

## Senior Pastor Search Committee



**Ellis Chaplin** (Deacon) has been a member of our church since 2005. Ellis and his wife, Kristen, have three children, Evelyn (8), Maddie (7) and Anders (4). In addition to his prior active service on the Board of Deacons, Ellis has been a Community Group leader and was involved with the Emmanuel Presbyterian (Arlington) church plant.



**Gene Goodell** (Elder) and his wife, Sharon, have been members of McLean Presbyterian Church since 1997 and currently serve as welcome team members. Gene served as a Deacon from 1998 through 2004, was ordained as a Ruling Elder and served on the Session 2006 through 2011 and 2013 through 2018. He is a Trustee of McLean Presbyterian Church and is also an instructor with the ESOL program. Gene and Sharon have three grown, married sons and 11 grandchildren ages 18 to 29. Gene was a member of the 2012 search committee.



**Leslie Hobbs** (Board of Women), a 7th generation Washingtonian, currently resides in McLean with her husband Cabell, and has attended MPC for the last seven years. God has blessed them with three children, son Cabell Jr. (7), and daughters, Carrington (5), and Christiana (2). In her free time, she loves reading, participating in an MPC women's Bible study and two Home Fellowship Groups, running, hiking and basking in the beautiful outdoors. She served as a table leader at MOPS for the past three years and has loved serving on the Board of Women.



**Tricia Hollis** (Board of Women) has been a member of our church for 30 years, serving in various capacities. She currently is part of the leadership team for the Crosstrainers (working women) ministry, a member of the Board of Women and assigned to the Stewardship Committee of the Diaconate, and a member of the Making a Difference (building expansion) Committee. She retired last year from the federal government.



**Rachel Hooker** (Board of Women) has been a member of our church since 2013, and is now involved with the Capital Presbyterian Fairfax site. Rachel and her husband, David, have been married for over 6 years and have one daughter, Evelyn (14 months). Rachel serves as the Vice-Chair for the BOW, is a part of CrossTrainers and MOPS, and served on the worship team. She also served on the Board for Cornerstone School, a GreaterDC mission partner.



**Erica Hotmire** (At Large) has been a member since 2003. Erica and her husband, Erik, were married at MPC in 2002 and have five children, Jaida (17), Jack (15), Lily (d.2007), Tatum (12), Noah (9). A Registered Nurse, Erica has participated in numerous church medical missions trips with Kenya Mercy Ministries, has volunteered with Coronavirus Needs & Assistance, Breakthrough, Senior Saints, VBS, MOPS and ESL child care. Erica previously served on the staff as nursery coordinator, 2003-2006.



**Jim Perry** (Elder) and his wife, Deb, have four adult children and live in Vienna. He has been a member of our church since 1991 and came to faith in Christ through the single adult ministry in the late 1980s. Jim is currently serving his fourth term on the session and has served in children, youth, and adult ministries. He was Chairman of the Phase II Building Committee in the early 2000s. Jim has served as Board Chairman for missions partner Romanian Christian Enterprises since 2006.



**Don Solberg** (Elder) has been a church member since 2009, and has served as an elder since 2012. Don and his wife Cathy live in Chevy Chase, Maryland. Together, they teach a financial literacy class as part of the ESOL ministry. As elder, Don shepherds two Community Groups in Washington, DC, and serves on the Ministry Support Committee of the Session.



**Eric Treene** (Elder) has been a member since 2004 and an elder since 2011. Eric formerly chaired the Session Care Committee, on which he currently serves as a member. He and his wife, Lucy, lead a Community Group in Arlington, and they have taught various ages of Sunday school. They are active with missions partners Kenya Mercy Ministries and Romanian Christian Enterprises. Eric and Lucy have a son, Will (20) and a daughter, Lucy Lee (16).



**Margie Watkins** (At Large) has been a member of our church since she married then-deacon Chip in 1983, and together they raised their 3 children right here at McLean. Margie has worked with children in one capacity or another throughout that time through committees, VBS, the Joyful Noise Children's choir, and nursery care. She has been a mentor mom with MOPS for - well, she can't really remember just how long it's been, but it has been quite some time. She previously served on the Board of Women and is currently active in the Lay Counseling ministry. Margie was a member of the 2012 search committee.



**Mark Whittle** (Deacon) has been a member of McLean Presbyterian Church since 2005. Mark and his wife, Laura, have three children, Sebastian (18), Preston (16) and Graham (13). As part of his service on the Board of Deacons, Mark is the Chairman of the GreaterDC committee, which works with the church's local missions partners. Mark is the son of missionaries, and grew up in Spain.



**Bruce Young** (Elder) and his wife, Nancy, have been members of our church for 25 years. He recently served as Chair of the Care and Formation committees of the Session. Bruce and Nancy have two married sons who both walk with God. Their shared passion is marriage ministries - recently launching and leading the Young Married Mentoring program and then the re|engage marriage initiative.



**Daniel Zimmerman** (Deacon) is married to the nonpareil Chloe and with her shares a love for rearing their two rambunctious boys, Ransom and Anchor. Chloe is a long-time member of the church staff. The Zs attend the Fairfax site and find their MPC friends to be hands down the most attractive part of living in the area. A key family verse is from Galatians 5: "It is for freedom that Christ has set us free, stand firm then..."