**Rick Schellenberg Elder Profile**

I’m honored to be considered for the role of elder at PCC. I grew up locally in a Christian home and decided to follow Jesus in my early teens. Since then, it’s been a journey of learning and growing in my faith. I was part of the Mennonite Brethren church until I married my wife, Janette, who has been part of the Alliance church all her life. We joined PCC in 2019 after a life-changing trip to Israel with the church, and we’ve felt deeply connected ever since. We are blessed with two wonderful children and two grandchildren who fill our lives with joy.

With a career in marketing for technology companies, I’ve gained experience in building community and adapting to change—skills I hope to bring to my role at PCC as we support our congregation’s needs. I also enjoy spending time outdoors, appreciating God’s creation through hiking, kayaking, and photography.

Community is a high value for me, and I’m grateful for the opportunity to serve PCC in any way I can.

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