

ICCF Board Member Biographies



David N. Wells

President

Life Purpose: To Love God, love others and serve the world.

Along with his strong heart for God and others, Rev. Dave Wells brought years of ministry and business experience to the group that formed ICCF, and he has been a dedicated member since its inception. Serving people on the mission field is one of his deepest joys. Currently Director of Government Relations for AssureTec Systems Inc., Dave received his bachelor and master degrees from Eastern Nazarene College and has done post-graduate work in psychology and marketing at Michigan State University and New Hampshire College.



Rev. Francis G. Crandall

Vice President and Founder

Life Motto: "Do it now!"

Challenged and inspired by God to care for homeless children, Rev. Francis Crandall founded the International Concern for Children Foundation in 1999. With this work, Rev. Crandall continues a lifetime of being the hands and feet of Christ. Rev. Crandall received a bachelor's degree from Eastern Nazarene College and served as a pastor in the Church of the Nazarene for 23 years. His love for God and people and his dedication to this work inspires the entire board.



Mr. Frank Turner

Director

Life Motto: Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

A retired teacher with extensive experience in mission work and service, Frank Turner's love for children and the peoples of the world inspired him to join the board in 2005. Frank became the Work & Witness Coordinator for the New England District of the Church of the Nazarene in 2002 and has participated in 15 mission trips, 12 international. He places great value on people and maintains lasting relationships with our contacts in the field. Currently a realtor, Frank holds a bachelor degree from Eastern Nazarene College and a master degree from Wesleyan University. Consistent with his desire to connect,

he has even learned a bit of Russian!



Mr. John Tiedemann

Treasurer

Continuing in his long tradition of service to “the least of these”, John Tiedemann joined the ICCF board in 2001 in order to help make a difference in children’s lives all over the world. John added valuable leadership skills and experience to the ICCF organization, having served on the board of directors for the Nashua Child Learning Center for 30 years. A Work & Witness trip brought him to the work in Russia. John holds a BS in Information Systems from the University of Lowell and currently works in Sales.



Ms. Gloria Anderson

Life Motto: "To do all that I do with my whole heart and to the best of my ability for God."

Gloria Anderson, currently a teacher at Mount Zion Christian School, served as a missionary in Germany for 10 years. Her love for children and desire to help the needy children of the world led her to join the board of ICCF in 2009. Gloria enhances the leadership of ICCF with her zest for life, sensitivity to people, and wisdom from her experiences. Gloria holds a bachelor’s degree from Notre Dame College.



Ms. Barbara Calhoun

Life Motto: "I am responsible."

A kid at heart herself, Barbara Calhoun has been working with children for most of her life, starting as a teenager in her local church. After college, she started a Kids’ Choir at her church and led the Children’s Program at various family camps and retreats. She served on the Sunday School Ministries board of the New England district and directed New England Nazarene children’s camps for many years. Her experience working with children in Russia expanded her heart for children around the world and led her to join ICCF. Barb is passionate about helping children understand how precious they are, find their special gifts, and be all that God intended them to be. She holds a bachelors degree from Eastern Nazarene College and is the Manager of Product Promotion at Jenzabar, Inc.