

First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor

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Foundation for all administrative committee memberships

- Member of FUMC Ann Arbor
- · Acting in a faith-based manner
- Commitment to our FUMC Church Statement:

We seek to know God. We are grounded in unconditional love. We affirm all persons.

We learn from one another as we follow the teachings of Jesus Christ, an outsider who tore down dividing walls and calls us to unity. We are progressive, relevant, and committed to seeking peace and building hope through worship, service, social justice, and education.

No matter where you are on your faith journey, or how you worship, we welcome you to help us build our community. This includes all races and ethnicities, sexual orientations, gender identities, ages and stages of life, abilities and disabilities, and socioeconomic backgrounds.

Board of Trustees

The Board of Trustees meets on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m., downtown. In keeping with the Welcoming Statement, the Board of Trustees strives to strike a diverse balance on the

committee in terms of demographics, occupational backgrounds and life experience, so as to achieve a well-rounded approach in matters pertaining to FUMC. It is helpful to Trustees to have certain professionals on our

committee, but anyone with an interest in our physical church surroundings is welcome. We encourage the following people to consider our committee: Architects, Landscape Architects, Engineers, Interior Designers, Contractors or people in the building trades, Lawyers, Financial people, Insurance people, Real Estate.

Committee Responsibilities:

- Supervise, oversee and care for church property and equipment
- Review annually the property, liability, crime and personnel insurance of the church
- Do an annual review of the parsonages
- Receive and administer all bequests that are made to the congregation. (Endowment Committee
- and Insurance Committee are subcommittees of Trustees.)
- Submit annual budget requests to the committee on finance for property maintenance and
- improvement as well as new purchases, sale of property and capital campaigns
- Conduct an annual accessibility audit of buildings, grounds, and facilities

Desirable Characteristics:

- · Willingness to take on tasks outside of regular meeting time
- Willingness to learn about buildings and their uses
- Commitment to United Methodist Social Principles in considering building use and investment
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