

## Vestry Questionnaire

1. Have you accepted Jesus Christ as the Son of God, acknowledged Him as your Savior, and surrendered to Him as Lord of your life? Describe your journey to faith in detail.

(Acts 4:12; John 1:12; John 14:6)

2. Describe in depth why it is that you believe God is calling you to serve on the Vestry of The Church of the Cross. (1 Corinthians 1:26-27; John 15:16; Psalm 127:1)

3. Are you involved in forms of Christian ministry by which you give your time and talents to and through this parish? Is so, please enumerate and describe.

(Romans 12:6; 1 Corinthians 12:7)

4. Have you developed a personal devotional life that includes weekly worship, daily prayer and Bible study, and regular gatherings with a small group of Christians for fellowship, study, prayer and accountability? If so, please describe.

(Mark 1:35, 3:14, 9:2; Matthew 18:19; Luke 4:16; Hebrews 10:24-25)

5. How long have you been committed to thanking God with a tithe (10% of your gross income) for His Kingdom work in and through The Church of the Cross? (Malachi 3:10; Mark 12:41-44)

6. Have you sought opportunities to give verbal witness to your faith, sharing in appropriate ways God's action in Jesus Christ and His work in your life? If so, please describe the most recent instance. (Romans 10:9-10, 14-17; 1 Peter 3:15; Acts 1:8)

7. Have you accepted the responsibility of giving witness to your faith through your living, maintaining a good reputation with all people, and manifesting the fruit of the Spirit in such ways that Christ is glorified? Please describe any struggles you might be having in this area. (1 Timothy 3:2-7; Romans 12:1-2)

8. Are you willing to serve as a servant leader of this congregation, seeking only Christ's will for His Church, and giving more attention to its spiritual life than to its financial and administrative aspects? (Acts 1:21; 1 Corinthians 1:26-31)

9. If elected, what spiritual gifts would you bring to the Vestry and how would you see each of your gifts being utilized? (Romans 12:6-8; 1 Corinthians 12:8-10, 28; Ephesians 4:11)