



Thank you for your interest in the Prince of Peace Board of Directors. The following is an overview of the role and expectations for participation as a Board member.

### **Prince of Peace Board Membership Qualifications**

- Prior experience serving in some leadership capacity at Prince of Peace. Because of the high level of responsibility carried by Board members, participation on the Board should not be one's first servant leadership position.
- Be a member in good standing referenced in Prince of Peace's Constitution and By-laws.
- Consistent financial stewardship to Prince of Peace
- Regular participation in community worship at Prince of Peace
- Desire to grow spiritually UP-IN-OUT in love for God and the community
- Business and life experience that supports Prince of Peace's mission / ministry
- A commitment to community, teamwork, hard work, and fun

### **Prince of Peace Board of Directors Primary Responsibilities**

- Strategic planning for the church's future – aligning the mission/vision with programmatic policies and operations
- In partnership with the Lead Pastor and Director of Finances provide responsible stewardship of financial resources
- Attend monthly Board meetings – traditionally held on the first Tuesday of each month (5:30 – 7:30PM). Total commitment including meeting prep time, attendance at the meeting, and other events generally average 5 – 10 hours per month.
- Serve on ad hoc or standing committees as requested
- Participate in special events where Board representation is requested (Board retreat, special worship events, commissioning services, informational meetings)
- Continue to financially support the ongoing mission/ministry of Prince of Peace\*

\*Financial stewardship is certainly not all about finances; however, *where our treasure is, there too is our heart*. Board members are expected to contribute financially at whatever level is appropriate based on personal circumstances.

**If after reading the qualifications and primary responsibilities, you feel called to serve, please complete the enclosed application and submit by March 17, 2017 to Julie Klein ([jklein@popmn.org](mailto:jklein@popmn.org)) or mail to Julie Klein, Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 13901 Fairview Drive, Burnsville, MN 55337**

**Upon receipt of your application a member of the Nominating Committee will contact you to walk you through the next steps of the Board selection process.**

**If you feel called but determine you are not yet ready to consider submitting an application to serve, please don't feel discouraged. Please contact one of the pastoral staff who would welcome the opportunity to chart a course and walk alongside you in preparation for applying for a Board position in the future.**