

Call Committee Members



Kari Davies

I live in Spring Lake Park with my husband Al and daughter, Kaitlyn and have been a member of St. Philip's since 2004. When we can all be in the Sanctuary I help the band with sound checks and getting Kaitlyn's and Al's music ready. Recently I have been helping them with recording their songs and sending them to Cheri to work her magic with the sound mixing. I am also co-leader of Kaitlyn's Girl Scout troop and enjoy crocheting, knitting, sewing, and gardening.



Phyllis Ehlers

I am a blessed Child of God and mother of two girls and grandmother of two grandsons. I have also been blessed with one son-in-law and a loving husband. My hobbies are reading, playing bridge, and sewing.



Aaron Gondorchin

I have two children, Paige and Logan, who have grown up in their faith at St. Philip's. I married my wife, Staci, at St. Philip's in February of 2002. I have enjoyed being a member at St. Philip's and have met many wonderful people here. One of my most favorite memories of St. Philip's was chaperoning the youth mission trip to Denver Colorado in 2019!



Dianne Lundeen

Jim and I took a year to visit churches before deciding in the fall of 2010 to join St. Philip's rather than a church closer to home. We wanted a church that was open to and welcomed all. Must-haves were a choir at a traditional worship service and a pipe organ. Music is a big part of my life, and I made it my career. I have enjoyed singing in the choir since 2010. The traditional service with its liturgy and music has always been more meaningful to me.



Ryan Nestrud

My wife and I have been married for five years now and currently are focusing on raising our fun two-year old son Phillip. We moved to New Brighton a little over 1 1/2 years ago. I enjoy being a part of a softball team in the summer, small house projects, and game nights with my family and friends.



Kara Ruwart

I am so blessed to be a part of St. Philip's for my whole life. My parents were charter members so I was baptized, confirmed, married, (Tom Ruwart) and our now adult children, Kaylene and Thomas, were also baptized and confirmed here. I have been on many committees. A couple fun facts, Tom and I started the 20+ young adults group when we were that age and I painted the Noah's Ark painting in the Nursery (a memorial) and the Gathering Corner picture. We live in Fridley.