



2023 Servant Leaders

All members of Christ's universal church are called to share in the ministry which is committed to the whole church of Jesus Christ. Therefore, each member of The United Methodist Church is to be a servant of Christ on mission in the local and worldwide community. (*The Book of Discipline*, par 220)

At Kern Church, our volunteer servant leaders live out this calling by opening a way for God to work through them and the resources we have available so that we can live our God's mission for us to "make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. Servant leaders are entrusted with the precious and vital task of managing and using God's gifts in the ongoing work of transformation. (*2016 Church Council Guidelines, Discipleship Ministries*)

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PRAYER FOR SERVANT LEADERS AND THE CHURCH

Lord, we pray for these who have accepted your calling to lead your church at Kern. Release the resurrection power of your Holy Spirit to break through and bring miracles of new hopes, dreams, and possibilities for our church and in their lives. Grant to them and to all of us your boldness to follow Jesus into your new and unknown future. May your Spirit come, and your will be done. Amen!