



Dear fellow members and friends of First Baptist New Orleans,

The Pastor Search Committee is leaning upon this promise of God: “And I will give you shepherds after my own heart, who will guide you with knowledge and understanding.” (Jeremiah 3:15)

We ask you, our fellow members and friends of First Baptist New Orleans, to pray with us. As you pray, ask the Lord to speak his will concerning our future pastor. Also, pray that we will wait patiently upon him, as we are confident in his unfailing love and infinite wisdom.

To assist us in our appointed task, we invite you to provide us with the following information on any candidate whom the Lord has prompted you to share with us. We will prayerfully and discreetly consider each and every candidate.

Prayer, especially creating space for God to speak, is the most important part of this process. We thank you for praying with us as we seek the will of God for the next pastor of First Baptist New Orleans.

For Christ and his Church,

The Pastor Search Committee



PASTOR NOMINATION FORM FIRST BAPTIST NEW ORLEANS

Pastoral candidate's name and contact information:

Pastoral candidate's present position and place of service:

Pastoral candidate's previous ministerial position(s) and place(s) of service:

If the candidate is a pastor, can you point us to a website, podcast or other source where we might get additional information, including recorded sermons, messages, or other communications?



What is the nature of your relationship to the candidate, in what capacity do you know the candidate, and how long have you known the candidate?

What are the candidate's chief strengths in ministry?

Is there anything in the candidate's background that you would want to know were you on the Committee?

Please state your reasons for recommending this candidate to the Pastor Search Committee, including why you think that this candidate would be a good pastor for First Baptist New Orleans.

So that we may know who is recommending this candidate, please provide us with your name, contact information, and your home church.



If you have a résumé on the candidate, then please attach a copy when you submit this form.

Please submit the completed Nomination Form via email or U.S. mail to the Committee Chair at:

pastorsearchfbno@gmail.com

Slade Simons
7615 Jeannette Street
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Alternatively, you may submit the Nomination Form in a *sealed* envelope marked *Confidential* addressed to:

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