

**Church Council**

- Membership: Congregational members who hold the following offices:  
"Lead" Elder, Stewardship Chair, Head Trustee, Senior Conference Delegate,  
Council Member-at-Large, Adult Sunday School Superintendent, Sunday PM  
Representative, MYF Representative, Pastor(s), MW Delegate, Primary Sunday  
School Superintendent, Day Care Representative, PCRC Representative,  
Church Council Chair. Recording Secretary is designated internally [or Church  
Secretary attends as recording secretary (nonvoting.)]
- Term: One (1) year or the term of the position/office.
- Selection Process: Elected annually based on position/office or annual discernment and affirmation  
process conducted by the Leadership Commission
- Function/Objective: Take executive action: to promote and coordinate the mission/program of the  
Congregation; to process administrative agenda necessary for our corporate  
structure in cooperation with the entire body or on behalf of the body.
- Responsibilities:
1. Council designates a secretary for legal purposes at the first meeting of the  
year.
  2. A Vice Chair is selected annually from within.
  3. To meet monthly to hear reports and process agenda.
  4. Call special congregational meetings.
  5. Review and make recommendations regarding the annual  
discernment and affirmation process conducted by the Leadership  
Commission.
- Accountability: To Congregation, to Ohio Conference of the Mennonite Church.
- Annual Report: Required of Church Council Chair

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