

# Committee Lists

Updated 06.06.2024

## Congregational Council

\*Greta Grosch (2024-2024)  
Katy Gibbs (2022-2024)  
\*Gil Hartley (2022-2024)  
\*Amy Johnson (2022-2024)  
Jim Meinen (2023-2025)  
\*Bev Ogren (2024-2026)  
\*Kevin Roloff (2024-2026)  
\*Tracy Strantz (2023-2025)  
Mike Vant (2024-2026)  
Kai Nilsen (Staff)  
Danette Griffith (non-voting Staff)  
\*Communications Committee Members

## Council Officers/Executive Committee

Tracy Strantz, President (2023-2025)  
Greta Grosch, Vice President (2024-2026)  
Kevin Roloff, Secretary (2024-2026)  
Mike Vant, Treasurer (2024-2026)  
Kai Nilsen, Senior Pastor  
Danette Griffith (non-voting Staff)

## Cemetery Committee

Dick Christiansen  
Jerry Gilbert  
Beth Hanson  
Jerry Hawkins  
John McClellan  
Bill Reichwald (chair)  
Rick Gravley (Staff)

## Children's Ministry Dream Team

Carrie Grafstrom  
Debbie Holt  
Stephanie Salek  
Tracy Strantz  
XX (Staff)

## Endowment Fund Committee

Fred Lawless (2022-2024)  
Mark Ostlund (2022-2024)  
Bill Reichwald (2020-2025)  
Matt Rowles, Jr. (2024-2026)  
Liz Thompson (2020-2025)  
Mark Tollander (chair) (2022-2024)  
Kai Nilsen (Staff)

## Esther Circle

Kathy Belor, Treasurer  
Vernita Kennen, Coordinator  
Carol Fruehling, Communications

## Facilities Committee

Keith Boulais (2024-2026)  
Jim Fruehling (2024-2026)  
Mike Koopmeiners (2024-2026)  
Andy Rauch (2024-2026)  
Dick Trapp (2024-2026)  
Rick Gravley (Staff, chair)

## Finance Committee

Mike Vant (Council Treasurer/chair) (2024-2026)  
Denise Fleming (2024-2026)  
Mike Galeski (2024-2026)  
Rebekah Johnson (2024-2026)  
Danette Griffith (Staff)

## FMSC Action Group

Mike Vant (chair, MobilePack event lead)  
Don Martin (fundraising)  
Sally Lawless (communication)  
Deb Rykken (volunteer coordinator)  
Claudia Wiebold (hospitality coordinator)  
Katrina McCarthy (prayer warrior)  
Mark Solfest (Logistics)  
Patti Williams  
Sonya Wilson

## Human Resources Committee

Laura Hennen (2024-2026)  
Kristi Jacobson (2024-2026)  
Amy Johnson (Council Rep) (2024-2026)  
Nancy Stutzman (2023-2025)  
Mike Styba (chair) (2022-2025)  
Stacey Swanson (2022-2024)  
Kai Nilsen (Staff)  
Danette Griffith (Staff)

## Kairos Action Group

Anne Cremons  
Jerry Dufeck  
Carol Fruehling  
Vernita Kennen  
Carol Lacey (chair)  
Bev Zelinski  
XX (Staff)

## Library Action Group

Carol Fruehling  
Jan Ginn  
Sue Glennon  
Vernita Kennen (coordinator)  
Nancy Petersen  
Suellen Rundquist  
Karel Strandness  
Cheryle Valiquette  
Jo Zschomler

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## Lyngblomsten Delegates

Marilyn Army  
Jerry Dufeck  
Lynn McGinty  
Janet Karvonen-Montgomery (Staff)

## Lyngblomsten Board Member

Mary Hauck

## MicroGrants - Steve Ogren

## Nominating Committee

### Preschool Committee

*Terms Sept - Aug*

Rachael Atkinson	(Fall 2022-May 2025)
Jill Larson	(Fall 2024-May 2027)
Bethany Oberg	(Fall 2023-May 2026)
Bethany Vanyo	(Fall 2021-May 2025)
Whitney Wojahn	(Fall 2024-May 2027)

Kirsten Henry (Staff)

## Ralph Reeder Action Group

Sheri Anderson  
Linda Caillier  
Laurel Engelmann  
Cindi Littlejohn  
Kristine Madson  
Claudia Wiebold (chair)  
Misti Van Laar (Ralph Reeder)

## Safety & Security Team

Bob Holt  
Mike Galeski  
Kirsten Henry (Staff)  
Victor Juran  
Dave Vance  
Danette Griffith (Staff)  
Rick Gravley (Staff)

## Small Group Ministry Team

Steve Dorr	(2021-2024)
Tim Gray	(2024-2026)
Emily Schwieters	(2021-2023)
Katie Solfest	(2024-2026)
Nancy Stutzman	(2023-2025)
Dianne Timmer	(2022-2024)
Sonya Wilson	(2023-2025)

Denise Floe (Staff)

## Solid Ground Action Group:

Connie Aram  
Diane Betterley (leader)  
Claire Gilbert  
Tim Grey  
Mary Hoyme  
Elinor Jackson  
Wayne Quehl  
Cindy Spellman

## St. John's Bible Action Group

Connie Aram  
Jan Ginn  
Martie Martin  
Deb Rykken  
Grant Rykken (chair)  
Denise Floe (Staff)

## Stewardship Ministry Team

Erin Rowles	(2023-2025)
Brian Schwieters (chair)	(2023-2025)
Kai Nilsen (Staff)	
Amy Faymoville (Staff)	

## Synod Representative

Ken & Rosalie Grosch	(2022-2024)
Vernita Kennen	(2024-2026)
Claudia & Don Wiebold	(2022-2024)

## Tanzania Action Group

Melanie Ahlstrom (on sabbatical)  
Sue Nelson (on sabbatical)  
Ailie Olson  
JoHanna Pokorny  
Traci Tapani  
Harold Torunsky (Leader)

## Worship Arts Team

Arvin Gehrking  
Jane Gehrking, Co-Chair  
Carrie Grafstrom  
Amy Johnson, Co-Chair  
Dave Katzke  
Sue Katzke  
Georgia Nauman  
Gina Nerison  
Cherie (Cheryl) Skildum  
Cherie Supina

**ELCA - World Hunger** - Vernita Kennen

**Global Health Ministries** - Quilters or Rosalie Grosch

**Hands and Hearts** – Diane Betterley

**Life Haven** -

**Shobi's Table** -