



SLATE OF CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2023

Chair: Michelle Knowles
Vice-Chair: Doug Valerio
Members-at-large: Jeff MacLeod, Timothy Quek, Richard Martens, Anita Boles

SLATE OF CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE 2023

Bill Stubbs
 Tabitha VandenEnden
 Terry Shuh
 Jeff Martens

NEW CANDIDATES FOR BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2023

Nominee Profiles



Anita Boles: Member-at-Large

- Director, Finance & Operations at WMB Church
- Church Experience: (at various points over many years) prayer usher, home group leader, Leadership Board member, Sunday school teacher, premarital mentor
- Education: Business Administration-Accounting
- Other Experience: Chief Financial & Operations Officer at Emmanuel Bible College; Co-Chair of Women's Crisis Services of Waterloo Region
- Spiritual Gifts: Leadership, Discernment, Wisdom



Richard Martens: Member-at-Large

- Lead Pastor of Glencairn MB Church
- Church Experience: Served in five churches as Associate or Lead pastor since 1988. Ontario MB Conference Minister for 2 years. Current member of PFLT, and past member of NFLT, ONMB Leadership Board, Church Extension Board.
- Education: BTh from Tyndale University
- Spiritual Gifts: Evangelism, Discipling, Encouragement, Teaching



Timothy Quek: Member-at-Large

- Lead Pastor, Pastoral Consultant, Church Conflict Manager; Adjunct Professor; Church Planting; Council Member (Greater Toronto Spiritual Life; Persian Transformational Network)
- Education: Ph.D.; M.A.; B.A. Grip-Birkman Coach; SEAN Trainer; SEUS certification
- Other experience: Private Practice (Counselling); District Executive Committee, Ordination Council, Discipline Committee (C&MA); Chinese Canadian Churches Association, Missions (vice chair)
- Spiritual Gifts: Leadership; Teaching/Preaching; Exhortation; Administration; Discernment

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BOARD MEMBERS FOR RE-ELECTION 2023

Nominee Profiles



Michelle Knowles:
Board Chair

- Pastor, Global Outreach & Theological Development, WMB Church (Waterloo)
- Church Experience: Served on pastoral staff team for thirteen years, member of WMB Church for eighteen years
- Education: MA – Transformational Leadership, Bethel Seminary; BA – Kinesiology & Phys Ed, Wilfrid Laurier University
- Other Experience: Served with the ONMB Board of Directors, 2012-2015 & 2019-present, ONMB Moderator Rep CCMBC Executive Board 2022 – present, Nominations Committee 2017-2019, chaired ONMB governance team, parliamentary teams for provincial and national gatherings, National Assembly task forces, served in leadership with many short-term mission teams, including various programs and events with Multiply
- Spiritual Gifts: Leadership, Discernment, Prophecy, Knowledge



Doug Valerio:
Board Vice-Chair

- Lead Pastor, Manotick Community Church
- Church Experience: Executive Pastor, Small Group Director; Bible College Director and Tutor (Australia); Assistant Pastor (UK)
- Education: MA Christian Studies (Leadership Major) at Alphacrucis University College. Sydney Australia.
- Other Experience: ONMB Board member, Current Secretary for the Manotick Village Community Association; Co-lead Renew-Arts and Theology. Former Secretary/Chaplain for a local Christian Motorcycle Ministry.
- Spiritual Gifts: Teaching, Leadership, Creative



Jeff MacLeod:
Member-at-Large

- Co-Lead Pastor, WMB Church
- Church Experience: pastor with various roles and responsibilities
- Education: DMin in Contextual Theology, Ministerial Diploma (Summit Pacific College), Masters of Divinity (Tyndale Seminary), Addiction Studies Diploma (McMaster University)
- Other Experience/work: led four short term mission opportunities, previous chair of board with Mission Organization in Hamilton, has served, and former board chair, on the ONMB Board of Directors since 2016
- Spiritual Gifts: Leadership, Teaching



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CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATING COMMITTEE 2023

Nominee Profiles



Jeff Martens

- Outreach Pastor & Operations Director – Cornerstone Community Church (NOTL)
- Church Experience: Children and Youth Ministries, Outreach Ministries, Executive Leadership, Pastoral Leadership Team (Current)
- Other Experience/Work: Summer Leadership and Program Development at Camp Crossroads, extended experience in global ministry throughout Asia & Africa
- Educational Background: Capernwray Harbour Bible School, Tyndale University
- Spiritual Gifts: Administration, Teaching, Wisdom



Terry Shuh

- Retired - Business, client relations/sales, active member of WMB (Waterloo site)
- Church Experience: Former Leadership Board Chair, Home Group Leader, Usher/Greeter, Mentor. Two previous terms served with the ONMB Board of Directors
- Spiritual Gifts: Administration, Discernment



Bill Stubbs

- Retired: Formerly Lead Pastor at Glencairn MB Church, Kitchener
- Church Experience: Lead Pastor, Associate Pastor, formerly ONMB Faith & Life Team; currently Team leader of Glencairn's Congregational Care Team
- Education: BSc in Electrical Engineering, Th.M. in Bible Exposition, All classwork completed for D.Min. (dissertation uncompleted)
- Spiritual Gifts: Pastor-Teacher, Helps, Mercies



Tabitha VandenEnden

- Co-Pastor – Grantham MB Church, St. Catharines
- Church Experience: Co-pastor, music & worship leader, children's ministries, outreach ministries
- Education: MA in Theological Studies, Bachelor of Church Music
- Other experience/work: Beacon Christian School Board of Directors, Chapel Coordinator at Canadian Mennonite University, Regional Representative for World Vision Canada, Ministry Team Director at Heritage College & Seminary
- Spiritual Gifts: Teaching, Discernment, Encouragement