



Bible Church

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Leadership Recommendation Form

Purpose Statement

Make Disciples of Christ that bear fruit for the Kingdom, in which Christian are progressively guided from spiritual infancy to spiritual maturity.

Function Statement

ELDER:

1 Timothy 5:17; Titus 1:7; 1 Peter 5:1-2; 1 Timothy 3:2; 2 Timothy 4:2; Titus 1:9; Acts 20:17, 28-31; 1 Timothy 4:13; 2 Timothy 3:13-17; Titus 1:9; James 5:14; Acts 6:4; Acts 15:6

Elders lead the church, teach and preach the Word, protect the church from false teachers, exhort and admonish the saints in sound doctrine, visit the sick, pray, and judge doctrinal issues.

Function:

Elders shepherd, oversee, lead, and care for the local church

DEACONS:

Act 6:4; Timothy 3:1-13; 1 Peter 5:1-3

The Deacons will lovingly serve the needs of members, being men of integrity, Godly character, serving as examples to the flock by having a personal relationship with God, protecting families, serving the church, and restoring the community.

Function:

Serve alongside the Pastors, taking the policies, procedures, and direction given by the Elders, implementing them by shepherding the member in spiritual growth and spiritual service. Moving them to faithful worshippers, Bible Study attendees, participants of small groups and involvement in ministry.

DEACONESS:

Titus 2:3-8; 1 Timothy 3:11

The Deaconess will lovingly serve the needs of women and children, being women of integrity and of Godly character, serving as examples to the flock by having a personal relationship with God, nurturing the family, serving the church, and restoring the community.

Function:

The duties of the Deaconess are to assist in progressively guiding women and children from spiritual infancy to spiritual maturity, to encourage and develop individual moral and spiritual character, to serve in the following capacities: counseling, support the Women's Ministry, Children's Ministry, and any other duties as assigned by the Elders.

Instruction: The Elders of ONEMOVEMENT Bible Church are asking the members of ONEMOVEMENT Bible Church to look out among this body of believers for men and women would be whom they believe should be considered for the position of Elder, Deacon and/or Deaconess. Please write the name(s) below and place the bottom portion of the sheet in the nearest offering box. Thank you. Nominations end February 18, 2024. If there are any questions concerning this process, please feel free to contact the front office at 713-943-2215.

Recommendation for Elder, Deacon, and Deaconess

I, _____, would like to be considered for the service of an Elder, Deacon and/or Deaconess at ONEMOVEMENT Bible Church. (Circle which applies to you)

-or-

I would like to recommend the following individual(s) for consideration of the service of an Elder, Deacon, and/or Deaconess at ONEMOVEMENT Bible Church.

Name: _____ Position: _____

Name: _____ Position: _____

Name: _____ Position: _____

Your Signature