



Shandy Crook, Office Administrator

Meet Shandy, St. Mark's Office Administrator!

Behind every successful organization you will find that person who brings all of the key pieces together for communication. Shandy is the communication queen at St. Mark's. She is organized and ready to take on any task asked of her. When visiting the office you will find her busy at her computer sending emails and flocknotes, preparing the weekly bulletins for Sunday morning services, answering the phone with a friendly smile, and creating the monthly newsletters with important news of the church, amongst other responsibilities such as tracking

church attendance, keeping the online calendar up-to-date, and preparing bills for payment.

Shandy has been the Office Administrator since April, 2022. She was drawn to this position after coming from a job where she worked closely with people and knew her job was important to the success of the organization. Shandy also wanted a position where she would feel like a part of the community. She loves watching everyone work together to make things happen, noting "the transformation of this church since Pastor Alberta transitioned here is amazing." She has certainly found her community at St. Mark's!

Outside of St. Mark's, Shandy loves planting flowers and vegetables and watching them grow. She enjoys walks on various trails around the Iowa City community, especially discovering new ones!

Shandy's biggest joy are her two girls, ages 18 and four. "It's so much fun watching them grow together as sisters - their relationship warms my heart". Also included in Shandy's family are a cat, guinea pig and an aquarium full of fish.

Shandy has a Master's degree in Organizational leadership, a Bachelor's degree in Psychology, and an Associates degree in Early Childhood Education.