

Higher Calling

We need more people to finish this stage within the PATH. My heart is to see other people besides myself preach, teach, and use their gifts that God has given them. Having said that, your desire to preach or teach must be accompanied with your willingness to go through the process that MHCC has established. We want more leaders, teachers and preachers, but we need people who have the character of Christ to practice their gifts of leading, teaching and preaching.

If you want to: A) Preach or teach a class B) Lead a bible study C) Operate as a Pastor within the church D) To be a ministry leader or lead a new ministry within the church:

1. Take all the classes in P (Partnering), A (Activating your Faith), and T (Training) (refer to Class List for PATH).
2. Complete the Leadership Application.
3. We will do the following background checks: criminal and sex offender.
4. You are required to listen to the 5 Qualities of a WOW Leader, a minimum of 3 times and answer the written questions.
5. You are required to read “Becoming a Leader by Myles Munroe” and answer the questions.
6. You will meet with the Pastors and Elders of the church for an interview. Even if you have completed all of the necessary requirements to be a leader, this does not guarantee that you will get the position that you are seeking. Here is a list of things that we will be looking at in addition to completing the required classes:
 - A. Have you demonstrated the **5 qualities of a WOW leader** or are you improving on these qualities? (click on link to learn more about the 5 qualities of a WOW leader)
 - B. We want to ask whatever leader you have served under within the church their opinion of you in regards to a leadership position. We are not looking for someone to be perfect, but to display Godly character within that ministry.
 - C. We want to see if you manage your household well. We understand that there may be circumstances outside of your control, but have you been a Godly example in what you can control?
 - D. We want to basically look at your overall life and see if you line up with what it takes to be a teacher of others. Here are the qualifications in accordance with God’s standards to be in a leadership positions. Review these and ask the Holy Spirit to help you in any area of weakness.
 - First Timothy 3:1-7: Must be without reproach, A husband of one wife, Self-controlled, Sober-minded, Orderly, Hospitable, Able to teach, Not a drunkard, Not violent but gentle, Not quarrelsome, Not a lover of money, Must manage his own household well, with all dignity keeping his children submissive, Must not be a recent convert, Moreover, must be well thought of by outsiders
 - Titus 1:5-9: Above reproach, A husband of one wife, His children are believers not open to the charge of debauchery or insubordination. Not arrogant, Not quick-tempered, Not a drunkard, Not violent, Not greedy for gain, Hospitable, A lover of good, Self-controlled, Upright, Holy, Disciplined, Must hold firm to the trustworthy word as taught.