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THE COMMITTEE

The congregation selects members to serve on the committee, and the committee establishes it's guidelines.

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THE PROFILES

The committee writes the church profile and the senior pastor profile. The committee works on selection process and begins advertising the position.

WE ARE HERE.

03

THE SCREENING

The committee begins screening applicants and finalizes the selection process.

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THE INTERVIEWS

The committee interviews candidates, and candidates visit Grace. The committee makes a selection recommendation to the Session.

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THE VOTE

A congregational meeting is held and the congregation votes on the new Senior Pastor.

GRACE CHURCH

P U L P I T C O M M I T T E E P R O C E S S

PULPIT COMMITTEE UPDATE:

The Pulpit Committee (PC) recently met and finalized the Senior Pastor job profile. With this work being complete, the official posting for the position will go live on Grace's website later this week. We will also be posting the position on the PCA Administrative Committee's website, as well as with RTS. We will be accepting applications for the position through November 30th.

REQUESTS OF THE CONGREGATION:

- Be in constant prayer. Paul tells us in 1 Thessalonians 5:17 to “pray without ceasing.” As we continue down the path of seeking the Lord’s will for our next senior pastor, we must continue to rely on Him and His grace and wisdom. Prayer is central to seeking the clarity that only He can provide and we very much desire for us as a congregation to be praying corporately and individually for our next pastor, his family, and the work that the Lord has already prepared for him to do.
- Several of you have indicated that you have individuals that may be interested in the Senior Pastor position. Please refer these individuals to our website for the application packet or they can reach out to the Pulpit Committee at gracepc@graceharrisburg.org.
- Please speak with any member of the committee should you have any questions or want additional information.

PRAYER DIRECTIVE:

SCRIPTURE:

“He [Christ] is before all things, and in Him all things hold together. He is also the head of the body, the church; and He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that He Himself will come to have first place in everything.”

(Colossians 1:17-18 NAS20)

“And He[God] put all things in subjection under His feet, and made Him head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.”

(Ephesians 1:22-23 NAS20)

“For this reason we also, since the day we heard about it, have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, . . .”

(Colossians 1:9 NAS20)

PRAY:

That the PC and all of Grace Church will faithfully desire, perceive, and obey the will of our Head, Jesus Christ, as we pursue His calling for our senior pastor.

That the PC will be filled with the knowledge of God’s will and have the wisdom and understanding necessary to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit in the responsibility given to us.

That we will understand the steps necessary to begin the pastor search and proceed in an orderly way to carry out those procedures.

That the session will discern if we need to adjust any of our procedures and that both the session and the PC will keep our focus on the glory of Christ and the needs of His flock.