

Getting to know your Senior Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC).....



Tiv Alston

Tiv joined the PHPC church family in 2002 when she and husband Will relocated from Doylestown, Pennsylvania. They were drawn to this church based on its "welcoming and grace filled "atmosphere. A long line of Presbyterians is in her lineage. Over the years, she has been actively involved in several local mission projects. A particular passion of hers was the Family Promise ministry where she served as chair for 10 years. Tiv has served as an elder at PHPC and six other Presbyterian churches where she lived previously. She has chaired an Interim Pastor Nominating Committee at PHPC previously. Currently Tiv sings in the choir, co-chairs the Prayer Chapel Project with Robin Prater and recently joined the Board of

Trustees for Presbyterian Homes of Georgia. Tiv is a graduate of Stillman College and has an MBA from Fairleigh-Dickenson University.

Shawn Badinger



Shawn was born in Maryland and attended elementary school in New England before coming to Georgia. She was raised Baptist but is much happier as a seeker and helper in PCUSA. Shawn, wife Shannon and their two children Ben and Nora have been at PHPC since 2007. She is involved in several ministry areas and has served as a PHPC elder.

A GA Tech graduate, she is currently a stay-at-home-mom but was a software development program/project manager for 20+ years. Shawn's passion for this search effort is for us to find someone excited and qualified to lead PHPC in both expected and unexpected ways.

Dave Huffman



Dave and his wife Laura have been members of PHPC since 2007. Their son Matthew is in his third year at Georgia Tech. A native of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Dave was an active member in his family's Baptist church where much of his faith experience was shaped by parents and a Baptist minister grandfather. After two years at a Baptist-affiliated college in Kentucky (Georgetown College) he continued his education at Georgia Tech, where he met Laura and earned a degree in physics and electrical engineering.

After a 30-year career in research and development for an electronics company in Atlanta, he retired in 2010. He then began to pursue some old and new passions, including volunteering with local schools, community events, and working with refugee resettlement.

Chris Keyser



A native of Gwinnett County, he and wife Claire came to PHPC in 2012. Both grew up in local Presbyterian churches in the area. Since coming to PHPC, Chris has been active in several areas with youth, including VBS. He has served as an elder on the Personnel Committee. He and Claire have also added to PHPC through the birth of their two sons, three-year old Grant and one-year Reid. Chris has served on an Associate Nominating Committee at PHPC previously.

Chris is a GA Tech graduate with BS in physics and MA in education from Kennesaw State. He is a physics teacher at Peachtree Ridge High School in Suwanee, Ga.

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Alan Klein

Alan and Kim have been members of PHPC since 1992. They have five children between them and nine grandchildren. Alan grew up in North Tonawanda, NY, and was confirmed in the Lutheran church. He spent three years in Omaha, where he was active in the United Church of Christ, before moving to Duluth in 1981. At PHPC, Alan has served on session with the Generosity and Building and Grounds committees, taught confirmation class for many years and is currently active with Laundry Love and Clifton Ministries. Alan previously served as chairman of Jennie Sankey's Associate Pastor Nominating Committee. His passions, in addition to the many activities at PHPC, are hiking, golf, cooking, being with the grandchildren and sharing life with Kim. He has a BS degree from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and MS degree in mechanical engineering from GA Tech. Currently Alan is employed by OFS, an optical fiber manufacturing company in Norcross.

Jeff Milway

Jeff and Florence have been members of PHPC since 1995. Their two children, Katie and Jackson grew up and were married here at PHPC. Jeff grew up in 4 upper Midwest cities before going to High School in Milwaukee WI where he was active in the 1st Congregational Church of Wauwatosa. At PHPC, Jeff has served two terms as an active elder on Buildings & Grounds. His current activities include; teaching High School Sunday School, leading the Men's Group, and leading Adult Domestic mission trips. Jeff's passions outside of PHPC are spending time with his two grandchildren, hiking, being in the mountains, and whatever ALTA tennis can be fit in. Jeff has a BS in Chemical Engineering from Georgia Tech and an MBA from the University of Dallas. He works at ARRIS International plc as SVP and General Manager of Global Professional Services.



James Park

I grew up in a household of theologians and ecumenical thinkers (mom and dad), however, I cannot claim to have embraced their faith or spirit. I went my way for a long time, much of that time spent away from church and God. Perhaps my wife Helen had something to do with getting me started on my faith journey, but it became a deeply personal pursuit after our family joined PHPC. Our first visit to PHPC gave us a profound sense of community spirit that unconditionally embraces all who step through the doors. I have never seen a church where a kaleidoscope of diverse views, and cultural traditions coexist and thrive as seamlessly as I have experienced at PHPC. I am not a founding member but the 9 years at PHPC truly feels like a special and timeless blessing that I can only wish others can receive in their lives. Thank you! God Bless.

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Kathy Reineking

Born in Tennessee, Kathy moved to New Mexico, on to Indiana where she spent most of growing up years before moving to Missouri. She grew up as a Presbyterian. Her parents met at a Presbyterian College. She and her husband came to Norcross for his work. They came to PHPC in 2007, where they both became very active. They were drawn to Pleasant Hill when they saw the congregation living its faith in an inclusive and caring environment. Kathy currently is on session serving on personnel and generosity committees, along with a number of other areas of service. She serves in a number of areas at PHPC, including a current covenant partner. Kathy graduated at University of Missouri with a degree in laboratory science. She currently is in vendor sales at a Healthcare IT.



Diane Mueller Warren



Diane is a charter member of PHPC, although she did take time away, but returned to PHPC. The oldest of four girls from Illinois, she has roots in the Evangelical and Reformed Church. The family moved to Georgia when she was seven and has been a Presbyterian somewhere since. Macon, Tallahassee, where she was confirmed, and McDonough Presbyterian where she served as a deacon. She attended Shallowford Presbyterian Church as a youth. After moving around she returned to PHPC and was ordained an elder in 2011. At PHPC, Diane has served on the Associate Pastor Nominating Committee and is in the Chancel Choir. She is a Tucker High School graduate and attended Mercer University, Atlanta. Diane is the proud mom of three married sons who have given her six adorable grandchildren.

Jillian Zinn

Jillian was born in Georgia, and became baptized at PHPC when she was 5. After many years of children sermons and jelly beans, she became a member of PHPC a year after choosing to explore her faith following confirmation. She was chosen to be youth elder and is rolling off term this year. Jillian is a rising senior at Duluth High School and has grown up in PHPC in many ways, where she has always felt accepted and loved.

