

Associate Pastor Nominating Committee



Roger Beasley has been a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church since 2000. Over the years, he has been an adviser to Sixers and Jr. Highs, coached boys and girls basketball for 13 years, served a term on the Session and was Co-Chair of the "A Place For Everyone" capital campaign for the sanctuary expansion. In addition to other local mission efforts including Habitat for Humanity and Thornwell, he has also been highly involved in Westminster's mission to the Dominican Republic since 2011. Roger and his wife Traci have two children that have grown up at Westminster, Grace (18) and Luke (16).



Ted Gentry and his wife, Mary, joined Westminster in 1992. Ted currently serves as Chair of the Session's Finance Committee, and during previous terms on the Session has chaired the Education and Witness & Service Committees. Ted and Mary co-chaired Westminster's 2012 Long Range Planning Committee. Ted was a member of the search committee that brought Mark Kemp to Westminster. Ted has also taught a number of adult Sunday School classes, and has been active at the Presbytery level, including serving as Moderator of Foothills Presbytery.



Allen Gillespie and his wife, Kelly, joined Westminster in 2007. They have two sons, Alex (15) and William (13). Allen is a Managing Partner of FinTrust Capital Advisors. Allen recently served as Chairman of the South Carolina Retirement System Investment Commission, a \$30 Billion pension plan, and he is currently still a member of the board. Allen earned his Chartered Financial Analyst designation in 1999 and his B.A. in Economics, cum laude, from Washington & Lee University in 1995. Allen recently appeared as a featured analyst in the documentary film "The World According to Amazon." Allen is actively involved in the community, as he serves on the Investment Committee for Meals on Wheels of Greenville, is a Liberty Fellow, MOSAIX Class, and serves as a CFA Institute Research Challenge Mentor.



Charlie LeGrand and his wife, Terri, joined Westminster in 1997. He has taught elementary Sunday School, served as a "shepherd" for elementary Sunday School, and served as an advisor for the "Sixers" youth group. Charlie and Terri also work with the Westminster Thornwell Connection group. Charlie has served on the Session twice, Witness and Service Committee twice (twice as chair), and has been on the Westminster mission trip to Cuba (2018 and 2019).



Christa Likes is married to Creighton and they have two children, Carter (13) and Creighton, IV (12). They joined Westminster in 2010 after relocating from Durham, NC. Christa currently serves as an elder on the Membership Committee. She has previously served as Moderator of Women of Westminster (Presbyterian Women) and led Vacation Bible School twice. Christa also teaches adult Sunday School for The Flock.



Susan McLeod and her husband Dan joined Westminster in 1995. She is a former Moderator of Presbyterian Women, Circle Chair, Bible Moderator, elementary to adult Sunday school teacher, Session member and recipient of the Presbyterian Women's Life Membership Award. A former Stephen Minister and current JustFaith participant, Susan has joined mission trips to the Dominican Republic and the Civil Rights Pilgrimage.



Gaye Sprague joined Westminster in 1998. She is married to Joel Sprague, and their son Jay and his wife Mollie are members of Westminster. Gaye has been co-editor of the pictorial directory, the coordinator of and volunteer for GAIHN, an usher, a Sunday School teacher, a member of the Witness and Service Committee, co-coordinator of church dinners, and congregational care meal coordinator. She is a member of Circle 7 and participates in the Lightly Seasoned fellowship group. She is currently serving her second term on Session.



Amanda Warren and her husband Rob joined Westminster in 2004. Their children Zach (age 11) and Cam (age 8) are active in Westminster's youth and choir programming. Amanda is a longtime member of the Sanctuary Choir, and she and Rob served as Senior High Youth advisors for 11 years. Amanda also served on the Long Range Planning Committee in 2011 and 2012, was the co-coordinator of the #yeahTHATgreenville Sunday School class, and was a member of the Carolina High Steering Committee. Amanda is active in the community, as well. She is the Associate Director of Integrated Services at United Ministries, where she has worked for over 12 years. She also serves on the board of directors of the Greenville Transit Authority.