



1. Who Are Church Leaders?

- Pastor (poimen)
- Overseer (episkopos)
- Elder (presbuteros)

- A. Elders are _____.
- B. Elders are _____ men.
- C. Elders are a _____.

2. What Do Elders Do?

- A. Elders _____.
- B. Elders _____.
- C. Elders _____.

3. How Are Elders Chosen?

- A. Holy _____.
- B. Biblically _____.
- C. Church _____.

TAKE HOME TRUTH

*Godly leadership is _____ for
 the life of the church.*

What is the congregation's response?

- _____
- _____
- _____

Next Week—*The Ministry of Deacons*

Just a Moment

with Pastor Fred

“Worry is the conversation you have with yourself about things you cannot change.
 Prayer is a conversation you have with God about things he can change.”

Several years ago, it was my second daughter who reminded me of the Apostle Paul’s counsel in Phil 4:6 – translated in the NLT, “*Don’t worry about anything – pray about everything.*” Like you and me the Philippians had anxious hearts. The Greek word means to be pulled apart from different directions. The problem with worry is that it doesn’t seem harmful. “*I’m just the worrying type.*” Yea, well what if I said I was the murdering type?!

The fact is worry is sin. It denies the goodness of God and contradicts the sovereignty of God. *How can I avoid anxiety?* Paul says prayer. So whatever keeps you awake at night; drains your joy; that which you can’t control; frightens you – make it part of your prayer list, “*cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.*” Turn cares into prayers! Phil 4:7 makes a promise – God’s peace will garrison your soul. Such peace isn’t psychological – its supernatural. It transcends human reasoning. Anxieties attack our minds tempting us to lose hope and to fret. God’s peace stands guard over our hearts like a sentry on duty.



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Becoming fruitful disciples of Christ for God’s Glory

**“O magnify THE LORD
 WITH ME, AND LET US
 EXALT HIS NAME
 together.”**

PSALM 34:3

Call to Worship

*Immortal, Invisible
 Holy, Holy, Holy*

Ministry Moment—Biblical Counseling

Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Behold Our God

*The Ministry of Elders
 Pastor Fred Froman*

Lord, I Need You

Benediction

THE LORD'S DAY
July 14, 2019

Announcements

Prayer Requests

This Week at HBC

Today
 Refreshments 9:00am
 Concert of Prayer 9:30am
 Worship 10:30am

Monday, July 15
 Finance Team 6:30pm

Wednesday, July 17
 Senior Saints 1:00pm
 Praise Team 7:00pm

Thursday, July 18
 Elders Meeting 6:30pm

Saturday, July 20
 Young Father's 8:00am

Child Care Today

9:30am
Nursery: Ronda VanSumeren
Toddlers: Sue Froman

10:30am
Nursery: Kelly Troxell
Toddlers: Starla Ordiway

Child Care Next Week


9:30am
Nursery: Needed
Toddlers: Amber Barton

10:30am
Nursery: Charlie Ann Cecil
Toddlers: Charmayne Davis

Greeters Schedule

Today
South Door: Donna Kimmel
West Door: Billie Collins

Next Sunday
South Door: Herb & Rita Twichell
West Door: Bill & Barb Bush



Concert of Prayer is being held every Sunday in June & July at 9:30 in the auditorium where we as a congregation are focusing on specific prayer. Joe Hart will lead next week. Come and participate.

Young dads! This Saturday, 8-9 am, meet in room 102.

Small Group Surveys were emailed out and/or copies are at the kiosk. The elders believe small groups are important and need your input. Please take a few minutes to help. Put completed surveys in Pastor Fred or Mary Hayes' mail box in the foyer.

Sweet Talk for young couples will meet Saturday, July 27 at 6:30 pm on the parsonage patio. RSVP Sue Froman by Wednesday, July 24.

Froman Shepherd Care will meet next Sunday night at 6 pm. RSVP Sue Froman, 927.8927 as what to bring.

Teens! Get ready, get set, go! Road Rally on Sunday, July 28 from 5-7 pm.

50+ Single Gals picnic and trip to the Michigan History Museum, next Sunday after the service. Picnic in room 102. Car pool to the museum following. Sign up on the bulletin board by today.

Special Business Meeting is being called for July 28 to vote on Ryan and Abigail de Roos to join our missionary family. Such financial support was included in the 2019 budget. Last Sunday's offering for them totaled \$1663!

Our sympathy to Denise Colosky on the death of her sister, Diana, this past week

City Rescue Mission needs helpers with the evening meals the first Saturday night every other month beginning in the fall. Sign up on the bulletin board to volunteer.

The House That Jesus Built is a summer sermon series on the church. Manuscript copies are at the kiosk if you missed last Sunday.

ABF / SS will not meet for the month of August.

Five Day Club at HBC August 12-19th. If you would like to pass out flyers, please sign up on the bulletin board.



Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2

General Requests & Praise

- Families traveling and on vacation
- Ben Davis & Caleb Krepps - Leadership training in NY
- Madison Barton—serving in CEF clubs
- Landon Barton and Isaac Elliott at Barakel (July 16-22)
- Asa Rowntree working at Barakel (July 16-22)
- Keren Terry - as she prepares to move to OK
- Biblical counseling ministry & those pursuing certification
- HBC Senior Saints & Shut-ins - health & provision
- Strong marriages & families
- For numerical and spiritual growth of the church
- Children & Student Ministry coordinators
- Bells - continued French studies

Physical Needs

- Gina Golden—Illness & pain, employment
- Paul Krepps—recovery from shoulder surgery
- Sue Froman - cardio rehab July 15
- Barb Peters - cancer, surgery consultation July 18
- Cindy Thomas—shoulder surgery July 23
- Diane Wilson - healing from hip surgery
- Pat Marshall - strength
- Don Adcock - Alzheimer's, Parkinson's
- Bob Castle (Cindy Price) - cancer
- Joan Iutzi (Mary Hayes) - cancer, in hospice
- Bud Iutzi (Mary Hayes) - recovery from infections
- Crystal Stewart (Barney Yeager) -vasculitis, chemo treatments

Praying Biblically - Ephesians 3:14-20

- Thankful for the family of God I have around me
- For God to strengthen me
- For Christ to feel at home in my life
- That I be rooted and grounded in love
- For me to have a deeper understanding of Christ's love
- To be filled with God's fullness

Prayer Individual of the Week

Barbara Winters

"While it is true that God accepts us solely through the merit of Christ, God's standard for our character, attitudes, affections, and actions is, "Be holy, because I am holy." We must take this seriously if we are to grow in holiness."

Jerry Bridges