

Hominy Baptist Church Deacon Nomination/Selection

On the first Sunday in April Hominy Baptist Church will select seven persons to serve as members of the Board of Deacons. This is an important **SERVANT** role in our church and your involvement is crucial to insure that we have qualified candidates from which to choose. Deacons serve for a two year term with half the Board (seven members) rotating off each year. Newly elected Board of Deacons members will take office July 1, 2012.

Any member of Hominy Baptist Church who meets the necessary qualifications (listed below) and desiring to have their name placed on a list for consideration for the office of deacon should contact the church office and request to have their name placed on the nominee list. Qualifications for the role of deacon are as follow:

- Must be a member of Hominy Baptist Church
- Must be at least 25 years of age on July 1, 2012
- Must have been a member of Hominy Baptist Church for a period of 24 months on July 1, 2012

Any person that believes a member meets these qualifications and would like to see that person considered for nomination should personally talk with that member to see if they would be willing to be considered for nomination. If so, then either of the two persons should contact the church office and request that the name be placed on the nominee list.

A list of potential nominees, established by the above, shall be published with names appearing in alphabetical order. This list shall be included in the *Journey* for two weeks prior to the selection Sunday, which has been set for the first Sunday in April. This list should be used by membership to prayerfully consider the names on the list to determine those that they are led to vote for. During this consideration, it should be kept in mind that this is **NOT** a popularity contest but a process to select a **SERVANT** in the House of our Lord.

Current Board of Deacons members are not eligible for nomination. Those individuals are as follow: Polly Bryson, Jim Causby, Julia Clark, Mary Helderman, Greg Hughes, Kody Joyner, Morris Morgan, Bob Ray, Keith Rice, Kay Robinson, Walter Russell, Judy Taylor, Allison Thrash and Tildon Whiteside.

If you have questions about the role of deacon or about qualifications please call Deacon Chair Jim Causby at 828-665-0721 (home) or 828-404-5051 (cell).