

## **BYLAWS**

ACADEMY OF SERVANT LEADERS



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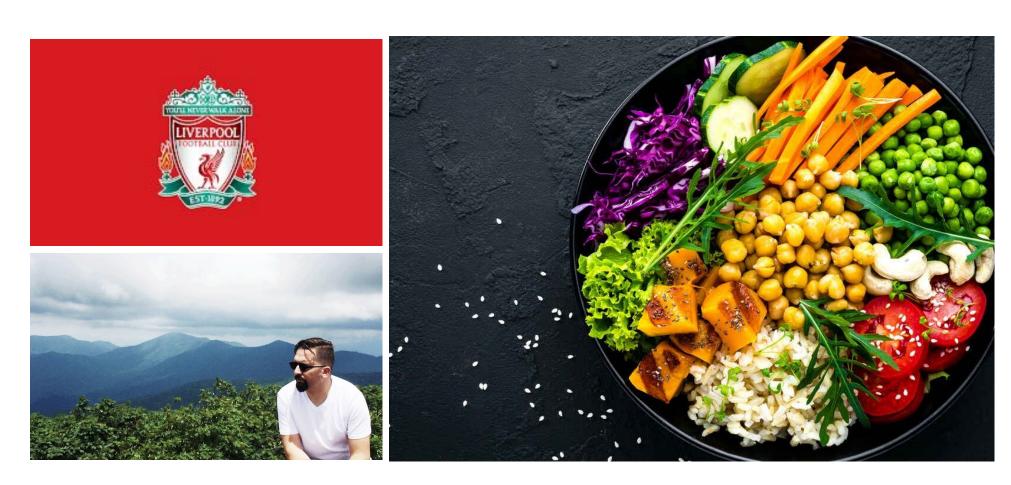
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# WHAT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING TO ME RIGHT NOW?

## Q&A

#### **BYLAWS**

- ➤ Have them
- ➤Know where they are
- >Read them
- ➤ Follow them

## PAUSE & RESET

## NON-PROFIT LAW **BYLAWS GUIDING PRINCIPLES** (AND/OR BPM) **POLICIES**

## FOUNDATION ISSUES

# BEFORE YOU START

Philosophy of Ministry
&
Philosophy of Governance



Mission Vision Core Values



Mission who we are



Vision what we do



Core Values what we value



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## PHILOSOPHY OF GOVERNANCE

Who runs the church?





## PREPARATION MAKES ROOM

Name | Church

Purpose

Member Eligibility

Pastor | Role, Authority, and Responsibilities

Elders | Governing Board

Officers | Who does what

Meetings

What requires a vote?

Committees

#### Indemnification

Dissolution

#### 16 YEAR OLDS VOTING

#### REMOVAL & RESIGNATION

#### **RIGIDITY**

#### LACK OF CLARITY

# PASTOR CHURCH OF GOD CREDENTIALS

# STATEMENT OF FAITH WESLEYAN-HOLINESS CHURCH OF GOD TEACHING TRADITION

# DISSOLUTION CONDITIONAL DEED

## ANNUAL MEETING TALK ABOUT BYLAWS EACH YEAR

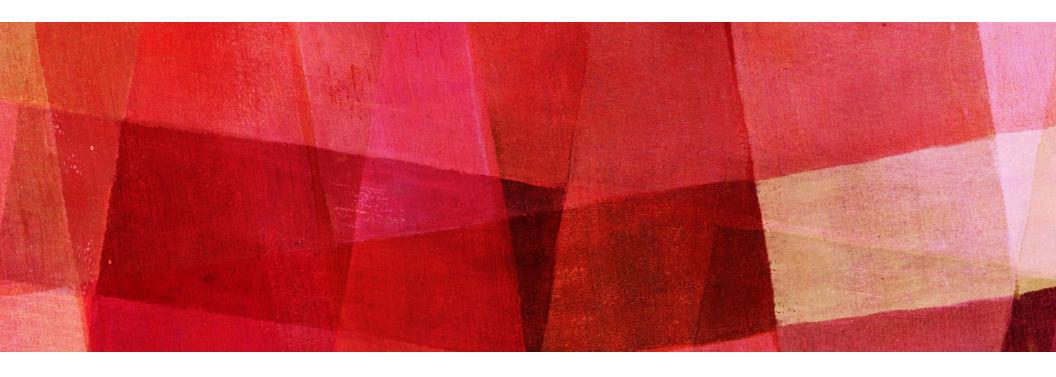
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#### **RESOURCES**

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## **POLICIES**

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## WHY POLICIES?

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#### **BOUNDARIES**

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#### PERMISSION AHEAD OF TIME

## BOUNDARIES

#### **GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

Mission Principles Boundary Principles Accountability Principles

#### **BOARD POLICIES MANUAL**

HOW THE LEADERSHIP BOARD OPERATES

### CRUCIAL & OFTEN MISSING

Confidentiality Conflict of Interest Record Retention

#### STAFF HANDBOOK

Vacation Sabbatical Parental Leave

#### FINANCE POLICIES

How funds are counted/deposited Gift Acceptance Policy Memorial Fund Accountable Reimbursement Policy

#### PROPERTY POLICIES

Who can use the building & when Key Policy Wedding Policy

# CHILDREN & YOUTH PROTECTION

Background Checks Sex Offender Policy Cameras

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