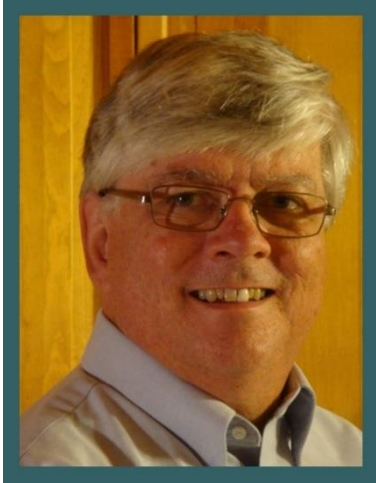


**An expression of appreciation for ANE Assistant Treasurer Ray Flagg:**



The ANE District extends its heartfelt gratitude to Ray Flagg for the many years he has faithfully and generously dedicated in service to our District.

Ray served on the Stewardship Commission from 2011 through 2016, spending his final years there as Chair, and later stepped in as Interim Treasurer before being confirmed as Treasurer in 2016. He went on to serve the maximum three terms, completing his tenure in 2025.

Although Ray has concluded his service as Treasurer, we are deeply grateful that he will continue to share his wisdom and support as Assistant Treasurer, helping to ensure a smooth transition as Kay Weaver (former Interim Director of Finance) steps into this role through 2028.

As shared previously, Adam Swartz now serves as the Director of Finance for the ANE District.

Thank you, Ray, for your Christlike service!