

Press Release

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SUBJECT: Appointment of New Member to the Judicial Conduct Board

HARRISBURG, PA -- The Judicial Conduct Board of Pennsylvania is pleased to announce that the Supreme Court recently appointed Reverend Dr. Alyn E. Waller as a lay member to the twelvemember Board. His term runs from November 7, 2024 through November 6, 2028.

The Judicial Conduct Board is an independent body of Pennsylvania citizens that comprises three judges, three attorneys, and six non-lawyer electors. Half of the Board members are appointed by the Governor and half by the Supreme Court. The Board's members serve four-year terms, without pay, and no more than half of its appointed members may be from the same political party.



Revivalist, vocalist, lecturer and social activist, the Reverend Dr. Alyn E. Waller is the Senior Pastor of Enon Tabernacle Baptist Church in Northwest Philadelphia. As the Senior Pastor since 1994, the church has grown to over 15,000 members, 15 full time staff and 100 ministries that take a holistic approach to addressing the issues that congregants face on a daily basis.

Prior to the pandemic, Pastor Waller ministered to his members at 3 services, 2 at the Cheltenham campus and 1 at the Germantown campus. However, modern technology allows Pastor to use a hybrid approach for 2 worship services for those that are virtual as well as those that prefer in person worship.

In addition, being unapologetically "Youth Oriented", Dr. Waller has created the Young Abrahams, a ministry that pairs young boys, ages 7-12, with men who provide assistance with academics, social skills and guidance that will help them to build a firm foundation for the future.

And the Young Abrahams love the interaction with Pastor Waller and the fact that they can "jump the line" on Sunday after service to speak with Pastor Waller.

Pastor Waller is an Ohio native who earned a Bachelor's Degree in Music Business from Ohio University, a Master of Divinity Degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Ministry in Ministry to Marriage and Family from Palmer Theological Seminary.

His partner in marriage and ministry is Dr. Ellyn Jo Waller, who leads the Women's Ministry and a mother to their two daughters, Elynn Morgan and Eryka Lynn. In closing, Pastor Waller's goal is to ensure that Enon will always be "A Place Where People Encounter God"!!

Created by constitutional amendment in 1993, the Judicial Conduct Board of Pennsylvania is an independent board within the judicial branch of the Commonwealth's government responsible for reviewing, investigating, and, where warranted, prosecuting complaints of judicial misconduct. If the Board, by majority vote, decides that there is probable cause to believe that a judge engaged in misconduct, the Board may file a complaint in the Court of Judicial Discipline where the Board must prove the charges against the judge by clear and convincing evidence. The Court of Judicial Discipline decides if the Board has sustained its burden of proof and also decides the sanction to be imposed upon the judge for any proven misconduct.

For further information about the Judicial Conduct Board, please visit the Board's Website at www.jcbpa.org.

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