My recommendations:





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Nominations

Titus 1:5-9 (NKIV)

For this reason I left you in Crete, that you should set in order the things that are lacking, and appoint elders in every city as I commanded you — if a man is blameless, the husband of one wife, having faithful children not accused of dissipation or insubordination. For a bishop must be blameless, as a steward of God, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, not given to wine, not violent, not greedy for money, but hospitable, a lover of what is good, sober-minded, just, holy, self-controlled, holding fast the faithful word as he has been taught, that he may be able, by sound doctrine, both to exhort and convict those who contradict.

1 Timothy 3:1-7 (NKJV) This is a faithful saying: If a man desires the position of a bishop, he desires a good work. A bishop then must be blameless, the husband of one wife, temperate, sober-minded, of good behavior, hospitable, able to teach; not given to wine, not violent, not greedy for money, but gentle, not guarrelsome, not covetous; one who rules his own house well, having his children in submission with all reverence (for if a man does not know how to rule his own house, how will he take care of the church

of God?); not a novice, lest being puffed up with pride he fall into the same condemnation as the devil. Moreover he must have a good testimony among those who are outside, lest he fall into reproach and the snare of the devil.

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2025 ELDER NOMINATIONS

Prestoncrest's Elders are asking members to call out additional Elders as our church strives to provide for many needs in ministry areas. It is our hope that a number of men who meet the qualifications will receive significant congregational nominations, approval, and support. Nominations will be compiled, reviewed, and candidates interviewed.

Please pray for this church, this selection process, and personal guidance as you choose NEW men to nominate. Be sure to review the information on the front page, keeping the scriptural qualifications at the forefront of your mind as you nominate men.

TO SUBMIT NOMINATIONS:

Fill out form (attached here) and...

- Drop in the designated dropbox in the foyer
- Hand to any currently-serving Elder*

NOMINATIONS ARE DUE SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

*CURRENT ELDERS: JOHN CAWYER, JEFF CLEVENGER, PHIL JACKSON, CHARLES JOHNSTON, GEORGE MILLER, STEVEN MILLER, TODD MILLER, MIKE PIPKIN, KEN POLK, DR. BRYAN PRUITT, RANDY TUCKER, & DON WITT. NOTE: CURRENT ELDERS WILL CONTINUE TO SERVE, AND DO NOT NEED TO BE "RE-NOMINATED."

Timeline and dates to note:

SUN, JAN 19: SPECIAL PRAYER & OVERVIEW of the Nomination Process SUN, JAN 26: SERMON & CLASS LESSON ON ELDERS ~ combined class in the Auditorium SUN, JAN 26: NOMINATIONS BEGIN ~ via paper ballot TUES, JAN 28 (OR ANY DAY THIS WEEK): DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING

SUN, FEB 16: LAST DAY TO SUBMIT NOMINATIONS ~ via paper ballot

FEB 17 - MARCH 15: CANDIDATES DETERMINED, NOMINEES INTERVIEWED

SUN, MARCH 16: CANDIDATES PRESENTED TO THE CONGREGATION Scriptural objections must be submitted in writing to any current Elder by March 30

SUN, APRIL 13: NEW ELDERS APPOINTED ~ COMBINED WORSHIP SERVICE 9am Classes, 10am Combined Worship, Reception following in the Fellowship Hall

ELDER NOMINATION FORM

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As a church member, I recommend the following men to serve as additional elders for our congregation. I believe these men to be scripturally qualified to serve in such capacity.

Member's Signature:_

Printed Name:



SPACE FOR ADDITIONAL NAMES ON BACK ..