



PASTORAL SCREENING COMMITTEE NEWS

July 1, 2021

Greetings, New Hope family!

“Keep watch over yourselves and all the flock of which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers. Be shepherds of the church of God, which he bought with his own blood” (Acts 20:28).

OUR PASTORAL POSITION IS POSTED!

The New Hope MBC Pastoral Position Announcement is posted. The posting period is June 1, 2021 to August 31, 2021. The announcement and instructions on How to Apply can be found on the New Hope MBC website at www.newhope-mbc.org under Pastoral Search Applicant Portal. The position announcement will also be posted with Ashland Theological Seminary, Ecumenical Theological Seminary, the National Baptist Convention USA, Inc., the Metropolitan Baptist District Association, and the Wolverine Baptist State Convention.

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT SURVEY

The Youth and Young Adult of New Hope MBC were not represented in the original PSC Pastoral Search Church Survey. Therefore, the PSC reached out to the Ministry leaders of those departments to encourage their input. The results of the outreach effort are recorded in a separate newsletter located on the Pastoral Screening Committee webpage.

The Pastoral Screening progress to-date is shown on the process wheel below.

Pastoral Screening Committee Members

Trustee Jonathan Trout, Chairman
 Deacon Henderson Slaughter, Vice Chairman
 Rev. Valerie Crump, Secretary
 Sis. Jacqueline Bray, Assistant Secretary
 Deacon Bonnie Davison, Parliamentarian
 Bro. Jonathan Clark, Chaplain
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Alternate Committee Members

Deacon John Lumpkin
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Phase 1 - Planning and Process Development

Phase 2 – Church Survey

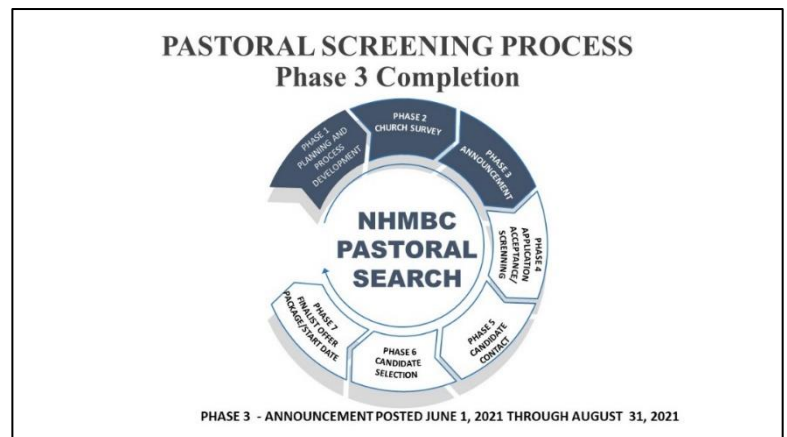
Phase 3 – Announcement

Phase 4 – Application Acceptance/Screening

Phase 5 – Candidate Contact

Phase 6 – Candidate Selection

Phase 7 – Finalist Offer/Start Date



NEXT STEP: We have begun to receive some applications thereby moving us into **Phase 4 – Application Acceptance and Screening**. During this period, the Pastoral Screening Committee will utilize the established and approved screening criteria to determine which applicants meet or exceed the minimum qualifications. We will then prayerfully conduct a qualitative review of those applicants’ experience and credentials for further consideration in Phase 5 of the screening process. Questions regarding the application process may be submitted to the Pastoral Screening Committee via email at nhmbcpsc@newhope-mbc.org only. No phone calls please. We prayerfully look forward to seeing who God will reveal as the next under shepherd to Pastor the New Hope flock.

The Pastoral Screening Committee