



Dr. Terry Megli
Chief Executive Officer



Dr. Terry Megli is the Chief Executive Officer of City Union Mission. Terry brings a rich background of over 10 years of leadership in the retail and manufacturing sector prior to joining the Mission in January of 2000 as a Youth Coordinator. Since then, Terry has earned a Doctorate in Ministry, was an Adjunct Professor for seven years and Site Supervisor for Counseling Interns. He has held numerous positions within the Mission as Youth Administrator, New Life Program Administrator and Family Ministries Director. In his 20 years with the Mission, Terry has displayed a passion for the godly development of people and ministry while advancing the good news of Jesus Christ.

Education

- BBA in Business Administration, John Brown University
- M.Div in Preaching/Leadership Development, Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary
- D.Min in Organizational Leadership, Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary

Professional Experience / Job Accomplishments

- Adjunct Professor, MA Online instructor for Organizational Leadership classes, developed Substance Use Disorder classes for undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral programs, served as dissertation chairman for four Counseling Doctoral graduates.
- DeVos Urban Leadership Training program
- Crisis Prevention Institute Instructor
- Trauma Informed Care Instructor (Risking Connections)
- PREP Inc. Instructor – training in counseling for healthy, Biblical relationships
- Situational Leadership Facilitator (Ken Blanchard Co.)

Profession Philosophy

Terry loves sharing the hope of Christ with the staff members, program participants, shelter guests, volunteers, and donors he encounters every day. He enjoys seeing the growth and development of those who are motivated to make deep change in their lives. He seeks to demonstrate Christ-centered leadership through defining what needs improvement; being "solution" focused; analyzing the issues and empowering others for the potential solutions while sustaining improvements to the organization. It is a pleasure and privilege to serve and meet the spiritual, emotional, and physical needs of the poor and homeless men, women, and children in the Kansas City area.