

Administrative Council

The Administrative Council provides for planning and implementing a program of nurture, outreach, witness, and resources in the local church. It shall envision, plan, implement, and annually evaluate the mission and ministry of the church.

Finance Committee

The work of the Finance Committee focuses on the stewardship and management of monies entrusted to RRUMC. The finance committee prepares and administers the annual budget of RRUMC, develops and implements plans for raising sufficient funds to meet the budget adopted by the Administrative Council, oversees the counting and reporting of tithes, offerings, and other income. Finance also assists in emphasizing tithing and faithful giving.

Staff Parish Relations Committee (SPRC)

The Staff Parish Relations Committee works with the pastor to ensure strong ministry in and through RRUMC and to provide guidance, support, and supervision for paid staff members. The SPRC works with the pastor to prepare the annual staffing budget, recommend annual compensation packages for approval by the Church/Charge Conference, conducts an annual assessment of the pastor, works with the pastor to provide annual evaluation of paid staff, and assesses the adequacy of paid staff to meet ministry needs of the RRUMC family. In addition, the SPRC provides support for the pastor's continuing education and spiritual renewal needs.

Nominations Committee

The Nominations Committee seeks to assist members of the RRUMC family in the identification of their gifts, skills, and talents for service and ministry. The committee identifies and recommends individuals for service in various ministry areas, including recommending leaders and officers to the annual Church/Charge Conference.

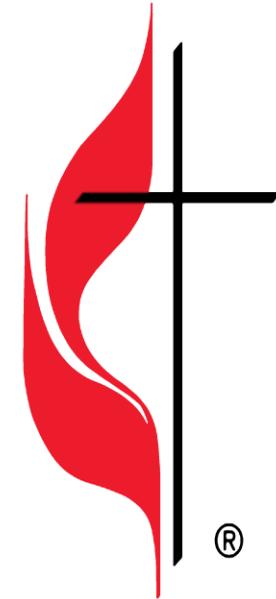
Communications Committee

The Communication Committee's primary purpose is to calendar events and activities in the life of the church and determine how best to promote those events and activities to our church family and the community.

Trustees

Responsibilities of the Trustees are established by the United Methodist Book of Discipline. General responsibilities include oversight, maintenance, and supervision of all local church property. Trustees ensure all trust funds of RRUMC are invested properly, articles of incorporation are kept up to date, and any use of the RRUMC property is in keeping with UMC and local church policies. The Trustees ensure RRUMC maintains adequate insurance coverage and risk-management policies.

**For additional information about any of the committees, or if you are interested in serving on a committee, please contact Pastor Raquel Mull in the Church office at 505-892-0404.*



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Worship Ministry

The Worship Ministry assists the pastor and worship leaders in creating a welcoming atmosphere that encourages RRUMC family members and visitors to open themselves to God's transforming power and love. The Worship Ministry seeks persons to assist in worship as readers, ushers, greeters, acolytes, and communion servers.

Christian Education Ministry

The goal of our Christian Education Ministry is to encourage, nurture, and strengthen the spiritual growth of our children, youth, and adults on their faith journey. Opportunities for growth include meaningful Sunday school classes, Vacation Bible School, Wednesday Night Out classes, Youth Group involvement, Bible study, and small group participation. Additional opportunities include retreats, mission trips, District and Conference wide camps and educational symposiums.

Building relationships with one another is also an important part of our faith journey. This is accomplished through a variety of fellowship activities, including Wednesday Night Out meals, Senior outings, and church wide events for all ages.

Congregational Care Ministry

The Congregational Care Ministry offers physical and spiritual support for our church family, by sending greeting cards, making phone calls of encouragement, visiting shut-ins, providing meals (after surgery and illness) and helping with transportation.

Free Store Ministry

The Rio Rancho Renewed Hope Free Store is an outreach ministry with our neighbors, by expressing the love of Jesus Christ through kindness and sharing material-based blessings with one another.

Technical Ministry

Technical Ministry supports the church worship services and administration on the audio/visual front. This ministry provides sound and projections. The responsibilities include setting up microphones, mixing the sound, maintaining the cabling and equipment for sound, as well as arranging lyrics, liturgy, and sermon visual support on the projectors. Additional support includes lighting, networking, phone systems, and computer support.

Missions Ministry

The Missions Ministry enlists, educates, equips, and encourages church family members to show God's love and spread the Good News of salvation in our community, nation, and world through their prayers, gifts, and service. The objective is to support our church and each church family member in obeying Christ's command in Matthew 28:19-20 to "make disciples of all nations."

Women's Ministry

The Women's Ministry of RRUMC seeks to unite women in spirit and truth through many different outlets. These include Bible study, community outreach, church projects, prayer, fellowship, and fun.

Youth Group Ministry

The Youth Group Ministry is an inclusive fellowship with a focus on spiritual formation and growth. This is obtained by creating a safe, non-competitive, non-threatening environment where all youth feel welcome and accepted for who they are. The primary focus of all activities is to build relationships and create equality. Fellowship occurs where two or more are gathered for engaging discussion, games, and meals. Spiritual growth will occur when strong relationships are developed with peers and mentors to allow us to speak openly about our beliefs, and to share our fears, joys, and concerns.

Music Ministry

The Music Ministry offers opportunities for all ages to share their musical talents during worship services and to enhance the worship experience for RRUMC members and friends. Currently, we have a children's choir, adult choir, praise team, orchestra, and a hand bell choir. Additional solo and small group opportunities are also available.

Prayer Ministry

"My house shall be called a house of prayer for all nations." Mark 11:17. Participants in the Prayer Ministry encourage the RRUMC family to seek the will of God and to undergird all ministries of RRUMC with prayer. This is accomplished by maintaining an ongoing list of prayer requests, providing prayer resources, encouraging prayer partnerships, and scheduling prayer events throughout the church year.