

## ELDER CANDIDATE

The Elders are pleased to present the following candidate for affirmation at the October 24, 2021 Fall Members Meeting.



Keith Robinson

Elder

## PRESENTING KEITH ROBINSON

I was honored when asked if I wanted to submit my name for the Council of Elders. During the summer, I prayed and discussed the opportunity with my wife, Rose. I would love to serve God and the Grant Community on the Council of Elders.

Rose and I started attending Grant in 2012 and quickly fell in love with Jesus while taking the Christianity Explored course. Within six months, we made Grant Memorial our home church as we felt it was essential to give back to God's church. Then in June of 2014, we were baptized and became members a month later. Our family and friends needed to understand God's importance in our lives and we wanted to show our commitment to God.

It took us too long to accept God into our lives and commit to serving Him at Grant. Therefore, we started serving at Grant as Hosts wherever we were needed and started attending a Small Group. We then became Table Leaders for Christianity Explored, which has been the most rewarding experience of our lives. We have developed many deep and rewarding friendships and have seen what the Holy Spirit can do when we allow Him in our hearts. This spring, we became the Leaders of Christianity Explored, and brought in some new table leaders, and we loved every moment.

We are blessed to be Small Group Leaders that started with new believers like ourselves and mixed in some more mature believers over the years. We have grown together, and every week is a blessing when we get to share God's Word and grow.

I love where God is leading Grant and would take the responsibility of following the Statement of Faith, Role of the Elder position, and most important the Word of God.

Rose and I have been married for 18 years, and we are blessed to have three children, six grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. The gift of His Son Jesus and Rose have been the greatest gifts that God has provided in my life. We love our family and enjoy studying and sharing God's Word with each other and our family. Being part of Christianity Explored and our Small Group is such a rewarding experience, and we are blessed that God has allowed us the opportunity to share His Word.

