UUCNH 2023 - 2024 Slate of Nominees

Board of Trustees

CHUCK BERRY

Chuck Berry has been an almost lifelong UU (except for a hedonistic streak between ages 16 and 30). He grew up in the Meadville UU, rejoined the First UU Church of Cleveland and has been a member of UUCNH for over 30 years serving in just about every position and on every committee. You will often see Chuck out front greeting members, friends and newcomers.

Chuck was a sports attorney for 30 plus years. He thought he had retired, then started teaching part time at Duquesne and then Point Park Universities, became a realtor 5 years ago and started doing real estate assessment appeals for Allegheny County last year. He serves on a couple non-profit boards and has 5 grandkids in the Pittsburgh area. Chuck's mantra is "the older I get, the busier I want to be".

GEOFF COLEMAN

Geoff has been attending UUCNH since late 2016 and has enjoyed singing in the choir and participating in Sunday School classes since then. He officially joined the church this year and has volunteered to take his commitment up a notch by serving on the Board. Outside of church, Geoff retired four years ago from a career in health care management and financing, but still does some consulting work. Over the years, he has served in various leadership roles on the boards of professional, arts, community, and church organizations. In (semi-)retirement, he and his wife, Julie, enjoy travel, bicycling, and spending time with their 16-month-old granddaughter.

Leadership Development Team

KATHI FINCH

Kathi and her family have attended UUCNH since 2012, with Kathi joining as a member in 2016. Kathi has served on several teams and committees, including as chair of the Sunday Services Team and the Kindness Campaign. She has also served as a member of the Board of Trustees, Capital Campaign Team, and Document Storage Task Force. She has taught Religious Education classes and served as a Lay Leader for 8 years. Kathi works as a human resource professional and as a corporate trainer, facilitating workshops on leadership, conflict resolution, teambuilding, and interpersonal communication.

NANCY KEPNER

Nancy Kepner is a member of the choir, AV team and is a Youth Group Advisor. She also has provided videography services for the church and performed original music during services and coffeehouse.