



Vickie Bae-Jump has been a member of UPC since 2013. She finds UPC to be a warm, inviting, and supportive church family. In particular, she has deeply loved and appreciated all the children/youth programs at UPC that have helped her three children grow in their faith over the years. In her words, “UPC really has been more than I could have ever asked for in a church family.” Vickie is mom to Sam, Emily, and Ben and wife to Ethan. She is involved with She Rocks Wilmington and She Rocks Triad. Vickie is a professor of Gynecologic Oncology at UNC.



Jan Simmons and her husband Ray joined UPC in 1999. Since joining, Jan has taught Sunday School, served as an elder, and is a member of Presbyterian Women’s Circle 5. She loves many things about UPC, including the music of worship and the light in the sanctuary; the youth choir program and youth musicals along with the nurture provided to our young people; the people that welcomed them as newcomers and the many she has met since; and the worship leaders and staff that

have been a resource over the years. Jan is glad to be a part of a church that chooses welcome and one that is full of people who step up to meet every need. Jan and Ray have three adult children, Casey, Ben, and Sydney. She has been involved in the community as a Public School Foundation Board Member, North Carolina Bar Association BarCARES Committee, Project Graduation Committee, and various positions on various PTSAs at Chapel Hill Schools. She is currently an attorney working at the UNC School of Government.



Alison Kavanaugh has been a member at UPC her entire adult life. She and her husband Patrick have three children, Ella, Charles, and Maisy. All of the Kavanaughs believe that “UPC is truly a family to us.” Alison has served previously as a Session member, as well as Sunday School teacher, Godly Play storyteller, VBS volunteer, Montreat leader, and choir helper. She is dedicated to giving back to the church home that has nurtured her since she was a Presbyterian Campus Ministry student at UNC. Alison works as a Pediatrician at UNC Pediatrics at Southpoint.



Jim Snapper is a cradle Presbyterian and came to UPC in 1998. When asked what he loves about this church, he said, “UPC is my church home and church family. It is filled by people I respect and trust who exemplify lives lived following the teachings of Jesus. It is a place to find comfort while being challenged to do more...a place for learning, music, solace, comfort, and hope.” Jim has served UPC as an usher and offering steward and has helped teach an occasional adult Sunday School class. He has a passion for Haiti and does regular trips there, and he has traveled with UPC to Guatemala. Most recently, Jim has served on the Congregational Retreat Committee, was an active member of the UPC men’s group, and taught more adult Sunday School classes. Jim is married to Joyce Tenny and has two adult children, Emily and Sophie. He is the Consultant Professor of Medicine at Duke University School of Medicine and the Duke Asthma, Allergy, and Airway Center. He will soon celebrate 50 years in medicine.

University Presbyterian Church Nominating Committee Report

Presented at the
Congregational Meeting
Sunday, June 16, 2019 at 11:00 a.m.

**The nominees in this report are presented by
the Nominating Committee to serve the congregation
of University Presbyterian Church.**

Nominees

Elder, Class of 2020: Vickie Bae-Jump

Elder, Class of 2019: Alison Kavanaugh

Deacon, Class of 2021: Jan Simmons

Deacon, Class of 2019: Jim Snapper



Nominating Committee 2018-2019

Mark Bozyski, Woody Burns, Melinda Evans, Sharon Edmiston, David Lane,
Debbie Bevin, Day McLaughlin, Nancy Oates, Jay Klompmaker, Tracy Lovelady

Nominating Committee 2019-2020

Woody Burns, Melinda Evans, Nancy Oates, Jay Klompmaker, Tracy Lovelady,
Nancy Pfaltzgraff, Matt Marvin, Elizabeth Gibson, Jean Lusted