

2022 Annual Report

Community of Christ

Central USA Mission Center

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Our Mission

We proclaim Jesus Christ and promote communities of joy, hope, love, and peace.

Our Vision

To share God's vision of reconciliation, salvation, wholeness, justice, and peace expressed in Shalom; meaning a fullness or completeness of peace.

Our Purpose

Our call is to reclaim that same vision and passion for the whole mission of Jesus Christ today through five life-changing, church-changing, and world-changing Mission Initiatives.

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Discipleship Takes Courage

Dear Friends,

Discipleship takes courage! Being a follower of Jesus has never been easy. As disciples living life grounded in Christ, we boldly say yes to the call to follow, yes to the call to serve, yes to living our life for the sake of others. Consider the story of Jesus walking along the Sea of Galilee, calling out to Simon and Andrew, "Follow me, and I will make you fishers of people." The scripture says, "And immediately they left their nets and followed him." It takes enormous courage to drop what you are doing and follow, crossing the threshold into the unknown.

We live in a time of great possibility and great challenge as a community of believers. In one hand we hold the vast possibilities for expanding Christ's mission in the communities, homes, and hearts of all who yearn to experience a loving community grounded in Christ. In the other hand we hold the concerns of fewer givers, tired leaders, and the burdens of aging facilities. It is in this space where we become melted, molded, filled, and used by the spirit.

As Community of Christ, we are rising with courage to risk ourselves, our resources, and our comfort, for the possibility of the kingdom of God coming a little closer to this place. We are making difficult decisions to focus our resources more clearly on the mission of Christ. We are engaging in ministries through congregations that transform lives. We are developing new disciples and leaders. We are serving our community to abolish poverty and end suffering. We are inviting people to Christ.

Please take a moment to read about how we are making mission happen together. Your commitment and faithful discipleship through Community of Christ makes an impact. Have courage!

Together in Christ,



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Mission Center Executive Team



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Mission Center
President Team



Amy Estep

Mission Center
President Team



Jim Resch

Mission Center
President Team



Carina Wilson

Mission Center
Financial Officer



Elias Wilson

Community Development
Specialist

MISSION CENTER COUNCIL

Barb Gaeff-Vinck
Stone Church

Bob Gardner
Lee's Summit

Brenda Clements
Grandview

Carol McLaughlin
Cornerstone

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Walnut Gardens

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Colonial Hills

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Colonial Hills

Mark Robison
Walnut Gardens

Nathan Twombly
Colbern Rd

Brian Schultz
Parkview

Tammie Lay
Village Heights





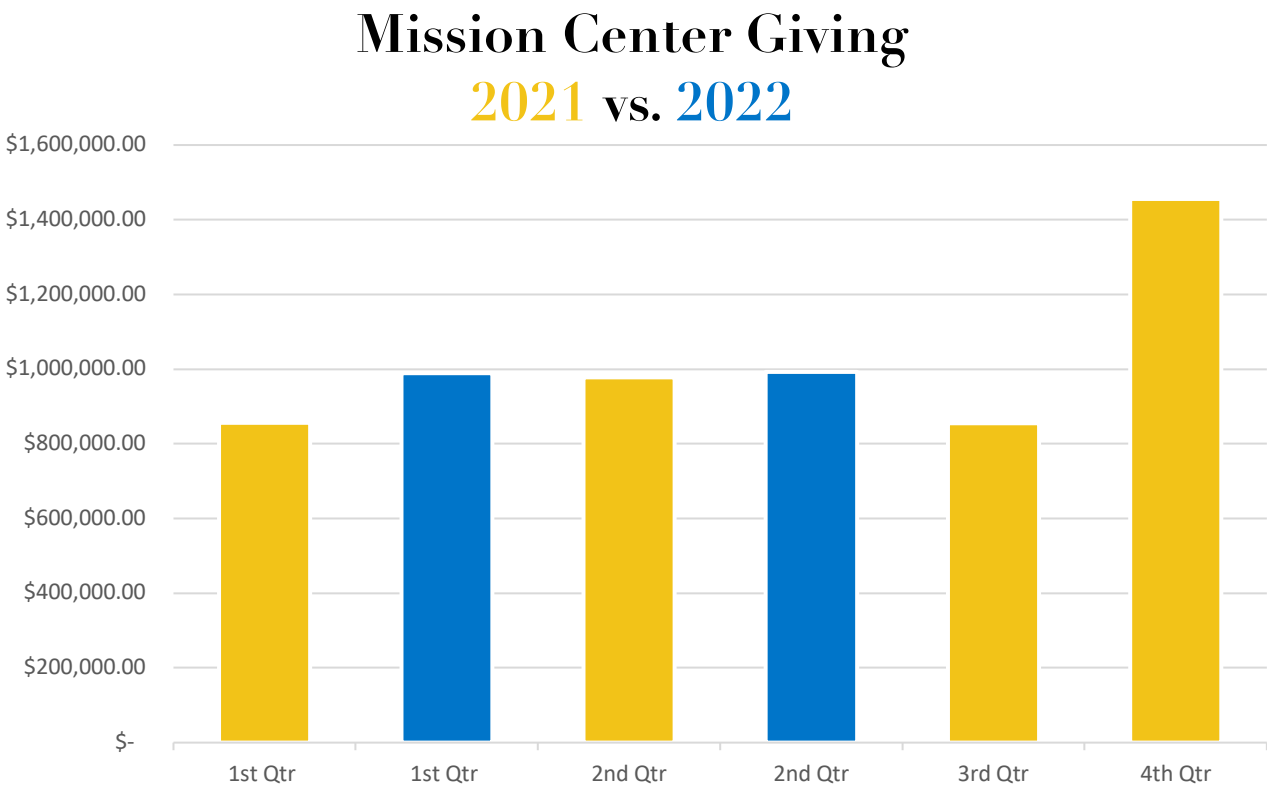
REFLECTING ON 2022

- Spread the Warmth Central Mission Center Coat Drive provided 437 coats to individuals and families throughout Jackson County.
- Hosted 7 summer camps and reunions in Missouri, Iowa, and Colorado.
- Central Mission Youth Camps had 283 attendees during summer 2022.
- More than 200 youth attended Middle School and High School aged Youth Ministry events throughout 2021-2022 school year.
- 87 volunteers donated their time to the youth camping program this year.
- Volunteers donated a total of 8,132 hours to youth camps and events thus far in 2022 valued at $22 per hour. This totals approximately $178,904 worth of volunteer hours donated.
- Camp MOJA had 43 campers and 57 staff members in its return to in-person gatherings.
- Summer events for Central USA Mission Center reached 212 outside of the youth camping program.
- Young Adult Ministries hosted a retreat with 49 participants at Lake Doniphan in spring of 2022.
- Over 85 young adults have been engaged in Young Adult Ministry efforts and 16 young adults have served in leadership roles.
- Young adults donated more than $1,000 worth of resources towards Young Adult Ministry efforts in 2022.
- The Lake Doniphan Dam was fixed for approximately $120,000.
- Hawthorne Ministries have returned to in-person activities and participated in 21 events so far in 2022.
- Pizza Church returned to in-person gatherings this spring and has seen consistent growth.
- Hawthorne's Senior Lunch has also returned to in-person gathering and is experiencing growth.
- Outreach Ministries has served approximately 350 youth with food, clothing and other resources.
- A total of 5 congregations are in the process of becoming Welcoming and Affirming congregations.
- Trauma Informed Ministry Training was provided to continue developing disciples to serve.
- Central USA Mission Center has received $104,213 in oblation funds from member giving.

Generosity Abounds

Central USA Mission Center has been blessed by the generosity of its donors through their time, talent, treasures, and testimony. In 2021 and 2022 members increased their giving in all four of these areas. We have seen an increase of approximately 3,500 volunteer hours and an increase in the number of members contributing their skills to various efforts throughout the Mission Center. In 2020, Central USA Mission Center's total Mission Tithes was approximately $3.8 million. In 2021 we experienced an increase in giving to $4.1 million and in 2022 we have seen increases in quarter to quarter giving for the 1st and 2nd quarters.

Your discipleship makes anything possible.



Financial Summary 2022

Central Mission - Ministry and Support
2022 Approved Budget Detail

	2022 Approved Budget
Facilities	
Equipment	3,500
Insurance	5,500
Utilities/telephone	10,000
Total Facilities	**19,000**
Administration	
Bank Charges	10,000
Printing, Postage & Office Supplies	10,000
Professional Fees	750
Mission Center Events, Conference	500
Computer Operations	4,500
Audio Visual	3,000
Total Administration	**28,750**
Human Resources	
Salaries & Benefits	623,500
Total Human Resources	**623,500**
Miscellaneous	
Miscellaneous	1,000
MC President Contingency	1,000
Total Miscellaneous	**2,000**
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	**711,800**
NET RECEIPTS	**0**

Central Mission - Ministry and Support
2022 Approved Budget Detail

	2022 Approved Budget
RECEIPTS	
Contributions-Mission Center	458,000
Interest	175,000
Other Income	64,000
Transfer Account	14,800
TOTAL RECEIPTS	**711,800**
DISBURSEMENTS	
Support & Outreach Ministries	
Ministerial Education/Leadership	1,500
Missionary Ministries	15,000
Worship	700
Total Support & Outreach Ministries	**17,200**
Youth Ministries	
Youth Program	
Middle School Program	1,500
Leadership	100
Rallies	3,500
Senior High Program	1,500
Total Youth Program	6,600
Youth Miscellaneous	
Camperships	7,500
Resources	500
Summer Program Staff	6,000
Total Youth Miscellaneous	14,000
Total Youth Ministries	**20,600**

Thank You

To Our Community Partners

Central Mission Community of Christ is proud to serve alongside our amazing community partners. We want to thank them for their support and commitment to creating a better community for all people in our community.

Community Partners

- **Community Services League**
- **Boys and Girls Clubs of GKC**
- **Independence School District**
- **POAH Communities**
- **Hawthorne Place Apartments**
- **Hope House**
- **Small Wonders Daycare**
- **Coldwater of Lee Summit**
- **Independence Parks and Recreation**
- **Drumm Farm Center for Children**
- **CARE KC**
- **Mader Foundation**
- **Advanced Cosmetic Surgery Center**
- **Multivac**
- **Diamond Contractors**

Thank You to Our Volunteers!

Central Mission Community of Christ is proud to serve alongside our amazing community partners. We are eternally grateful for the hours of work you graciously give in service to your community. You are loved.

Youth Rally 2022

- Carol Bolt
- Rob Bolt
- Steve Bolt
- Gene Ganson
- Corey Ganson
- Adrean Painter
- Sue Waters
- Fulton Wilhelm
- Michaela Reynolds
- Carina Lord Wilson
- Kevin Clark
- Susan Byrne
- Ben Byrne
- Bonnie Painter
- Greg Wilson
- Paula Burgess
- Chris Wilson
- Carole Price
- Aimee Bolt
- Rob Bolt
- Kinsey Horringa
- John Boyd
- Nathan Mack
- Sarah Williams
- Austin Williams
- Michaela Reynolds
- Lizzy Singleton
- Carter Martin
- Eli Wilson
- Cory Arnold
- Jay Lysinger
- Elliott Painter
- Sonny Painter
- Lucas Painter
- Amber Mills
- Logan Norton
- Reagan Patience
- Nevaeh Stelting
- McLane Graffeo
- Andrew Gray
- Fiona West
- Chase Clements
- Owen Twombly
- Emily Feagins
- Hailey Feagins
- Christi Feagins
- Paula Burgess
- Tiffany Stelting
- Antonio Stelting
- Nevaeh Stelting
- Hezekiah Stelting
- Stephanie Skinner
- Angel Skinner
- Shyanne Pyatt
- Joeleen DeMent
- Sabria Whisenhunt
- Sadie Waggerman
- Colby Carlson
- Daniel Harmon
- Caitlin Grover
- Lily Dennis
- Maddy Byrne
- Julie Williams
- Judy Williams
- Kyle Wilson
- Nick Main
- Christi Feagins
- Tanya Caldwell
- Rylee Norman
- Luke Young
- Trish Heath
- Ric Hettrick
- Janné Grover
- Joey Williams
- Emily Feagins
- Avary Boumstein
- Jenna Scraton
- Janae Scraton
- Collin Byrne
- Blue Line/United Rental
- In the Mix
- World Church Headquarters
- Sarah Clark
- Graceland University
- Camp MOJA
- East Independence
- New Walnut Park
- Grandview
- Gaylen Davenport
- Julie Bover
- Mike Bover
- Village Heights
- Barb Godwin
- Ginny Hart
- Erin Boatright
- Lewis Passman
- Val Walker
- Edith LaMastres
- Terri Christianson
- Richard Miller
- Dana Miller
- Sharron Closson
- Shannon Martin
- Kim Clements
- Greg Wilson
- Laura Reed
- Elizabeth Martin
- Claire Wilson

Elevate

- Christi Feagins
- Austin Williams
- Sarah Williams
- Susan Byrne
- Ben Byrne
- Eli Wilson
- Colonial Hills Community of Christ

HS Retreat

- Austin Williams
- Kelly Gard
- Sarah Williams
- Rylee Norman

MS Retreat

- Ashley Shomin
- Matt Shomin
- Carma Zahner
- Nathan Dixon
- Erna Duffer

Children's Camp

- Julie Shaw
- Ishbel Wilson
- Breanna Clark
- Claire Wilson
- Bruce Lindgren
- Michael Lindgren
- Erna Duffer
- Lisa Cox
- Morgan Cox
- Cara Borkowski

Junior Camp

- Garrett Boumstein
- McLane Graffeo
- Logan Norton
- Randy McGee
- Jenna Scranton
- Janae Sranton
- Claire Boustein
- Makala Williamson
- Hailey Feagins
- Emily Feagins
- Cecilie Fowler
- Rylee Norman
- Luke Clark
- Ethan Matlock
- Katie Bover
- Levi McConnell
- Avary Boumstein
- Beth Price
- Cindy Glandon
- Dave Glandon
- Dee Genasci
- Sarah Clark
- Julie Bover
- Christi Feagins
- Ishbel Wilson
- Breanna Clark
- Andrew Phipps
- Dillion Grover
- Rebecca Cox

Middle School Camp

- Tanya Caldwell
- Christi Feagins
- Greg Wilson
- Julie Williams
- Chase Clements
- Tatum West
- Emily Clements
- Nick Main
- Erna Duffer
- Lisa Cox
- Lonnie Caldwell
- Andrew Phipps
- Aaron Donald
- Logan Caldwell
- Matt Shomin
- Scott Blair
- Sonny Painter
- Adrean Painter
- Ishbel Wilson
- Breanna Clark
- Laney Killpack
- Kelly Gard
- Beth Love

High School Camp

- Sarah Williams
- Austin Williams
- Curtis Harper
- Erna Duffer
- Eryn Tinsman
- Kyle Wilson
- Julie Williams
- Greg Wilson
- Ishbel Wilson
- Breanna Clark
- Eli Wilson
- Ben Edwards
- Cole Delong
- Colby Carlson
- Steve Hensley
- David Toese
- Claire Wilson
- Rylee Norman
- Lisa Winch
- Sarah Dowell
- Jessica Pycior

SPECTACULAR

- Susan Byrne
- Ben Byrne
- Tyler Horringa
- Claire Wilson
- Carina Wilson
- Jill Phipps
- Jennifer Borgstadt
- John Boyd
- Jay Lysinger
- Sarah Dowell
- Sydney Dillon
- Caleb LaMastres

Easter Drama

- Suzanne Brownlee
- Rusty Moore
- Jason Brownlee
- Tad Whitmore
- Tim Cook
- Stephen Andresen
- Carma Zahner
- Aaron Zahner
- Alex Zahner
- Aric Zahner
- Sheena Hite
- Jason Wright
- Christopher Gibbs
  Delaynie Shelton
- Kenn Marlowe

JAM (Jesus and Me)

- Betty Bennett
- Pat Bounds
- Diane Buckley
- Glenn Ganson
- David Hess
- Sharon Hess
- Tyler Horringa
- Susan Jones
- Jeanan Maloney
- Gary McDonald
- Gail Miller
- Aleta Nelson
- Marge Nelson
- Carole Price
- Walter Schwensen
- John White
- Lyn Wilkerson
- Greg Wilson
- Barb Godwin
- Elrey Goheen
- Ginny Hart
- Cindy Hatch
- Jan Jones
- Joe Lay
- Tammy Lay
- Becky Martin
- Margret McDowell
- Jane Stinson
- Shirley Wilkerson
- Laura Reed
- Jared Sloan
- Julie Anderson
- Elias Wilson
- Kayla Powell
- Barbara Sullivan
- Kathy McPhail

Hawthorne Place Ministries

- Cole Delong
- Cheyenne Delong
- Kayla Powell
- Nevaeh Powell
- Lyn Wilkerson
- Maggie Boyd
- John Boyd
- Kathy McPhail
- Betty O'Neil
- Betty Bennett
- Jim Bennett
- Ginny Hart
- Barb Godwin
- Laverne Clark
- Kellie Rodriguez
- Claire Wilson
- Shirley Wilkerson
- Becky Martin
- Gretchen Weston
- Kathy Wilson
- Barbara Sullivan
- Robby Kasmerchek
- John Mallas

Camp MOJA

- Aaron Zahner
- Addison Ditamore
- Alex Zahner
- Allison Gordon
- Amanda Johnson
- Amy Wilkinson
- Ava Armenta
- Averi Clemons
- Bridget Parker
- Casey Anthony
- Chanté Campbell-Nixon
- Cris Dykeman
- David Jones
- Denise Jones
- Denis Young
- DeAun Young
- Eden Young
- Luke Young
- Emily Farmer
- Emily Warsheskie
- Garrett Mustain
- Haile Dykeman
- Haley Johnson
- James Binney
- Janie Phillips
- Jen Cox
- Jennifer Mathes
- John Godfrey
- Jonathan Binney
- Justin Kesner
- Karen Sablan
- Katelynn Mustain
- Katy Bethnolan
- Kristin Mallett
- Kyle Nelson
- Laremy Schulze
- Lexi Sablan
- Lilee Venegas
- Linda Anderson
- Makala Williamson
- Marc Dykeman
- Michael Ditamore
- Norman Eagleton
- Paula Singleton
- Pryor Godfrey
- Rachel Wilcox
- Ryan Moore
- Sarah Macoubrie
- Sarah Peck
- Sean VanGilder
- Shelby Bailey
- Soren Sablan
- Steve Williams
- Jackie Standley
- Chris Standley

Young Adult Ministry

- Cory Arnold
- Halle Arnold
- Ian Wilson
- Elizabeth Martin
- Carter Martin
- Madeline Williams
- Kenna Rose
- Devin Rose
- Austin Williams
- Sarah Williams
- Kyle Wilson
- Rylee Norman
- Shannon Thomas
- Jay Lysinger
- Kinsey Horringa
- Nate Cochran
- Bri Frank

Mission Center Conference

- Halle Arnold
- Elizabeth Reynolds
- Ishbel Wilson
- Sarah Williams
- Cindy Vernon
- Amy Estep
- Chad Godfrey
- Ethan Godfrey
- Gail Mengel
- Cory Arnold
- Suzie Godfrey
- Pam Robison
- Carole Price
- Jodi Donald
- Janné Scranton
- Jenna Scranton
- Emily Penrose-McLaughlin
- Kari Twombly
- Geri Norman
- Tiona Horning
- Gwendolyn Hawks-Blue
- Gaylen Davenport

Adventurer's Reunion

- Curtis Harper
- Natalie Harper
- Cole Delong
- Kyle Wilson

Justice and Peace Action Team

- Geri Norman
- Debbie Bayless
- Pat Cole
- Jim Hannah
- Sharon Hannah
- Shelby Norman
- Jared Sloan
- Sue Sloan
- Grace Troeh
- Stan Troeh
- Jim Resch

Agape Reunion

- Suzie Godfrey
- Amy Estep
- Chad Godfrey
- Lin Godfrey
- Ethan Godfrey
- Christi Feagins
- Mark Duvall
- Bob Gardner
- Jane Gardner
- Joy Scranton
- Barbara Graeff-Vinck
- Matt Frank
- Sarah Nelson
- Susan Naylor
- Tom Wright
- Dave Nelson
- Jayson Gray
- Meghan Gray
- Kara Sargent
- Joy Scranton

Temple School

- Gayla Mogg
- Vicki Cash
- Mark Robison
- Jodi Donald
- Diane Maupin
- Jeanne Earnest
- Bob Gardner
- Carole Price
- Elias Wilson
- Barb Graeff-Vinck
- Amy Estep

Pride Fest

- Aaron Donald
- Amy Estep
- Amy Hachinsky
- Art Smith
- Bob Gardner
- Chad Godfrey
- Cindy Gibson
- Catherine Loy
- Dave Loy
- Dawn Jackson
- Debi Harding
- Dorothy Carver
- Greg Wilson
- Jane Gardner
- Janné Grover
- Jeanne Curtis
- Jeanne Thompson
- Jenny Jackson
- Jodi Donald
- Joe Lay
- Jon Donald
- Josh Villebrun
- Kara Sargent
- Katie Arnold-Clow
- Kaylei Stahl Winch
- Kelli Anderson
- Laura Crozier
- Marvin Crozier
- Laura Crozier
- Laura Horning
- Lin Godfrey
- Lisa Bennett
- Jerry Bennett
- Lisa Winch
- Maureen Gibbs
- Megan Buch
- Melanie Harding
- Mindy McCorkle-Day
- Paul Groner
- Phyllis Gregg
- Richard Brown
- Sheila Tackū
- Sally Brown
- Sandra Kai Byrne
- Sarah Nelson
- Suzie Godfrey
- Tammie Lay
- Tiona Horning
- Catherine Wilson
- Sarah Nelson
- Shelia Wilcoxson
- Catherine Wilson
- Kara Sargent
- Ethan Godfrey
- Byron Thomas

Youth Ministers

- Clint Borgstadt
- Terry Carver
- Marcia West
- Chad Godfrey
- Paula Burgess
- Lori Huber
- Lisa Cox
- Jeff Rogers
- Cindi Rogers

Pastors, Financial Officers, Recorders

- Steve Kellogg
- Larry Martin
- Kristen Schmidt
- Todd Wilson
- Kelvin Gunn
- David Brown
- Cliff Borgstadt
- Lora Borgstadt
- Kari Twombly
- Gwen Burns
- Phyllis Gregg
- Dorothy Carver
- Dave Loy
- Garland Land
- Paul Groner
- Jim Resch
- Zac Harmon-McLaughlin
- Glenda Ganson
- Michelle Hock
- Jeremiah Walsh
- Julie Shaw
- Cheryl DeHaan
- Lauren Carr
- Bruce Scully
- David Botts
- Brenda Clements
- Scott Caldwell
- Tanya Caldwell
- Lois Jones
- Micheal Hahn
- Chelsea Pierce
- Marsha Brown
- Cindy McClain
- Curtis Harper
- Debbie Harding
- Suzie Godfrey
- Bob Thompson
- Sarah Nelson
- Marsha Penrose
- Steve Hicks
- Walt Deoring
- Douglas Webb
- Greg Manning

- Kelley Smith
- Connie Smith
- Paula Burgess
- Ken Schoff
- Cheryl Schoff
- Erna Duffer
- Gary Duffer
- John Mallas
- Shawn Mallas
- Dave Winship
- Glenna Winship
- Ruth Farrand-Cox
- Lloyd Hawkins
- Dennis Young
- Barre Hunter
- Dorris Thompson
- Ken Rust
- Gus Reed
- Glenda White
- Marvin Sword
- Jerry Hunter
- Karen Clapper
- Mark Byrne
- Ron Van Fleet
- Eric Scott
- Ken McClain
- Gerry Winship
- Larry Crozier
- Kent Parker
- Barb Graeff-Vinck
- John Marek
- Erin Boatright
- Joe Lay
- Julie Bover
- Val Walker
- Ken McLaughlin
- Sue Phipps
- Gary Logan
- Diane Maupin
- Rick Maupin
- Gayla Mogg
- Geri Norman
- Jim Hazelrigg
- Anne-Marie Rutledge
- Sue Pearson
- Terry Scott
- Aaron Twombly
- Dale McClaran
- Susan Rice
- Tedd Keller
- Janice Zimmerman
- Norma Fugate
- Wayne Moore
- Renald Eden
- Warren Terry
- Johnny Stabno
- Jeff Winship
- Alan Erickson
- Linda Pringle
- Denise Fears
- Heather Frey
- Calvin Holst
- Fred Keenan
- Caleb Dennis
- Larry Sebby
- Chuck Palmer
- Randy Hamann
- David Hess
- Tom Jeffers
- Vicki Cash
- Jason Brownlee
- Jason Sievers
- Terry Spaulding

- Doris Thompson
- David Winslow
- Fran Zimmerman
- Karen Moreland
- Tom Bennett
- Duane Feely
- Sherry McClaran
- Dorie Cripps
- Patty Young
- Marlo Brush
- Kurt Wilcoxson
- Steve Euritt
- Jeff Brown
- Stacey Keenan
- David Livingston
- Kevin Grover
- Sue Clark
- Bobbi Newby
- Dorris Mangum
- Marilyn Hakes
- Katy Toese
- Jan Zimmerman
- Dorothy Ganson
- Kenneth Tucker
- Pamala Ashley
- Rick Wilton
- Claude Burch
- Marsha Brown
- John Boyd
- Sandi Hunt
- Dalina Stevens
- Dave Wheaton
- Shirley Phelps
- Sharon Hess
- Suzanne Brownlee
- Lynn Cox
- Brian Scholtz
- Jen Toney
- Mary Pimblott
- Kara Johnson
- Joy Lynn Davis
- Jane Kunz
- Fred Christenson
- Juanita Miller
- Linda Carlile
- Christi Duke

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Blue Springs
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Buckner
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Grain Valley
Grain Valley

Grandview
Grandview

Kansas City
Good Shepherd

Lee Summit
Colbern Road
Lee Summit
Woods Chapel

Raytown
Raytown

Sibley
Osage Hills

Independence
Beacon Heights
Blue Ridge
Cornerstone
East 39th Street
East Independence
Eden Heights
Gudgell Park
Impact
Liberty Street
New Hope
New Walnut Park
Oak Hill
Open Arms
South Crysler
Special Ministries
Stone Church
Summit Grove
The Groves
Village Heights
Walnut Gardens

