

Synod Staff



Bishop Craig Alan Satterlee

- Lively Ministry of Word and Sacrament
- Synod CEO and CFO
- First response for Capital, Grand Rapids, and Kalamazoo Conferences
- Oversee and provide pastoral care for rostered ministers
- Oversee Call Process
- Consult with Candidacy and Discernment
- Installations and Ordinations
- Synod Assembly Leadership
- Conflict and Crisis Management
- Advocacy
- Teaching
- Committees: Worship, Response Team, Discipline, Consultation, Budget, Endowment, Adult Theological Education



Pastor Chrisy Bright

Assistant to the Bishop

- Lively Ministry of Word and Sacrament
- Director of Candidacy
- Administration of the Call Process
- First Response for Sunrise and Traverse Conferences
- First Call Theological Education and Discernment Retreats
- Pastoral Care of First Call Rostered Ministers and Congregations
- Administration of Seminary Debt Reduction Program
- Committees: Anti-Racism, Endowment, Faith Formation, Publicly Engaged Church, Response Team



Pastor Kjersten Sullivan

Assistant to the Bishop and Interim Director for Evangelical Mission

- Lively Ministry of Word and Sacrament
- Mission/Vision, Mission Support, Congregational Vitality, REVIVE
- First Response for Stony Lake and Bay Conferences
- Cooperative Ministries, Campus Ministry, Living Water Ministries
- Committees: Stewardship, New and Renewing Mission, Endowment, Youth/Young Adult, Global Mission, Response Team, Disaster Response



Ann Stavros

Office Manager

- Manage the Synod Office
- Coordinate Rostered Minister Profiles and Ministry Site Profiles
- Letters of Call
- Roster Updates
- Logistics for Synod Events
- Documentation and Maintenance of Synod Files
- Prayer Partners
- Manage Contractors and Vendors



Rebecca Bossenbroek

Director of Finance

- Receive/Record/Report Financial Gifts
- Manage Synod Finances
- Prepare Synod Assembly Book and Offerings
- Committees: Endowment, Budget



Chelsey Satterlee

Director of Communications

- Manage Synod Communication Platforms, Social Media, and Website
- Oversee Synod Communications and Graphic Design
- Administration and Advertising for Synod Events
- Synod Assembly Leadership
- Adult Theological Education Administration



Cathy Satterlee

Bishop's Driver

- Manage Logistics for the Bishop's Transportation
- Hospitality and On-site Support for Synod Events