

## **The Officer Nominating Committee Requests Nominations!**

The Officer Nominating Committee (ONC) will soon begin its process of discernment to identify the next class of Elders and Deacons to lead the church. Elders are the church officers who exercise governance, leadership, spiritual discernment and discipline, and have responsibilities for the life of the church. Deacons serve the congregation in ministries of compassion, witness, service and fellowship. Terms of service are three years and will begin January 2025.

The ONC's directive is to establish a class of Elders and Deacons that mirrors the diversity of our church membership. This request to all church participants expands the ONC reach in support of Montview's mission of creating a more diverse and inclusive congregation.

If you or someone you know might be a good fit for either of these roles, Elder or Deacon, please let us know. Email committee chair Carrie Hanson at [carriehanson.denver@gmail.com](mailto:carriehanson.denver@gmail.com). Please put "ONC candidate" in the subject line. Include the individual's name, the role for which you think they are best suited, and a brief description of why you believe they are a good fit. **Please provide your ideas by May 19.**