

Louisiana Baptist Foundation Staff

Dr. Jeffrey Steed **Executive Director**

Dr. Jeffrey Steed joined the Louisiana Baptist Foundation as Executive Director in April 2020 after serving at the Southern Baptists of Texas Foundation as Director of Planned Giving. He has worked in the area of planned giving for over 17 years and investment management for 18 years. Formerly, Steed has served in ministries and higher education including serving as the Vice President of the Arkansas Baptist Foundation in Little Rock. He holds a Doctor of Ministry degree from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, Masters of Divinity from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and MBA in finance from the University of Texas at Arlington. Steed is a teacher, preacher and author of articles written for Christian Leadership Alliance, Church Business, Church Solutions, ECFA and Philanthropy Journal. He has been married to his wife Shana for 28 years and has two children, Corey (17) and Whitney (20).



Kim Deville **Administrative Assistant**

Our administrative assistant is Kim Deville. She joined us in February of 1999 and keeps our front office running smoothly. Kim is a native of Poland, La., and is married to Ron Deville, who is an Adaptive P.E. teacher for Rapides Parish Schools. Besides her full-time job here at the Foundation, she and Ron stay busy with boating, fishing, and most any other outdoor activity. Ron and Kim have three grown sons -Taylor, Chase, and Matt. Kim and Ron are members of Calvary Baptist Church in Alexandria.

Jerry D. Love **Director of Planned Giving**

Jerry came to the Foundation in 1997 from Fidelity Investments. He is a graduate of Louisiana Tech University in his hometown of Ruston. While in college, he met and married Jena' Massey (also a graduate of Tech) who retired in 2018 after teaching Special Education and Elementary Education in Louisiana and Texas.

Jerry and Jena' have five adult children: Amanda (Jon), Sandi (Kyle), Kara, M'Kayla (Hollis), and David. They also have 7 grandchildren with more to come!

Jerry and Jena' are actively involved in Kingsville Baptist Church in Ball, LA. Jerry plays percussion in the Worship Band and Jena' leads youth and children's Bible Drill.





Charles Murray
CPA, Controller

Chuck Murray joined the LBF as part of the accounting team in 2016. Chuck brings diverse accounting and management skills from working in the utility/energy industry, long-term care management, and utility construction business.

Born and raised in Shreveport, Chuck attended Louisiana Tech University and graduated Magna Cum Laude in 1983 with a Bachelor of Science in Accounting.

He and his wife, Ann (LC '86, Secondary English Ed.) have three children – Katelyn in Winston-Salem, NC; Luke in McKinney, TX; and Molly, a student at Louisiana Tech.

The Murrays are active members Calvary Baptist Church in Alexandria and have been leaders in the youth and college areas for 25 years. Chuck enjoys all sports, especially fishing and golf.

Tami Willis
Accounting Secretary

Tami Willis, a native of Alexandria, joined our LBF staff in 1994. She attended Louisiana State University at Alexandria and has been married to Kenneth Willis since 1983. Tami and

Kenneth have a daughter, Courtney who is married to J. B.

Babin, and a son, Christopher. They also have two grandsons. Tami attends Calvary Baptist Church where she enjoys working in the library and with the prayer ministry. Tami enjoys reading and spending time with her family.



Isaiah Romero
Social Media Coordinator

Isaiah Romero is from New Iberia and provides Social Media support to the Louisiana Baptist Foundation. Isaiah is currently a student at Louisiana College pursuing a degree in Marketing. He also plays on the offensive line as Center for the LC Wildcats football team. Isaiah enjoys hanging out with his family, working out and watching sports.