

# Commissions, Committees, Constituencies

2023

# Commissions

- Commissions are appointed to carry out major missions and ministries of our Region
- Example:
  - Regional Commission on the Order of the Ministry
  - Ministry with Young Disciples



# Commission on the Order of the Ministry (RCOM)

- Guided by: [Theological Foundations, Policies, and Criteria for the Order of the Ministry](#)
- [Explainer Video](#) - 4 minutes

# Our RCOM Includes

- Ordination Committee
- Commissioned Ministers Committee
- Standing Committee
- Clergy Support Committee
- Council on Pastoral Ethics

[Kcdisciples.org/clergy/](http://Kcdisciples.org/clergy/)



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Standing Documents and  
Other Important Clergy Information

# Chi Rho Midwinter

7:00 PM Feb. 22nd

7:00 PM Feb. 23rd

Tall Oaks

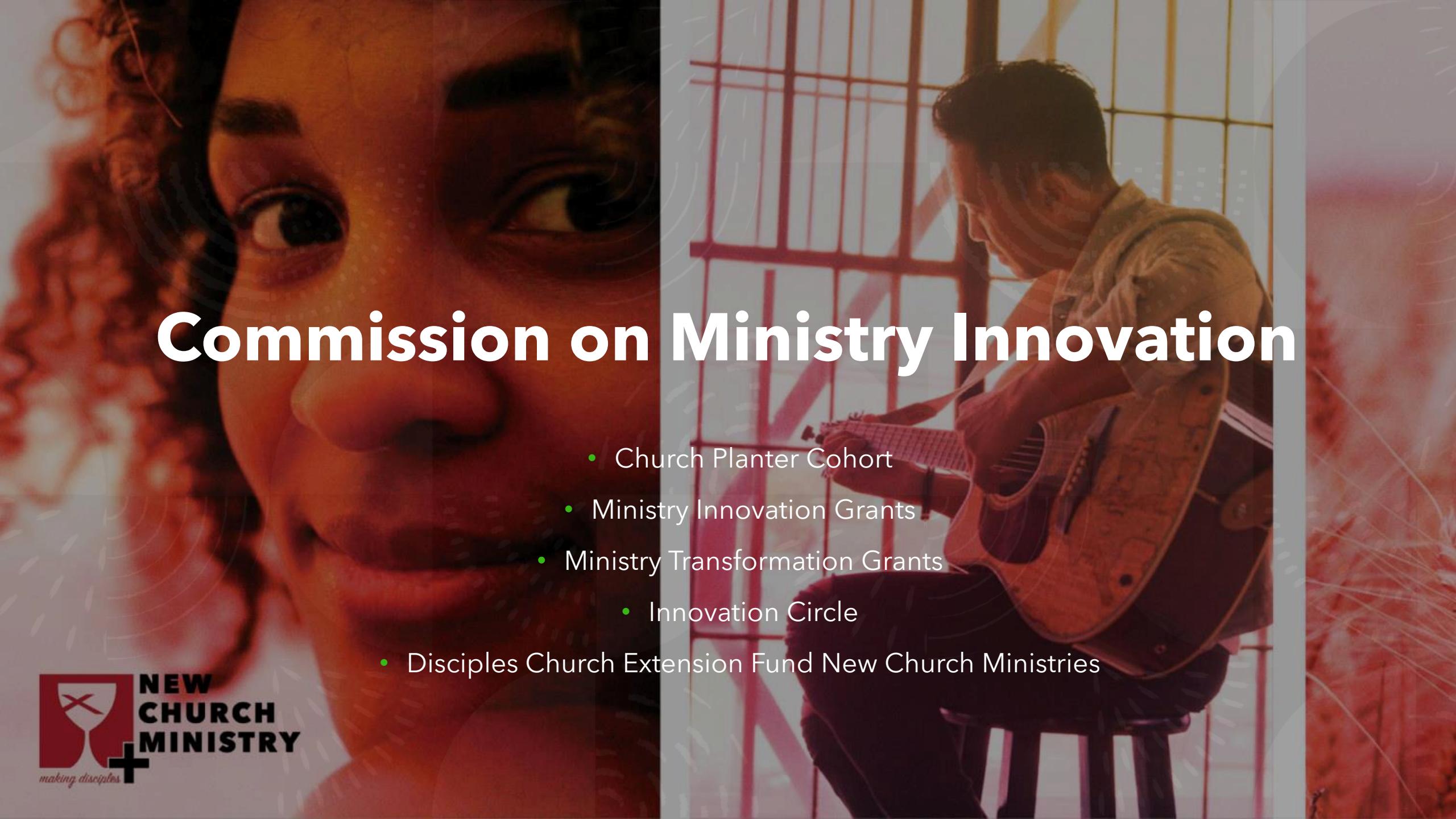
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# Ministry with Young Disciples

- Ministry with Children and Youth
- Children's Worship and Wonder
- Summer Church Camps and Winter Retreats
- Regional Youth Cabinet
- General Youth Cabinet

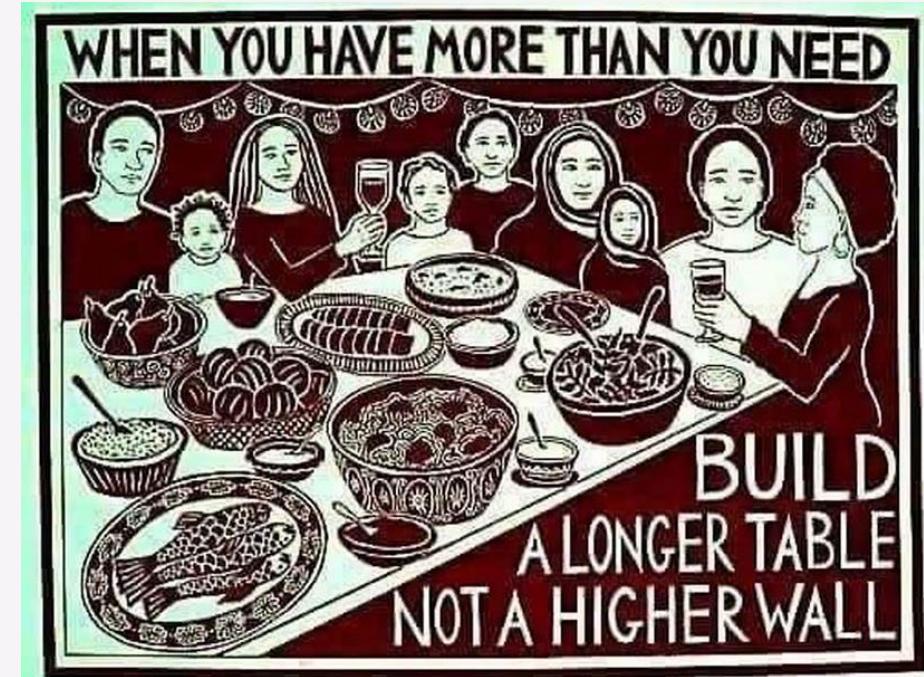
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# Commission on Ministry Innovation

- Church Planter Cohort
- Ministry Innovation Grants
- Ministry Transformation Grants
- Innovation Circle
- Disciples Church Extension Fund New Church Ministries

# Becoming Beloved Community

- Anti-racism, Justice and Equity
  - Awareness
  - Education
  - Equipping
  - Events
  - Action
  - Grants





# Committees

- May focus on a part of the Commission's mission or ministry
- Example: theoretically the Budget and Finance Committee would be a function of a Stewardship and Development Commission

# Budget and Finance Committee

- Review Financial Statements Monthly from:
  - Disciples Treasury Services
  - United Camps, Conferences, and Retreats
  - Review, recommend budgets
  - Manage investments

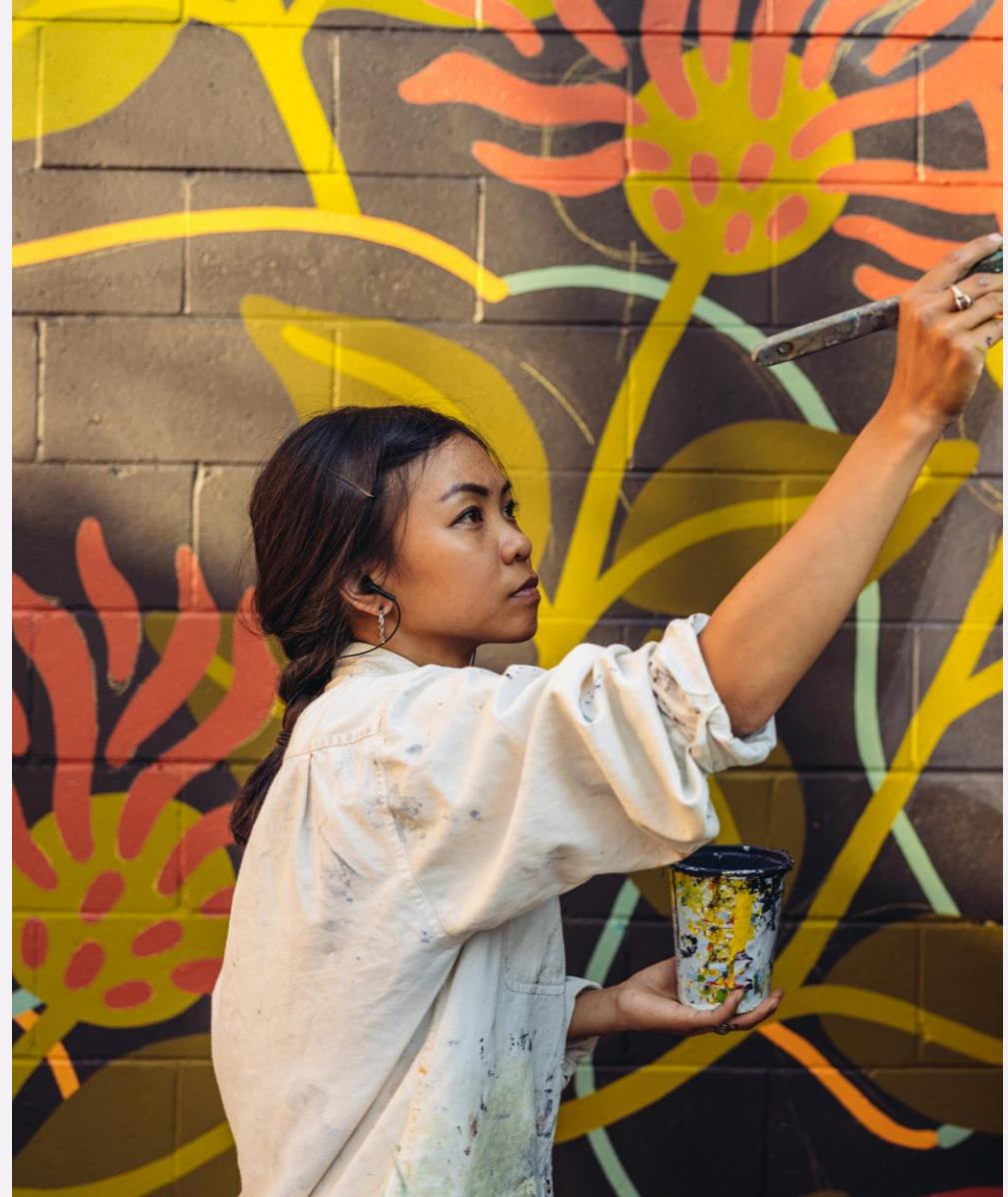
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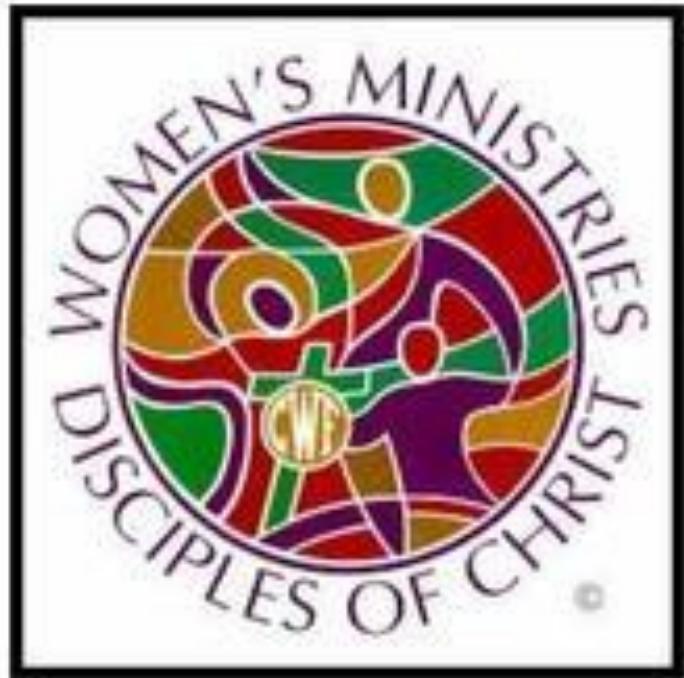
- Recommend Personnel Policy
- Personnel evaluations
- Recommend salary adjustments
- Respond to personnel grievances



# Constituencies

- Groups within our Region who meet for mutual support and growth
- Examples:
  - Convencion (LatinX Disciples)
  - MOKAN Fellowship (Affiliates of the National Convocation)
  - Disciples Women
  - Regional Youth Cabinet





# Disciples Women Ministry

- Disciples Women's Ministries empowers each woman to find her voice and live out her call.
- Cabinet meets quarterly
- Evening group meets quarterly
- Spring and Fall Retreats
- Heartland Interregional Conference

# Convencion Central

- Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska LatinX Disciples
- Affiliate of the Obra Hispana
- Start and support new congregations worshiping in Spanish
- Hosting in Kansas City the 2024 biennial Asamblea for Discipulos de Cristo in the U.S. and Canada!



# MOKAN Fellowship



- Affiliate of the National Convocation
- Mutual support for the missions, and ministries among African American Disciples of Christ in the Greater Kansas City Region

# Regional Youth Cabinet

- Plans and provides leadership for the Christian Youth Fellowship (CFY) summer church camp and winter retreat
- Leadership development
- Meets monthly

