

to support congregations and pastors in their ministry. Pictured are newly elected chair Dan Kercher, outgoing chair Murrell Arnett, and Regional Minister Team member Larry Colvin.



Our unified outdoor ministries program reaches children and youth all over the Region! We now have two contract staffers and countless volunteers dedicated to this vital ministry. Our Orchard Crest Permanent and Rickman Legacy Funds provide scholarships.



## Celebrating 200 years of ministry in Mid-America!

Since the first worship service took place in November of 1817 at Salt Creek, Disciples in Mid-America have been gathering, celebrating, praying, singing, and working together.

We are grateful for your continued support of our collective ministries and wish you blessings and joy this Christmas season.

Our annual **Persons in Ministry Retreat** provides an experience of continuing education and spiritual renewal, and affirms our partnership with the United Church of Christ. This year leaders from three of our Mid-America congregations



Our Regional Minister Team supports clergy in times of discernment, growth, celebration, loss, and transition. Pictured here is Rev. Dr. Penny Ross-Corona with Rev. Michael Dixon and Rev. La'Vetta Hall, as they as celebrate the 50th anniversary of

