

Hoffmantown Church Annual Meeting 2023

The Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, September 24 at 3pm in the Worship Center. This will be an important meeting because we will have updates from Hoffmantown ministries with vision for the future and will be voting on minor changes to the 2022 Bylaws, approving the new 2 At Large Church Council members and approving the corporate officers.

HOFFMANTOWN CHURCH CORPORATE OFFICERS:

President—Dave Pitcher

Secretary / Treasurer—Jerri Rose

HOFFMANTOWN CHURCH CORPORATE DIRECTORS:

The current Directors will remain active: Tom Caudill, Allan Rider, Ben Wyne

CHANGES TO THE 2022 BYLAWS

Approved 2022 Bylaws (Proposed 2023 Changes Version 1)

ARTICLE V. CHURCH LEADERSHIP SECTION 7

Section 7. Standing Committees of the Church (page 6)

The composition of the Finance Committee is the Accounting Manager and a minimum of four (4) total men and women Church members preferably with experience or expertise in Church finance and accounting.



Church Council Nominations



Nathan Brannon

My life in Christ began at an early age in Lawton Oklahoma at Cache Road Baptist Church. I was only five but understood that I needed to pray and ask Jesus to be my Lord and Savior. On a Sunday night, I came forward during the invitation and was later baptized at Cache Road Baptist.

Despite growing up in a good Christian home and surrounded by a strong fellowship of believers my growth in Christ was slower due to worrying about working for God. Over time Jesus was transforming me to seek Him first in more parts of every day and following Him as He leads. Earlier in my life I would seek Him in the "big" matters of life like where to go to college but as Christ demonstrated, He cares as much for the "little" moments in life as the big moments.

The Lord brought our family to Albuquerque and Hoffmantown in 2001 which was a strange time to join as Hoffmantown was seeking a new pastor, but His direction was clear enough. 2001 is also the year I started at Sandia National Laboratories where I continue to work as an engineer.

When I met my wife Jodie, I knew I couldn't live without her, and we married 29 years ago. We have a daughter, Mary (21), who is a Senior at Oklahoma Baptist University, and a son, John (19) who is in his second year at New Mexico Tech. Many at Hoffmantown have grown to appreciate my dad, Johnny. He remains my hero.



Stacey Lake

I am a native New Mexican, with time spent in Santa Fe, Deming, and Albuquerque. I came to know Jesus in Deming at the First Baptist Church when I was five years old. I have always had a vivid imagination, and when my parents explained that Jesus wanted to live in my heart, I imagined a tiny wood cabin in my heart, and I knew I wanted Jesus there. At the end of a church service, I whispered to my mother that I was ready, and we went down the aisle. I accepted Christ, I was baptized soon after that, and I have never known anything but a life with Jesus.

We moved to Albuquerque and joined Hoffmantown when I was eight years old, and my first Sunday School teacher was Donna Willcoxon. After my first day in her class, I told my parents that my teacher "had Jesus in her eyes." Anyone who knows Donna knows I was right! She remains my spiritual mentor

I graduated from Albuquerque Academy, I earned my BBS from Hardin-Simmons University, and I earned my MA in English Literature from UNM. I did some of my studies in Scotland and England, and while overseas, I fell in love with Scotland. I have recently finished writing a trilogy, set in that beautiful land. It is Christian historical fiction, and one day, I hope it will be available for all eyes to see! I am currently an English teacher at Hope Christian School, and each summer, I teach French at the Albuquerque Academy. Writing is my passion, but I also enjoy travelling, gardening, going to musicals, and spending time with my family.

Over the years, I have been involved in many things at Hoffmantown. To name a few, I am and have always been in choir, and I have participated in a lifetime of summer and Christmas musicals. I have written, directed, and choreographed some of those musicals, and that has brought more joy than I could have ever imagined. It is great fun to do that with Jesus! I have also worked with Angel Tree for decades, played in the orchestra, directed a Sunday School class, worked in outreach, gone to youth camp as a camper and later as a counselor, worked with many children's events, and gone on several mission trips. God does not leave any room for boredom, does He? I'm grateful for His creativity, for His willingness to let us participate, and for His omniscience. He, alone, knows what will come next!