

2025 CBD Leadership & Ministry Teams

What do you have a passion for? Is God calling you to service on a district ministry team? Contact the ministry team leader today!

Leadership

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Dawn Levey, co-CBD Lay Leader
Pastor Carmen Cook
George Farner
Denny Wissinger
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Local Church Assessment Task Force

Pastor Mark Mitchell - Lead
Pastor Ray Francis
Pastor Eric Kieb

Clergy/Spouse/Family Support Team

Cathy Kelly – Point
Mary Jo Delany
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Jane Francis
Cindy Gibbs
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