**Cheri Crabtree**

**Director, NCAG Female Ministers**

Cheri Crabtree serves as the Director of Female Ministers for the North Carolina Assemblies of God; she brings with her a deep heritage in ministry and decades of hands-on experience in church leadership. Prior to her current role she served NCAG in the School of Ministry and Credentialing department for 5 years. Born in San Diego, California, and raised primarily in Springfield, Missouri, Cheri was shaped by a rich spiritual legacy—her parents were in full-time ministry, and her maternal grandparents were evangelists and pastors.

She holds a BA in Music and an MA in Biblical Studies. Over the course of 40 years in the pastorate alongside her husband of 44 years, David, Cheri directed church music and taught extensively, including Sunday School, Bible studies, and midweek services. She opened and led a Berean Study Group at Calvary Church and remains passionate about Biblical teaching and literacy.

Cheri homeschooled their three daughters from K-4 through 12th grade, a journey that continues to bear fruit through their lives and ministries:

• Ashley and her husband Phillip Jefferson serve as Executive Pastors in Greensboro and are raising and homeschooling four children.

• Lauren and her husband Chris Patterson live busy and meaningful lives—Lauren is a Director of Nursing, Chris is a firefighter pursuing his pilot’s license, and are expecting a baby in October.

• Lindsay and her husband Moon Choi are missionaries and educators at Bethel Bible College in Manila, Philippines, raising and homeschooling three girls.

Cheri and David enjoy life together through ministry, family, and travel. Cheri especially loves cruising and holds a special place in her heart for Israel—a destination that is on her “forever bucket list”.

She continues to pour into others with wisdom, warmth, and a heart for the Kingdom.