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Spiritual Oversight Team
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Kent Broddle

Kent and Tonya Broddle have been married for 29 years and have three grown children: Jared (25) is a Visual Effects Artist in LA and married to Christen, Sarah (23) teaches at Monticello Trail in DeSoto, and Rachel (21) is an Apparel and Textiles student at K-State. Kent has been as a Software Engineer and Team Leader at Garmin for many years. The Broddles have served at Cedar Ridge since the early days, including Children's Ministry and Marriage Mentors. Kent has been active in short term missions and has been to Africa twice, Poland three times, and Honduras once. Kent enjoys basketball, softball, biking, playing games, watching sports, time with family and friends.

Jason Cowden

Jason and Emily, married for 8 years, have 4 children; Caroline 6, Canaan 4, Evelyn 2, and Alice 8 months. In their 5 years at Cedar Ridge they have served as youth coaches, in growth groups & with children's ministries. Emily serves behind the scenes in worship ministry & home schools their children. Jason is an Air Traffic Controller for the FAA. He has a passion for God's word and encouraging young men to follow in Christ's footsteps. Jason's free time is spent with family, fishing, being outdoors & coaching his kids in sports.

John Duma

John and his wife Bonnie have two children Megan and Michael, two grandchildren Bo and Carter, and a Belgian Shepherd named Boomer. Cedar Ridge is special to John because we care for the "least of God's children" in the way we do church and serve in the community. Outside of church, John is involved in our twelve-step Christian based recovery group C.H.A.N.G.E. He loves to work out and plays handball several times a week. With the many blessings, family, and friends in John's life, he considers himself the luckiest guy in the world.

Mark Eaton

Mark grew up in a Christian home and came to Christ at age thirteen. Mark has been married to Karie for 25 years, and they have two children: Courtney 21 and Corey 16. Mark holds a sales director role with the pharmaceutical company Teva Oncology. The Eatons have been involved in church plants in Kansas City and Chicago. They are currently leading in Cedar Ridge ministry roles in marriage ministry, women's ministry, and serve as part of KidsConnect. Mark also serves on the boards of The Heartland Project and PastorServe.

Jeff Hatfield

Jeff and Chelsea, married for 7 years, have 3 children; Jaymin 6, Jettison 3, and Jia 1. They have been at Cedar Ridge for 6 years and have served in Nexus ministry, as small group leaders, in children's ministry, and for What If and Project Impact serve days. Chelsea is a stay at home mom and Jeff is in Sales/Dispatch at Team Driveaway. Jeff enjoys playing sports and outdoor activities.

Jack Varela

Jack and Julee have been married for almost 27 years, and they have three children: Brianna (22), Joshua (19), and Lexie (16). Jack's job with Teva Neuroscience brought them to Olathe in 2004; they discovered Cedar Ridge during their home search and jumped in right away. Jack has served and led in KidsConnect, VBS, Club 45 & 56; he has also been involved in group studies, men's ministry groups, and Family & Marriage Ministries. Jack enjoys serving locally and internationally.

Brian Wright

Brian and Cindy Wright have been married for 21 years. They have 4 children: Haley 13, Abby 12, Brody 6 and Blaze 3. Cindy serves in children's ministries, women's ministries and is largely responsible for the interior design of several rooms at our church. Brian holds a Bible Ministries Degree from Manhattan Christian College. After 12 years of ministry at Southeast Christian Church in Louisville, Kentucky, Brian came to Cedar Ridge to serve on staff. He is now lead pastor and serves as an Elder.