

ALAN LOBAUGH
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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

1975 Graduate Edison High School, Tulsa, OK
1979 B.A. Phillips University, Enid, OK, Major: Mathematics/Religion
1982 M. Div. The Graduate Seminary, Phillips University,
Major: New Testament
1991 Ph.D. The University of North Texas, Denton, TX, Counselor Education
Major: Play Therapy, Minor: Group Therapy
Dissertation: Teaching Filial Therapy to Incarcerated Parents

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

August 1, 2012 – Present

Senior Minister of Azle Christian Church, responsible for leading worship, pastoral care, leading congregation and supervising staff. Significant ministry moments: ACC is a leader in outreach causes, hosting the Drive for Compassion Golf Tournament which raises more money than any other fundraiser in Azle; Creation of a once a month Food Hub, selling bags of fruit and vegetables at a reduced cost to the community; ACC is a host for one of the summer lunch programs for the Azle ISD; In 2013 ACC had more new members than in the previous eight years.

August 1, 2015 – Present

Instructor, University of the Southwest, School of Education, Mental Health Counseling Program, responsible for Internships and Practicum students, while Teaching several of the courses for the Mental Health Counseling degree.

August, 2003 – 2015

Adjunct faculty in the Department of Religion, AddRan College of Liberal Arts, Texas Christian University, Teaching Leadership in Ministry courses to undergraduates. One three hour course each fall with 10 to 20 students covering a variety of issues concerning ministry.

August, 2001 – May, 2012

Senior Associate Minister of University Christian Church, Fort Worth, Texas. Responsible for Pastoral Care (hospital visitation, home visitation, counseling, weddings, funerals) and supervision of church members who are involved in these ministries; Supervision of program and support staff; Leadership in worship. Preaching and Senior Minister responsibilities while the Senior Minister is away. Served as the Interim Senior Minister from June, 2005 through May, 2006. Significant achievements during these years: Creation of

Church Ambassadors to meet and greet people in the pews; revitalized the role of Deacons as greeters outside the church doors: Steady increase in volunteers with our various visitation ministries; Nurse Family Partnership of Tarrant County grew out of our Parish Nurse ministry.

July, 1998 – July, 2001

Senior Minister of First Christian Church, Amarillo, TX – responsibilities included preaching, pastoral visitation, counseling, teaching, church planning, working with the Elders of the church, and the Official Board with a \$700,000.00 budget and \$3.5 million endowment, as well as teaching and training within the High Plains Area of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), and supervision of six full time program staff members, and seven support staff members. Significant achievements of the church: Development of a Five Year Plan; Creating the positions of Minister of Family Life and Minister of Spiritual life and staffing those positions; Three years in a row where new members out numbered losses, worship attendance increased all three years; Recognized in 1999 as one of the faster growing churches of our size within the denomination; Created a leadership development program to identify and train young leaders within the congregation; Added a Friday Reflections meditation service in the Taize style.

1990 – 1998

Senior Minister of Monica Park Christian Church, Garland, Texas – responsibilities include preaching, pastoral visitation, counseling, teaching, church planning, working with the Elders of the church, as well as teaching and training various groups within the North Texas Area of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), and supervision of staff. Significant achievements of the church in those years include: Development of a Mission Statement and Long Range Plan; 10% numerical growth in church membership each year; Beginning the LOGOS Program (Wednesday evening education and fellowship for children and youth); Creation of a contemporary choir “Selah” for young adults.

1992 – 1997

Part Time Counseling Associate with the Center for Family Care – Specializing in play therapy, filial therapy and family counseling. Approximately three hours a week. Co-taught classes on play Therapy and filial therapy with Dr. Linda Smith.

1982 – 1990

Associate Minister of First Christian Church, Denton, Texas

1981 – 1982

Chaplain’s Assistant, Enid State School, Oklahoma

TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES

Trainer, for grief group facilitators, The Warm Place, 2010 - Present

Licensed Ministry Program Faculty, 1998 - 2004

Parenting classes, Denton Prenatal Clinic, Amarillo FCC,

Grief workshops and support groups in various churches

Marriage Enrichment courses in various churches

Play Therapy supervision in several locations

COUNSELING EXPERIENCE

Individual, couple and group counseling, 1991 – Present

Play Therapy, 1991 - Present

Supervision of LPCi and Play Therapy professionals, 1991 – Present

Supervision of play therapists employed by the Samaritan Counseling Center. Ministerial consultation with the clinical staff, 1998 - 2001

New Beginnings Shelter (counseling to support victims of family violence) Supervisor of counselors, 1994 - 1998

Taught classes each semester in Play Therapy to school counselors and private therapists; led workshops each spring and fall on counseling – Center for Family Care, 1992 - 1998

Led grief, support, divorce and marriage enrichment groups for several churches, 1992 -Present

Taught filial therapy training for inmates at the Federal Correctional Institution in Fort Worth, 1990 - 1991

Led several small groups as a part of internship in Master's and Doctoral level Group Counseling courses at the University of North Texas, 1986 - 1990

VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATIONS

Leadership Fort Worth, Facilitator for Issues groups, 2009 - 2014

The Warm Place, 2010 - Present

Nurse Family Partnership of Tarrant County, founding board member, 2007 - Present

Trinity Brazos Area Committee on Ministry, 2009 - Present

Task Force to Reduce Infant Mortality Volunteer, 2005 – Present

Leadership Fort Worth, Coordinator for Human Needs Day, 2006 – 2009

Circle Theatre, Fort Worth, Board Member, 2008 - 2016

Trinity Brazos Area of the Christian Church High School Conference Co-Director, 2006

Bethany Project participant, 1999 - Present

Licensed Foster Parent, 1998 - Present

Christian Campaign for the Homeless, Vice Chair 1998 - 2001

AIDS Interfaith Board Member, 1998 - 2001

Neighborhoods Nurturing Children, Founding Board Member, 1999 - 2001

Emmaus Walk, 1999

Amarillo Independent School District Life Curriculum Committee Member, 2000 - 2001

Samaritan Counseling Center Board Member, 1998 - 2001

North Texas Area of the Christian Church, Camp and Conference counselor and Director

Phillips Theological Seminary, Alumni Board, 1995 - 1999

University of North Texas, Counselor Education Advisory Committee, 1994 - 1998

Garland Summer Food Program, Board Member, 1994 - 1998

United Campus Ministries of Texas (cooperative ministry among Disciples, Presbyterians and United Church of Christ) member, 1983 - 1998; chair, 1987 - 1988

Denton Pre-Natal and Pediatric Clinic, Founding Board Member and Teacher 1986 - 1990

Denton State School Volunteer, 1982 - 1988

ASSOCIATIONS

American Counseling Association

Leadership Fort Worth

Licensed Professional Counselor in the state of Texas (Supervisor status)
Registered Play Therapist, International Association of Play Therapy
Registered Play Therapy Supervisor, International Association of Play Therapy
Ordained Minister in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

TRAVEL

Cairo, Egypt, August 2017
Iona, Scotland, Hymns and the Bible, July, 2014
Los Fresnos, Southwest Good Samaritan Ministries, Church Mission Trips, 2013, 2014
El Paso, TX, Spring Break Intergenerational Mission Trip, 2012
Yakima, WA, CYF Mission Trip, Summer 2011
Scotland, Sabbatical and Anniversary trip, 2009
Mexico, Habitat for Humanity work, 2008
Paris, eight day anniversary trip, 2004
Honduras, mission trip, 2000
Mission trips with Monica Park Christian Church, 1992, 1994
Nuevo Laredo, mission trip, 1990
Washington D.C. and New York City, International Affairs Seminar, Sponsor, 1989
Sweden, Europe, USSR, a semester abroad, part of Phillips University's exchange program, 1978
European tour with Edison High School jazz band, 1975

HONORS

The Frank H. Marshall Award for Ministerial Excellence, 2009 (from Phillips Theological Seminary)
Ecumenical representative to the Synod of the Sun, Presbyterian Church in the USA,
1988-1991
Representative Phillipian, 1979 (chosen by vote of the student body)
Presidential Scholar, 1975-1979
Who's Who among Colleges and Universities, 1979

PUBLICATIONS

Landreth, Garry, and Lobaugh, Alan. "Filial Therapy: Effects on Parental Acceptance and Child Self Concept." Journal of Counseling and Development. Vol.76, No. 2, 1998.

Lobaugh, Alan. "The Snake." In 101 Favorite Play Therapy Techniques. Kaduson, Heidi and Schaefer, Charles, Eds. NJ: Bookmark Press. 1997.

Lobaugh, Alan. Filial Therapy with Incarcerated Parents. Doctoral dissertation, University of North Texas. 1991.

Engles, Dennis and Lobaugh, Alan. Invited commentary "On the Dialectics of Liberation Theology." Journal of Counseling and Values. 1988.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Born April 7, 1957 in Tulsa, OK
Ordained to the Christian Ministry, May 16, 1982
Married Dana Kouns, August 25, 1984
Children: Aaron James, born May 28, 1988, High School Teacher, Married to Emma, Cairo, Egypt
Benjamin Keith, born April 14, 1992, Mechanical Engineer, Morgantown, VA

Hannah Alexis, born June 2, 2000, Student at Texas Connections High School

REFERENCES

References provided upon request