**RCC 2020 Leadership Nominations**

***PLEASE RETURN FORM BY AUG 9th***

*\*\*Active members of RCC who are 16 & up are invited to submit the names of men to serve as either an Elder or Deacon.\*\**

Leadership matters. Spiritual leadership is important to discern God’s call, maintain a clear vision, and provide healthy oversight and accountability for our congregation. Each year, you are asked to nominate qualified, God honoring men to serve in the roles of Elder and Deacon. This selection process ***requires prayerful consideration*** and an honest review of the qualifications found in **1 Timothy 3 and Titus 1**.

**Please nominate someone only after you’ve spent sufficient time in prayer about it, thank you!**

**Current Elders**: Tony Bryan, Alan Zerkel, Bob Stockwell, Bob Curran, Keith Ford, Gary Walker, Bill Brothers, Byron Gough *(Ineligible to be nominated)*

**Current Deacons:**  Ron Richardson, Ronnie Black, Nate Bryan, Jack Stites, Grant Bryan, Boyd Pickel, Rick Call, Clark Galford, Travis Smith  *(Ineligible to be nominated) Ron Richardson, Jack Stites, & Nate Bryan will be stepping down*

I suggest the following to serve as **ELDER**: I suggest the following to serve as **DEACON:**

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***\*By signing my name, I acknowledge to the best of my knowledge, these candidates exhibit the qualities listed in the Biblical requirements and meet the Biblical expectations for Elders and Deacons.***

**Eligibility:**

● *Nominees must be committed followers of Jesus Christ, committed to the mission of RCC to help people find their way back to God, actively involved in ministry, and willing to commit time, energy, passion, and gifts through leadership service.*

**Biblical Qualifications of Elders and Deacons:**

**-Above Reproach** (1 Tim 3.2) **-Not violent** (Titus 1.7)

**-Faithful to spouse** (1 Tim 3.2) **-Not quarrelsome** (1 Tim 3.3)

**-Temperate** (1 Tim 3.2) **-Gentle** (1 Tim 3.3)

**-Self-controlled** (1 Tim 3.2/ Titus 1.8) **-Free from the love of money** (1 Tim 3.3)

**-Respectable** (1 Tim 3.2) **-Manages own household well** (1 Tim 3.3-4)

**-Hospitable** (1 Tim 3.2/ Titus 1.8) **-Good reputation outside of church** (1 Tim 3.7)

**-Able to teach** (1 Tim 3.2/ Titus 1.9) **-Loves what is good** (Titus 1.8)

**-Not given to drunkenness** (1 Tim 3.3/ Titus 1.7) **-Upright** (Titus 1.8)

**-Not quick tempered** (Titus 1.7) **-Holy** (Titus 1.8)

**-Not overbearing/ Self-willed** (Titus 1.7) **-Not a new convert** (1 Tim 3.6)

***\*\*\*BALLOT BOX LOCATED IN LOBBY\*\*\****