

**Conference Document Packet**  
**Central USA Mission Center 2025 Fall Conference**  
**Sunday November 9, 2025**  
**Temple Complex**

**AGENDA**

9:00am	Classes and Activities for all Ages (Temple)
10:30am	All Central USA Mission Center Worship (Temple Sanctuary)
11:30am	Youth Fundraiser Lunch for High Adventure Trip (Lower Auditorium)
1:00pm	Central USA Mission Center Conference (Lower Auditorium)

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**Opportunities for Generosity**

Our mission center conference offers a variety of ways for you to generously participate.

1. During the morning worship you can contribute to conference expenses through the Disciples Generous Response
2. During the youth fundraising lunch, you can help support summer experiences that share Christ and build sacred community.
3. All day you can give to our annual coat drive. See Carole Price, Eli Wilson or the QR Code below.
4. And in the morning Stirred to Action invites you to contribute to the annual coat drive to help support the community.

Ways to Give



**BUT WHY WAIT UNTIL SUNDAY?!?**

You can plan your giving now using your *Securegive* app or the QR code here.

Hawthorne Place Coat Project (552)  
Mission Center Conference (518)  
Colorado High Adv (534)- Lunch Donation

**2025 Fall Central USA Mission Center  
Conference  
9:00 a.m. Disciple Formation Classes**

***Anchored in Hope: Steadfast Faith in a Shifting World with Susan Naylor and Janné Grover - Meditation Chapel***

Rooted in Hebrews 6: 19-20, this session explores how Christ, our sure and steadfast anchor, grounds us amid life's storms and uncertainties. Drawing on hymns of hope, healing and renewal, we'll reflect on how faith sustains us as we wait, work, and worship in God's promise of redemption.

***Stirred to Action presents Conflict Resolution with Debbie Bayless, Tracy and Kari Twombly - Continents Rooms***

The Center for Conflict Resolution will guide us through effective strategies for managing conflict and lead us in practical resolution exercises. Attendees will have the chance to apply these techniques in small group sessions.

***Poverty and Embracing Mission with Pat Henshaw- Theater 1***

This session is an introductory exploration of systemic issues related to poverty and how congregations can live out the mission initiative Abolish Poverty and End Suffering.

***Be Kind to Yourself - You Deserve It: Exploring Self-Compassion (middle school / high school ages) with Tyler Horrynga***

How often do we treat others with more kindness or grace than we treat ourselves? As young people made in the image of God we are loved! Yet, we sometimes find it hard to show self-compassion, which God shows us. During our time together we will explore the concept of self-compassion through a variety of engaging games and meaningful discussions.

***Hope is a Rainbow (elementary ages) with Julie Bover- Shalom Place***

Does your 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grader enjoy LEGO's, play dough, art, and games? Using these fun hands-on activities, we will be exploring how hope is a feeling, gift, and wish!

***Nursery with Savana Curtis-Tye & Claire Wilson - Peacemakers Room***

## **Central USA Mission Center Worship**

Anchored in Hope  
November 9, 2025

Praise Music		Sacred Pulse
Welcome		Amy Estep
Introit		Choral Ensemble
Call to Worship	The Twombly Family	
We Put our Hope in God - Based on Psalm 146		
Leader:	Praise God!	
People:	Praise God, O my soul!	
Leader:	We put our hope in God	
People:	Who made heaven and earth and sea and all that is in them;	
Leader:	Who keeps faith forever;	
People:	Who brings justice for the oppressed,	
Leader:	Gives food to the hungry,	
People:	Sets the prisoners free,	
Leader:	Opens the eyes of the blind,	
People:	And lifts up those who are bowed down.	
Leader:	Praise God!	
People:	Praise God, O my soul!	
*Opening Hymn	"Lord of All Hopefulness"	CCS 193
*Invocation		Shane Harper
*Response	"We Wait in Hope" - stanza 1	CCS 267
Focus Moment		Hallee Arnold
Disciples' Generous Response		Steve Newby
Ministry of Music		Choral Ensemble
Message		Kat Hnatyshyn
Prayer for Peace		Doug Webb
*Closing Hymn	"May the God of Hope"	CCS 652
*Benediction		Christi Feagins
*Postlude		Pam Robison
Art Ministry	Adrean Painter	

Central USA Mission Center Conference  
Legislative Sessions  
November 10, 2024

**CALL TO ORDER SESSION**

Central USA Mission Center Fall Conference was held in the Lower Assembly Room of the Auditorium for 2024. Central USA Mission Center President Greg Wilson called the Mission Center Conference to order. Those on the podium were Field Apostle Janné Grover, and John Wight as Parliamentarian, and Mission Center President Greg Wilson. President Wilson thanked those present for coming and thanked those behind the scenes taking care of technology and support services. The meeting was opened with a hymn and prayer.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

President Wilson shared with the conference that the minutes from the April 14, 2024 Central USA Mission Center Spring Conference were emailed to all members. President Wilson explained that these minutes were not before the body for approval during this conference since they had already been reviewed and approved by the Mission Center Council. Additionally, President Wilson said that without objection today's conference minutes will be reviewed and approved by the new Mission Center Council members and distributed during the next Mission Center Conference. There was no objection from the conference for the council to approve the minutes.

**CAMPUS RV PARK BOARD ELECTION**

President Wilson stated there would be an election for one three-year term to begin January 1, 2025.

**POSITION 1**

Julie Crandall was nominated by the mission center presidency to serve in this position. President Wilson asked if there were other nominations. Hearing none, President Wilson declared Julie Crandall elected by acclamation.

**LDCI (LAKE DONIPHAN CAMPGROUND INC.) REPORT**

President Wilson acknowledged the next item of business would be an update on Lake Doniphan Conference and Retreat Center by LDCI Board President Randall Pratt. Randall proceeded with his presentation and concluded by turning the chair back to President Wilson.

**LDCI (LAKE DONIPHAN CAMPGROUND INC.) BOARD ELECTION**

President Wilson indicated that we would elect four members for the Lake Doniphan Campground, Inc. board. Two of these positions will begin their term on January 1, 2025, and end December 31, 2028. One position will begin on January 1, 2025 and end December 31, 2026. One position will begin on January 1, 2025 and end on December 31, 2025.

**POSITION 1**

Christi Feagins was nominated by the mission center to serve on the board for Vacancy #1 holding a three-year term.

The floor was then open to any other nominations. There were no additional nominations made. Christi Feagins was approved by acclamation.

**POSITION 2**

Lauren Bolt was nominated by the mission center to serve on the board for Vacancy #2 holding a three-year term.

The floor was then open to any other nominations. There were no additional nominations made. Lauren Bolt was approved by acclamation.

**POSITION 3**

Addison Wilson was nominated by the mission center to serve on the board for Vacancy #3 holding a two-year term.

The floor was then open to any other nominations. There were no additional nominations made. Addison Wilson was approved by acclamation.

**POSITION 4**

Tom Wright was nominated by the mission center to serve on the board for Vacancy #4 holding a one-year term.

The floor was then open to any other nominations. There were no additional nominations made. Tom Wright was approved by acclamation.

**STAFF SERVICE AWARD PRESENTATION**

President Greg Wilson announced that this year we are recognizing staff members for their years of service working at the Central USA Mission Center Office. These employees were announced and presented a small gift of appreciation.

**MISSION CENTER PRESIDENT RETIREMENT**

President Greg Wilson announced that President Jim Resch will be retiring from his current role on the Mission Center President Team. We are so grateful for the years of service Jim has provided. Jim spoke to the conference about his time in this role. President Wilson thanked Jim again for his time and presented him with a small gift.

**2025 WORLD CONFERENCE DELEGATE ELECTION**

President Greg Wilson advised that we will now be electing the 2025 World Conference Delegates. Currently, we have 161 nominations which appear on the printed ballot. There are an additional five names that should be added as write in nominations. President Wilson asked if there were additional nominations from the floor. There were none. Since we did not reach the total amount of 187 nominations the chair declared all nominees by acclamation.

**2025 PROPOSED MISSION CENTER BUDGET**

President Wilson turned the meeting over to Mission Center Financial Officer Carina Wilson to present the budget. Bishop Carina Wilson gave an overview of the 2025 budget detail included in the provided documents as well as providing detailed information and explanation on the current financial environment of the mission center. Financial Officer Wilson then asked if there were questions on the 2025 budget detail. Discussion followed. President Wilson then recognized Brenda Clements for a motion to consider the 2025 Central USA Mission Center Budget. Brenda Clements so moved and a second on the motion was received. President Wilson called for a vote to approve the 2025 budget. The vote to approve the 2025 budget as submitted passed.

### **GENEROSITY IS MISSIONAL PRESENTATION**

President Wilson now recognized Field Support Minister, Bishop Amy Hoerchler to share with the mission center World Church updates. Including the introduction of the new Mission Development Minister Erin Cackler. Erin then shared some details about her new position in the church. The chair was then turned back to President Wilson.

### **INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE AWARD PRESENTATION**

President Greg Wilson announced that this year we are recognizing Julie Williams and Carole Price with the International Youth Service Award. We are so grateful to both members of our mission center for their dedication to our youth around the mission center and beyond. Both were presented an award and small gift of gratitude.

### **CONSIDERATION OF PRIESTHOOD CALLS**

President Wilson advised the Conference there were four priesthood calls to consider during this conference.

President Wilson shared with the conference that David Read-Davis had received a priesthood call to the office of high priest-bishop. President Wilson advised the conference that in the packet they would find Apostle Janné Grover's testimony to this call. David Read-Davis was then called upon to make a personal statement about this call. President Wilson then called for a motion to consider David Read-Davis's call to the office of high priest-bishop. Andrea Read-Davis made the motion, and it received a second. The vote to approve David Read-Davis's call was taken and the motion passed.

President Wilson shared with the conference that David Loy and Phyllis Shields Hurshman had received a priesthood call to the office of high priest-evangelist. President Wilson advised the conference that in the packet they would find Apostle Janné Grover's testimonies to these calls. David Loy was then called upon to make a personal statement about this call. Next, Phyllis Shields Hurshman was called upon to make a personal statement about this call. President Wilson then called for a motion to consider David Loy and Phyllis Shields Hurshman's calls to the office of high priest-evangelist. Cathy Loy made the motion, and it received a second. The vote to approve David Loy and Phyllis Shields Hurshman's calls were taken and the motion passed.

President Wilson shared with the conference that Evan Manuel had received a priesthood call to the office of evangelist. President Wilson advised the conference that in the packet they would find Apostle Janné Grover's testimony to this call. Evan Manuel was then called upon to make a personal statement about this call. President Wilson then called for a motion to consider Evan Manuel's call to the office of evangelist. Phyllis Gregg made the motion, and it received a second. The vote to approve Evan Manuel's call was taken and the motion passed.

### **2025 SUSTAINING OF MISSION CENTER OFFICERS**

Apostle Janné Grover assumed the chair and read a letter from the First Presidency recommending that Central USA Mission Center sustain the appointment of the following persons to serve as members of the Mission Center Presidents Team: Greg Wilson, Amy Estep, and Chad Godfrey with the team being chaired by Greg Wilson. Gaylen Davenport made a motion to sustain the appointment of the president team and the motion received a second. The vote to sustain the appointment Mission Center President Team was taken and approved.

Apostle Grover read a letter from the First Presidency recommending Carina Wilson be sustained as the Central USA Mission Center Financial Officer. Mark Robison made a motion to sustain Carina Wilson as the Central Mission Financial Officer which received a second. The vote to sustain Carina Wilson as the Central Mission Financial Officer was taken and approved.

Apostle Grover read a letter from the Apostle recommending Elias Wilson be sustained as the Central USA Mission Center Invitational Support Minister. Tammie Lay made a motion to sustain Elias Wilson as the Central USA Mission Center Invitational Support Minister which received a second. The vote to sustain Elias Wilson as the Central USA Mission Center Invitational Support Minister was taken and approved.

### **2025 SUSTAINING OF MISSION CENTER MINISTERIAL AND SUPPORT STAFF**

President Wilson thanked each of the ministerial and support staff who work tirelessly to fulfill the mission of the Church. A motion was made to sustain the members of the Mission Center Ministerial and support staff. Fran Zimmerman made the motion and it received a second. President Wilson called for a vote to sustain the following Mission Center Staff:

Kevin Clark – Assistant Financial Officer  
 Tyler Horrington – Youth Minister  
 Carole Price – Outreach Support Minister  
 Carla Cole- BVAC Assistant Director  
 Lynn McMillan- BVAC Director  
 Bonnie Painter- Accounting Specialist  
 Catrina Rittenhouse- Accounting Specialist  
 Laura Reed- Communication and Administrative Support  
 Diane Martin- Accounting Clerk

The vote to sustain the Mission Center leaders was taken and approved.

### **2025 SUSTAINING OF MISSION CENTER COUNCIL**

President Wilson thanked the Mission Center Council for all of their hard work and efforts. A motion was made to sustain these members of the Mission Center Council by Glen Ganson and it received a second. President Wilson called for a vote to sustain the follow Mission Center Council Members:

Shane Harper  
 Lauren Carr  
 Brenda Clements  
 Gaylen Davenport  
 Gwendolyn Hawks-Blue  
 Shannon Hogue  
 Tammie Lay  
 Don McMillan  
 Jim Resch  
 Mark Robison  
 Brian Schultz  
 Joy Scranton  
 Lila Stone  
 Nathan Twombly

Barbara Vinck  
Sarah Williams  
Fran Zimmerman  
Elias Wilson, Invitational Support  
Greg Wilson, MCP Chair  
Amy Estep, MCP  
Chad Godfrey, MCP  
Carina Wilson, MCFO  
Bob Gardner, Supporting Evangelist

The vote to sustain the Mission Center Council was taken and approved.

This concluded the scheduled business for this Conference. This session of the conference was adjourned.  
At this time the conference moved to a time of worship.

Respectively submitted,  
Laura Reed, Secretary



# Central & Midlands Mission Centers Conference Report

October 2025



Dear Friends of Lake Doniphan Campground:

As Board President for our campground, I am pleased to provide this update for 2025.

☞ **We are Achieving Our Mission!** The Summer of 2025 (our “peak season”) has been **awesome!** I have heard many comments about the food being better than it has been for many years, the grounds looking great, the rooms cleaner, and the staff being very welcoming and helpful. The high quality of our operations enables much blessing and ministry. We know from our own experiences the importance of camps, reunions and retreats for our spiritual health and development. We have a deep need and “hunger” to be together in sacred community, in a special way that happens profoundly at the campground. The campground is a great place for families gathering, children playing, and life-changing experiences with God and each other. These are the things that motivate our commitment to the mission and ministries of Lake Doniphan.

☞ **Success for Our Guest Groups!** We continue to serve the needs of camps, reunions, retreats and other gatherings where **lives are changed!** The camps that we hosted in 2025 were well-attended, and our campground touched many lives. We will welcome **more than 20 guest groups in 2025!** We are grateful to serve them:

- Central Mission Reunion • Midlands/Central Missouri Reunion
- Camp MOJA (*individuals with intellectual disabilities*)
- Camp MITIOG (*children ages 8-16 living with spina bifida*)
- Camp Quality (*kids with cancer + families*) Spring Family Camp
- Camp Quality (*kids with cancer*) Summer Youth Camp
- Camp Quality (*kids with cancer + families*) Fall Family Camp
- Midwest Hemophilia Assoc. Camp • Ministerios Kairos Church
- Central Mission High School Camp • Central Mission Junior Camp
- Central Mission Middle School Camp • Liberty Street Congregation
- Central Mission Children’s Camp • Central Mission Youth Retreat
- Camp Kick • Waldo Restoration • Macedonia Baptist Church
- World Church Leaders Meeting • Council of Twelve Apostles
- Community of Christ Young Adults Retreat • Women’s Retreat



Central Mission Youth Campfire



Central Mission Center Reunion



Central Mission High School Camp Staff



World Church Leaders Meeting (September)



Liberty Street Congregation Retreat



Midlands/Central Missouri Reunion



Central Mission Children's Camp







🌀 **Facilities Challenges.** As is the case for any hospitality operation, ongoing repairs are needed. This has been the year for costly water and waste line repairs, which have been capably managed by our team.



🌀 **RV Association.** We are grateful that the Community of Christ RV Association spent a week with us in April, accomplishing much!



🌀 **Looking to 2026.** Given three group cancellations in 2025 and inflation, **we will continue to need your generous donations for 2026: Go to [www.LakeDoniphan.com](http://www.LakeDoniphan.com)**

Our team will be even more focused on marketing to attract new groups and re-establish good contacts with lapsed groups. This should bring about additional revenue growth for 2026.

🌀 **Gratitude.** We so appreciate the generous support our two Mission Centers for the ministries of our campground!



Paul Douglas teaching archery



Cool pool on a hot summer day!



Harry Potter Night at High School Camp



NOT the Last Supper in the Dining Room



Thank you for your continued support of Lake Doniphan! *Randall Pratt*

**Our Mission:** Lake Doniphan provides a safe place in a natural setting for welcoming community, personal development, and spiritual growth through camps, reunions, conferences, retreats, and day events for children, youth, adults, families, churches, and civic or business groups.

**Our Vision:** Life-changing experiences, together.

## Central Mission - Ministry and Support

### 2026 Proposed Budget Summary

	FY 2024 Unaudited <small>as of 11/5/2025</small>	FY 2025 APPROVED Budget	2026 PROPOSED <small>as of 11/5/2025</small>
<b>RECEIPTS</b>			
Contributions-Mission Center	\$ 495,236	\$ 484,700	\$ 526,450
Interest	173,000	175,000	177,000
Other Income	68,740	65,000	65,000
Transfer Account (Reserves)	0	32,550	85,800
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$ 736,976</b>	<b>\$ 757,250</b>	<b>\$ 854,250</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS</b>			
<b><i>Support &amp; Outreach Ministries</i></b>			
Communications	\$ 2,022	\$ 4,000	4,000
Ministerial Education/Leadership	254	1,500	1,500
Missionary Ministries	15,000	15,000	15,000
Worship	765	1,000	1,000
<b><i>Total Support &amp; Outreach Ministries</i></b>	<b>\$ 18,041</b>	<b>\$ 21,500</b>	<b>21,500</b>
<b><i>Youth Ministries</i></b>			
<b><i>Youth Program</i></b>			
Middle School Program	\$ 1,491	\$ 1,500	1,500
Leadership	0	200	200
Rallies	3,934	4,000	4,000
Senior High Program	1,447	1,500	1,500
<b>Total Youth Program</b>	<b>\$ 6,872</b>	<b>\$ 7,200</b>	<b>7,200</b>
<b><i>Youth Miscellaneous</i></b>			
Camperships	\$ 7,500	\$ 5,000	5,000
Resources	0	250	250
Summer Program Staff	6,500	7,000	7,000
<b>Total Youth Miscellaneous</b>	<b>\$ 14,000</b>	<b>\$ 12,250</b>	<b>12,250</b>
<b><i>Total Youth Ministries</i></b>	<b>\$ 20,872</b>	<b>\$ 19,450</b>	<b>19,450</b>
Stewardship Resources	\$ 986	\$ 800	800
<b><i>Total All Ministries</i></b>	<b>\$ 39,899</b>	<b>\$ 41,750</b>	<b>\$ 41,750</b>

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**Central Mission - Ministry and Support**  
**2026 Proposed Budget Summary**

	FY 2024 Unaudited as of 11/5/2025		FY 2025 APPROVED Budget		2026 PROPOSED as of 11/5/2025
<i>continued from previous page</i>					
<b>Facilities</b>					
Equipment	\$	3,463	\$	3,500	3,500
Insurance		3,000		3,500	4,000
Utilities/telephone		13,714		8,500	8,500
<b>Total Facilities</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>20,177</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>15,500</b>	<b>\$ 16,000</b>
<b>Administration</b>					
Bank Charges	\$	674	\$	1,000	1,000
Printing, Postage & Office Supplies		6,512		8,500	9,000
Professional Fees		800		1,000	1,000
Mission Center Events, Conference		168		1,000	1,000
Computer Operations		4,490		4,500	4,500
Audio Visual		2,516		3,000	3,000
<b>Total Administration</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>15,160</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>19,000</b>	<b>\$ 19,500</b>
<b>Human Resources</b>					
Salaries & Benefits	\$	588,617	\$	678,000	774,000
<b>Total Human Resources</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>588,617</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>678,000</b>	<b>\$ 774,000</b>
<b>Miscellaneous</b>					
Miscellaneous	\$	1,638	\$	1,500	1,500
MC President Contingency		1,538		1,500	1,500
<b>Total Miscellaneous</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,176</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,000</b>	<b>\$ 3,000</b>
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>667,029</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>757,250</b>	<b>\$ 854,250</b>
<b>NET RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>69,947</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$ 0</b>





# Community of Christ

CHRIST'S MISSION, OUR MISSION

October 19, 2025

To the Central Mission Center

We are grateful for all who gather in loving community to support the mission of Jesus Christ. Trusting the Holy Spirit's guidance, we pray your time in worship, fellowship, and the business of the mission center is spiritually renewing and honors the values of Community of Christ. May blessings of beloved community abound as you create safe space for listening to God and one another; and may stories of mission enliven holy possibility in the places you live and serve.

In support of the important work of the mission center, the First Presidency is pleased to recommend Greg Wilson, Amy Estep and Chad Godfrey to serve as the Mission Center President Team. This leadership team is vital in supporting congregations as they live the mission to which Community of Christ is called. We are deeply grateful for Greg, Amy and Chad's willingness to serve in these key roles of ministry and leadership. The Mission Center President Team will be chaired by Greg Wilson.

We ask for your prayerful consideration to sustain Greg, Amy and Chad to serve as the appointed Mission Center President Team and your prayerful support of all who serve in leading Christ's mission.

In the spirit of peace,  
THE FIRST PRESIDENCY

Janné C. Grover

cc: Carrie Welch, Kat Hnatyshyn, Matt Frizzell, Richard James, USA Apostles

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In support of the important work of the mission center, the Presidency and Presiding Bishopric are pleased to recommend Nathan Twombly to serve as Mission Center Financial Officer. In partnership with the Mission Center President, the Mission Center Financial Officer provides the financial leadership necessary to live the mission of the church. We are deeply grateful for Nathan's willingness to serve in this essential position to support your congregations in generosity and whole-life stewardship as essential principles in living the mission of Christ.

We ask for your prayerful consideration to sustain Nathan to serve as the appointed Mission Center Financial Officer and your prayerful support of all who serve in leading Christ's mission.

In the spirit of peace,  
THE FIRST PRESIDENCY

Janné C. Grover

PRESIDING BISHOPRIC

Ronald D. Harmon Jr.

cc: Carrie Welch, Kat Hnatyshyn, Matt Frizzell, Richard James, USA Apostles

JCG/kat



# Community of Christ

CHRIST'S MISSION, OUR MISSION

Council of Twelve Apostles

October 19, 2025

To the Central Mission Center

Dear friends,

I am pleased to present to you for your support Eli Wilson as the Central Mission Center Invitation Support Minister. In this position, Eli will support, encourage, and equip congregations, disciples, and priesthood for ministries of invitation, hospitality, and witness.

We recognize how Eli leads mission through developing disciples to serve, identifying and empowering emerging leaders, experimenting with innovative ministry, and integrating the ministry and leadership of mission center seventy to support congregational life. We are grateful for Eli's commitment to exploring ministry that maximizes the use of congregation buildings, campgrounds, and strategic community spaces to connect people with the transforming power of building relationships in Christ-centered communities.

Your prayer support for Eli is encouraged.

Blessings,

Carrie Welch

Kat Hnatyshyn

Matt Frizzell

Richard James

USA Mission Field Apostles

**Whereas**, Central USA Mission Center and its predecessor organizations have owned and utilized Lake Doniphan Conference & Retreat Center as a place for disciples' spiritual formation for more than 80 years; and

**Whereas**, throughout that time, the Mission Center has fulfilled the responsibilities of ownership, including providing necessary financial support to Lake Doniphan Conference & Retreat Center; and

**Whereas**, several camp cancellations during the 2025 camping season significantly and negatively impacted the financial position of the Retreat Center; and

**Whereas**, Midlands USA Mission Center has provided a \$22,500 gift to support essential cash flow needs during 2025 as Lake Doniphan works to expand its user base; and

**Whereas**, on August 4, 2025 the Central USA Mission Center Advisory Council approved a loan, up to \$127,500, from the Central Mission Center Operating Reserves to support these same needs which has been fully drawn by Lake Doniphan; and

**Whereas**, Central USA Mission Center currently holds \$165,270 in a fund from the sale of the Belton, MO congregation building in 1999; therefore, be it

**Resolved**, that Central USA Mission Center will gift the \$127,500 loan amount to Lake Doniphan Conference & Retreat Center utilizing funds from the Belton Building Fund instead of asking for the loan to be repaid to Central USA Mission Center.

### **Ordination Service Order of Worship**

Welcome		Greg Wilson
Hymn	"All Are Called"	CCS 606
Scripture Reading		D&C 163: 2 and 6 a-b
Charge		Apostle Kat Hnatyshyn
Ordinations		

**Nathan Twombly will be ordained to the office of Bishop  
by President Janné Grover and Bishop Steve Kellogg**

**Ginny Hart will be ordained to the office of High Priest  
By President Janné Grover and High Priest Greg Wilson**

Hymn	"I, the Lord of Sea and Sky"	CCS 640
Prayer of Blessing		Janné Grover



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## NEWSLETTER

Sign up to automatically receive the mission center newsletter. Keep up with all the important events happening with the church.

Join Our  
Bi-Weekly Newsletter

TOGETHER IN COMMUNITY  
-SOME ASSEMBLY REQUIRED



[centralmission.org/newsletter](https://centralmission.org/newsletter)

## CAMP DATES

Check the website for all 2026 Camp Dates!

**[centralmission.org/campdates/](https://centralmission.org/campdates/)**

## YOUTH MINISTRY

Upcoming youth events:  
Elevate, Fall Retreat, & Rally

More Details at  
[centralmission.org](https://centralmission.org)

Community of Christ

## Coat Giveaway

Visit <https://centralmission.org/coats>  
or Scan the QR Code to donate today!

Questions?  
Or prefer to donate by cash or check?  
Call Carole Price at 816-797-9424

## PLAN AHEAD –

**2026 Spring Mission Center Conference**  
**April 12, 2026**

# WOMEN'S RETREAT

**Join us for a weekend of  
reflection, empowerment,  
& sisterhood.**

December 5-7, 2025

\$240 per person

Registration details at  
[centralmission.org/events](http://centralmission.org/events)

## CHRISTMAS WORSHIP

Join Central Mission Center to celebrate the wonder of the season with a joyful evening of music, light, and story! Sing along to your favorite Christmas carols, enjoy beautiful performances by our orchestra, and experience the Christmas story brought to life in a service filled with warmth and holiday spirit.

**December 21, 2025**

**7:00 pm**

**Woods Chapel CoC**

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### Campfire for Kids

Fundraising Campaign





**SENDING KIDS  
INVOLVED THROUGH  
OUTREACH MINISTRIES  
TO CAMP!**

**CONTACT GINNY HART TO  
DONATE TODAY!**



SCAN TO DONATE!



*Central Mission  
Center Camps*

## CALLED TO SERVE:

A Retreat for Growing Disciples

**Are you feeling called to go  
deeper in your discipleship?**

Whether you are a pastor,  
leader or a seeker yearning  
to grow join us!

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