

## Nominations for Elected and Appointed Leaders

The By-Laws of Old First describe lay leadership positions to which individuals are either elected by the congregation or appointed by the Board of Elders.

Individuals in the elected positions of Elder, Treasurer, Financial Secretary, and Chairpersons of the Standing Leadership Groups for Worship and Spiritual Life, Outreach Ministries, Christian Education, Congregational Life, and Administration will serve two-year terms and may serve up to three consecutive terms. Representatives to P.O.W.E.R. and delegates to meetings of the Pennsylvania Southeast Conference (PSEC) and the Philadelphia Association are elected annually for a one-year term.

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### I. BOARD OF ELDERS

The By-Laws allow for between five and nine Elders; at present, there are nine.

Name	Elected	Duration	Term
Janice Smith	2020	2-year	3rd * (rotating off)
Bobbie Benjamin	2021	2-year	3rd
Julie Steiner	2021	2-year	3rd
Tony Merlo	2021	2-year	2nd
Winston Bramwell	2020	2-year	1st
Pat Malley	2020	2-year	1st
Joanna Robinson	2020	2-year	1st
Ibidun Awoyale	2021	2-year	1st
Kris Forrest	2021	2-year	1st

\*These individuals have completed their terms on the Board. Old First thanks them for their service.

After discernment by the individuals involved and with the Elders, the following individuals are nominated for election to a two-year term as Elder:

Winston Bramwell (2nd term)  
Pat Malley (2nd term)  
Joanna Robinson (2nd term)  
Corlis Gross (1st term)

If all nominated elders are elected, the Board of Elders for 2022 will be:

Ibidun Awoyale  
Bobbie Benjamin  
Winston Bramwell

Kris Forrest  
Corlis Gross  
Pat Malley

Tony Merlo  
Joanna Robinson  
Julie Steiner

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## II. STANDING LEADERSHIP GROUP (SLG) CHAIRS

During 2021, the SLG Chairs have been:

SLG	Name	Elected	Duration	Term
Administration	Pamela Loughman	2021	2-year	1st
Christian Education	Ad Hoc Team	2021		
Congregational Life	Darla Gallo	2021	2-year	2nd
Outreach Ministries	Clark Dingman	2021	2-year	2nd
Worship & Spiritual Life	Richard Kalwaic	2021	2-year	2nd

After discernment by the individuals and with the Board of Elders, all elected SLG Chairs have agreed to serve the 2nd year of their terms.

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## III. OFFICERS

During 2021, the Officers have been:

Position	Name	Appointed/ Elected	Year	Duration	Term
Treasurer	Jonathan Vogan	Elected	2021	2-year	3rd
Asst Treasurer	Grant Frame	Appointed	2021	2-year	
Financial Secretary	Adam Sherr	Elected	2021	2-year	3rd
Asst Financial Secretary	vacant				

After discernment by the individuals involved and with the Board of Elders, the following individuals have agreed to serve the 2nd year of their two-year terms:

**Treasurer:** Jonathan Vogan (3rd Term)  
**Financial Secretary:** Adam Sherr (3rd Term)

The following individuals are appointed by the Elders for a two-year term:

**Asst. Treasurer:** Grant Frame  
**Asst. Financial Secretary:**

#### IV. DELEGATES

During 2021, the Delegates to the following organizations have been:

POWER: Mike Wass  
Pennsylvania Southeast Conference: Beth Walker  
Philadelphia Association of the UCC: Max Staley

After discernment by the individuals involved and with the Board of Elders, the following individuals are nominated for election to a one-year term:

**POWER:**  
**Philadelphia Association of the UCC:**  
**Pennsylvania Southeast Conference:** Beth Walker

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#### V. APPOINTED DIRECTORS

During 2021, the appointed directors have been:

Position	Name	Elected	Duration
Archivists	Nancy Donohue and Robert Schneider	2021	1-year
Community Engagement Director	Elizabeth Walker	2021	1-year
Endowment Manager	Larry Waddell	2021	1-year
Asst Endowment Manager			
Stewardship Director	Suzanne Cole	2021	1-year

After discernment by the individuals involved and with the Board of Elders, the following individuals are to be appointed by the Elders for a one-year term:

**Archivists:** Nancy Donohue, and Robert Schneider  
**Community Engagement Dir.:** Elizabeth Walker  
**Endowment Manager:** Larry Waddell  
**Stewardship Director:** Suzanne Cole

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