

## Guidelines for Leaders at Hoffmantown Church

The following guidelines for leaders at Hoffmantown Church (HC) are an affirmation of our Constitution and Bylaws along with our Membership Covenant agreement. Our prayer for HC is that all leaders would be humble servants first and foremost of the Lord and then the Body of Christ, the Church.

1. Personal, maturing relationship with Jesus demonstrated through a consistent lifestyle exhibiting the fruit of the Spirit, love, as observed by family, leadership and the body of Christ. **Gal. 5.22-23, John 13.34-35**
  
2. A member in good standing: Signed the HC Membership Covenant indicating agreement to:
  - a) Uphold the doctrine and philosophy of ministry of HC as stated in the Church Constitution & Bylaws **2 Thess. 2:15, 2 Tim. 2:2**
  
  - b) Seek to live in and promote/encourage unity with the membership of HC **Eph. 4.3**
  
  - c) Submit to the authority of the Elder Council and recognized leaders of HC **Heb. 13.17**
  
  - d) Support the direction of the church per the 7 Pillars and Core Values

Seven Pillars	Core Values
True ministry is initiated by God.	Christ-revealed Word
Ministry God initiates is ordained.	
True ministry is received from God, not achieved by man.	Christ-centered Worship
True ministry is a result of our surrender – not of our commitment.	
God alone gets the glory for His ministry.	Christ-empowered relationships
The Church is an organism, not an organization.	
The role of church leadership is to equip the body for ministry.	Christ-led Outreach

3. Financially support HC on a consistent basis **Acts 4:34–35, 2 Cor. 9:6–7, Mal. 3:10, 2 Cor. 8:1-5, 9:12-15, Phil. 4:14-16**
  
4. Regular attender of HC worship services **Heb. 10:25**
  
5. K-Group participator (or serving elsewhere during those times) **Heb. 10:25, Acts 2:42 and Acts 2:46**

*If there are any concerns or questions please address this with your immediate team leader or Pastor.*

## AFFIRMATION

In keeping with the Lord's desire that there be unity in His body, I have read, prayerfully considered and support the Guidelines for Leadership at Hoffmantown Church as stated in this document.

Print Name

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Signature

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