Leadership Nominations

We will be accepting nominations until November 15 for Deacons and Elders. Qualifications for each role are listed on a panel in our bulletin.

Deacon Nominations



Elder Nominations

Yes, I am a member of ECBC in good standing and, after prayerful consideration, would like to nominate the following men for the office of Deacon and/or Elder. Unsigned or illegible nominations are not valid.

Member Signature:

Print Name:

Staff.



Anderson



Van Barnhill



Danny Beech Equipping



Leland Brown ommunity & Young Adults



Dave Bruner Global Impact



Jordan Causey



Mike Doll Orchestra



Alec Emenhiser



Craig Harris Local Impact



Dean enderson



Dustin Raley Worship



Matt Reagan Campus Outreach



Steve Tuck



Sermon.

Speaker: Buster Brown, Senior Pastor

Message: How to Stay the Course with Joyful Strength

and Confidence

Text: Micah 6:3-8

"3O my people, what have I done to you? How have I wearied you? Answer me! 4For I brought you up from the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery, and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam. 50 my people, remember what Balak king of Moab devised, and what Balaam the son of Beor answered him, and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the righteous acts of the Lord. ⁶With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? 8He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?" Micah 6:3-8

What builds integrity, resolve and strength of purpose? What leads to a Micah 6:8 individual?

Answer: Continually remembering and rehearsing the mercies of the living God.

It is easy to forget the mercies of the Lord and in our shortsightedness become ungrateful. (Psalm 103:1-5)

"How have I wearied you?" (v.3)

STAYING THE COURSE

- 1. Remember: the Lord initiates, gives security and guides his people.
- Initiates: brought up from the land of Egypt. (v.4a) • Gives security: redeemed from the house of slavery.
- Guides: gives good leaders who gave you the Law. (v.4c)

"I will run in the way of your commandments when you enlarge my heart!" Psalm 119:32

- 2. Remember that God blesses in unexpected ways through unexpected people. Balaam: (Numbers 22-24) (v.5a)
- Remember: the Lord parts "Red Seas and Jordan Rivers" so that his people can experience his goodness and mercy.
- There is a vital place for community in remembering and rejoicing.

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Sermon.

"Then those who feared the Lord spoke with one another. The Lord paid attention and heard them, and a book of remembrance was written before him of those who feared the Lord and esteemed his name." Malachi 3:16

"I call piety that reverence joined with love of God which the knowledge of his benefits induces. For until men recognize that they owe everything to God, that they are nourished by his fatherly care, that he is the author of their every good, that they should seek nothing beyond him—they will never yield him willing service" John Calvin, Institutes of Christian Religion, I-2-1

QUESTIONS:

- How has God redeemed you from the house of slavery? (Ephesians 2:1-5. Colossians 1:13-14) What human instrument did the Father use to communicate the gospel of grace?
- How has the Lord blessed you in unexpected ways, through unexpected people?
- 3. Why was Joseph able to care for and give provision to the brothers who had sold him into slavery? (Genesis 50:19-21)
- What small group of believers helps you "esteem the name of the gracious Lord"? (Malachi 3:16)
- What Jordan River crisis of belief do you need to cross as you trust the goodness of the triune God and go further into the light of Christ?



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Welcome.

We're glad you are here to worship with us. If you are new to East Cooper Baptist, we would love to meet you. Please stop anyone with a blue name-tag and let us answer any questions you may have. Thanks for being our guest.

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Contemporary Worship / Sunday equip•u Classes
Worship Center 9:30a & 10:45a

Ways to Give. -

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Give online by visiting our website at: eastcooperbaptist.com/give.

Give via text by texting the word "GIVE" to 843-202-4848.



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We're working hard to make sure everyone feels comfortable attending our services. Please help us by following the procedures listed below.



Please use hand sanitizer as you enter the building.



Please wear a face mask while you are in the building. We can provide one if needed.



Please be mindful of others and practice social distancing throughout the building.

Leadership.

We will be accepting nominations until November 15.

Deacons

The word "deacon" means servant and came to be used by the church to designate a special position in the church. The deaconship, therefore, signifies a position of special Christian service. Both the Scripture and the dignity of the office demand a person of the highest spiritual, moral, and practical qualifications. The qualifications are listed in 1 Timothy 3:8-13 and are similar to those for elders with the exception of "able to teach."

Elders

Elders (also translated as "overseers") are responsible for overseeing their local church. Their primary duties include leading, teaching, praying and shepherding the people. The Bible lays out clear qualifications for elders in 1 Timothy 3:1-10 and Titus 1:6-9. These qualifications are living above reproach, faithful to his wife, self-controlled temperament, prudent, respectable, hospitable, able to teach, free from addictions, not pugnacious, uncontentious, free from the love of money, manages his household well, not a new convert, gives generously to his church, has a good reputation with outsiders, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, loves what is good, just, devout, and one who holds fast the faithful word.

Nominate

Please use the tear-off to write in your nomination for the role of Deacon, Elder, or both and place in any one of the giving boxes located throughout the church.

To nominate digitally, scan the QR code below, fill out, and submit.

DEACON NOMINATION FORM



ELDER NOMINATION FORM

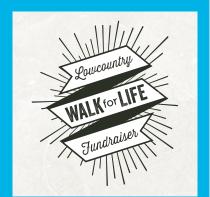


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EAST COOPER BAPTIST RAISED \$8,910 FOR WALK FOR LIFE!

We're excited to announce that we raised over our goal for Lowcountry Pregnancy Center! The funds raised provide care and support for women facing unplanned pregnancies. Thank you to all who walked, raised money, and donated.



Upcoming.

For detailed event information, please go online. eastcooperbaptist.com/events

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Help fill a shoebox this Christmas season for a boy or girl in need. We encourage you to use reusable plastic boxes. Collection week is November 15-22!

FILL A BOX TODAY.



ANGEL TREE

This year, Angel Trees will be set up in multiple locations around the church. Pick up a tag and help a local child whose parent is in prison. Tags will be available November 22. Gifts are due back by December 6.

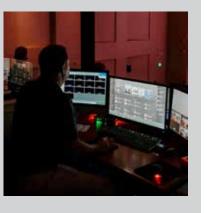
PICK UP A TAG.



SERVE ON SUNDAYS

Serve on the Media Team and help us provide sound and lighting each Sunday as we worship and study God's word. Training is provided.

VOLUNTEER TODAY.



First Time Guest?

We'd love to get to know you!

SCAN DIGITAL CONNECT CARD



Hello.

11.15.20

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