

Regional Church Council Meeting
Membership Development Report
October 28, 2017

It has been an ever-changing year for the membership development committee. We started the 2016-2018 term of the Regional Church Council below full membership and we have spent the last year trying to recruit and maintain membership to be a full and effective council.

Because life happens and we are always trying to balance work, life, and family. We have lost the following members this past year:

1. Natalie Bendel
2. Debi Howland
3. Janet Mers
4. Morgan Wickizer

We thank them for their service and the work they contributed to Regional Church ministry.

In celebration of service and church work we have gained the following members this past year:

1. Steve Brown
2. Chad Delaney
3. Alan Dicken
4. Jeff Gill
5. Laurie Metzko
6. Beth Pass
7. Jack Sullivan

Please continue to welcome and embrace them as we work together to continue ministry work and spread the message of Jesus Christ.

Regional Church Council members have the overall responsibility for the organization of the Christian Church in Ohio. It is charged with ministry oversight and policy development which is the process by which they make decisions, delegate work, and assure that decisions are carried out in the manner intended. The Regional Church Council, while maintaining diversity and inclusivity, (between laity and clergy, men and women, age groups, racial/ethnic groups, and geographical sections of Ohio), will endeavor to be comprised of individuals committed to the vision and mission of the Regional Church and possess the necessary spiritual gifts to carry out its work. As we close the first year of the 2016-2018 term and enter into a new year please continue to share the ministry of the Regional Church and invite those willing to serve alongside us.

Respectfully Submitted,

Candis Wilson
Committee Chair

Committee Members: Jackie Bunch, Alan Dicken, Anthony Hampton, Brianna Ledsoe, Heather Schimmel, Ben Williams, and Shirley Williams