Drew Hilty

My family started attending Grace Church when I was 13 years old, and I've been a member of Wooster ever since. After attending college and working outside of Wooster, my wife, kids and I have lived in the area now for almost 12 years. My wife, Bekah, is the director of the Pregnancy Care Center of Wayne County, my son, Kaden, is an 8th grader at Triway, my daughter, Elena, is a 6th grader at Triway and I lead a team of engineers at Schaeffler, which is located in Wooster.



My relationship with Jesus started when I was 10 years old, being led to this decision by my parents and baptized by my father shortly after on Father's Day. Currently, I serve on the church board and on the production team. My engineering education and experience could help support the board with an analytical approach to decision making as well as come up with creative solutions to challenges the church might face. I look forward to the opportunity to continue to serve at Grace and further His kingdom!

## Dave Taylor

I was born and raised in Wooster and grew up in a wonderful family that attended church every Sunday. However, I had not been attending church regularly when, at age 27 and living in Columbus, I was invited to a Bible study by some close friends. It was then that I committed my life to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. With that being unquestionably the most significant event of my life, I am deeply thankful for the people in that Bible study who contributed time and prayers on my behalf.



My wife, Pam, and I were married in Columbus in 1979 and attended Grace Church in Worthington. We moved to Wooster in 1981 so that I could join my father in our family's insurance agency, and we began attending Wooster Grace Church at that time. We have two children: Austin, who has continued in the insurance agency since my retirement in 2018, and Whitney, who lives in California with her family and works for YouTube.

I previously served on the Finance Committee and have assisted with the site selection projects for our Wooster and Medina locations. I feel honored to be considered for a position on the Board of Overseers.