

## **TRUSTEE NOMINEES**

*Below are some brief bios to help you learn more about the current slate of Council nominees:*

### **JOHN MULDER**

John Mulder (a native of Pennsylvania) moved to the Shenandoah Valley in 1990 from central Pennsylvania to work for Merillat Industries, LLC in Mt. Jackson. John worked as the plant Quality Assurance Manager, the position he held for 15 years. He attended Florida Southern College in Lakeland, Florida where he studied business. He held a marketing position with the Atlantic Richfield Co, in Philadelphia, PA, worked for Hess Brothers Farms in Ephrata, PA, as Director of Transportation, Quaker Maid Kitchens in Leesport, PA, as Assistant Traffic Manager, and J-Wood Custom Kitchens in Milroy, PA., as Purchasing Mgr., Quality Manager, Manager of Customer Service, and Personnel Manager.

John enjoys his leisure time reading, playing tennis, spending time with grandchildren, being part of his neighborhood community and working in the church office. John is involved with the Property Ministry at MLC and helps during the 11:00 church service as a Worship Assistant. John has been a member of the Muhlenberg family since 2005 and was married to his wife, Janice, for 52 years. Janice passed away in June. They have two sons, John Jr. in Zionsville, PA, and Matthew who lives in Alexandria, VA. John has three grandchildren.

### **BONNIE STIDLEY**

I graduated from Harrisonburg High School and Madison College. Taught math in Fairfax County and retired in 1991. Some of my activities have been serving on Council, singing in the folk choir, belonging to several circles and acting as their treasurer, serving as a teller, and currently serving as a Trustee. I do like to take pictures of church activities.

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### **JENNIE WARNER**

I'm Jennie Warner, and here is some background you may or may not want to know about me! I have a diverse denominational pool of Christian education: Mom's grandfather was a Baptist preacher in Danville, Virginia and Dad went to a Methodist church. Moving around a lot growing up, we attended mostly Baptist churches, but ended up Presbyterian, where Mark and I were married. Mark's Dad and Uncle were Episcopal priests, so we raised our two daughters at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Harrisonburg.

In 2007, Pastor Joe Vought invited us to Muhlenberg, where we became members and have been involved in the life of this congregation since, either participating, facilitating or serving in various capacities:

- Adult Christian Formation Contemporary Literature class
- New Members' retreat
- Communion Assistant and scheduler
- Mary/Martha group
- Second Home Board
- Eldercare Support group
- Mutual Ministry team

The opportunities to stay actively involved and serve the community are ever evolving, and I look forward to staying open to whichever path God leads.