



Leslie Woods

Director of Co-Op

Leslie has an ecumenical history, having grown up attending a United Methodist Church, and professionally serving the United Church of Christ and the Presbyterian Church (USA) on their national staffs. She finally landed at Fairfax Presbyterian Church, where she has been a member since 2015 and an Elder since 2017.

She received a BA from Randolph-Macon College and a Master of Arts in Religion from Yale Divinity School. For most of her professional life, she served as the Representative for Domestic Policy for the Presbyterian Church (USA), based in the Office of Public Witness in DC, where she advocated for public policy that improves lives, including food and agriculture policy, health care reform, and eco-justice.

After many years of stay-at-home parenthood and professional volunteerism, she decided that her teenage kids need her differently now. The Co-Op is an amazing opportunity to put faith in action and she is delighted to have the opportunity to contribute to this ministry of BUMC.