

FAITH'S ELDERS



John Everett

John has just begun his 1st year as Elder after a long hiatus. During that time he served as a KidSpace teacher and youth group leader, among other volunteer duties. His recent retirement after 43 years in woodworking has opened up opportunities to serve his family; two married sons and one grandson, and his church.



Ginny Hoogstra

Ginny is in the 1st year of her current term as Elder, having served previously as both an Elder and a Deacon. She also sings in the choir, serves coffee, greets, and ushers. Ginny and her husband, Craig, recently celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary. They have a son and a daughter and one teenage grandson who continues to be the light of their lives.



Dave Ruitenber

Dave is in the 1st year of his 3rd term as an Elder at Faith. In addition to his Council responsibilities, Dave is a member of Faith's Safe Church Team, a door monitor and a member of the choir. He and his wife, Sally, have been married for 34 year and have 3 sons and 2 dogs. Dave is an avid reader, gardener and audiophile, as well as a partner in the law firm of Murphy McKeon, PC.



Linda Van Lenten *Faith Formation Elder*

Linda is in her 3rd year of her current term and served one previous term as Elder. Linda's passion is for children, and she enjoys leading KidSpace and teaching in Children's Worship and Vacation Bible School. She also sings in the choir and attends Ladies Bible Study. Linda was an Executive Assistant at BD for 20 years, and retired in 2019. During the pandemic, she came out of retirement and spent her days with her grandchildren while they attended "virtual school".



Lynn Walker

Lynn is in the 3rd year of her first term as Elder. She serves with Hospitality and is an usher and greeter; she also is in the choir. Lynn is married with 2 sons and 1 daughter. She is the Lead Pharmacy Technician at CVS in Glen Rock and has been there for 18 years.

FAITH'S DEACONS



Scott Bushoven *Clerk of Council*

Scott is in the 3rd year of his current term and has previously served as a Deacon. Scott serves in Children's Worship, nursery, VBS, as well as a door monitor, coffee server, and projector tech. Scott is married to Carli and they have 2 sons. He is a 2nd grade teacher in Teaneck and also serves as Treasurer of the Madison Holleran Foundation.



Dana Miller

Dana is in the 1st year of her first term serving as a Deacon. She is also the nursery coordinator, a co-coordinator of the Meal Ministry, and volunteer in Children's Worship. Dana is married to Stephen, was previously a teacher at Eastern Christian High School, and is now home with their 2 children, Emilia and Ben.



Trudie Pruiksm *New Hope Liason*

Trudie is in her 1st year of serving as Deacon and has previously served as Deacon in the past. She also serves as head of Hospitality and works as a team member in the Meal Ministry program. She enjoys being part of service in the church in many capacities. She continues to work part-time and is also involved in taking care of her grandchildren.



Krissy Vande Vrede *Deacon Chair*

Krissy is in the 3rd year of her first term as Deacon. She is active on the worship team and helps in various children's ministries. She enjoys Ladies Bible Study when she is able to attend. Krissy is married to Dan and they have a daughter and a son. She is a Clinical Psychologist and works at the Seton Hall Law School.



Beverly Bentley

Beverly is in the 1st year of her current term and has previously served on Deacons. She is a GEMS counselor, and volunteers for Nursery and VBS. She is retired from the Borough of Franklin Lakes.



Barbara Belanus

Barbara is in her 1st year of her current term, having been a Deacon in the past. She is also on the finance committee. Barbara is a leader in KidSpace and Ladies Bible Study. John and Barbara have 4 grown children and 11 grandchildren.