

**Nomination Form  
Benton United Methodist Church Leadership  
For The Class 2020**

This form is an application for consideration. We receive more applications than there are available positions, so an application does not guarantee a position. It is the job of the Nominations Committee to evaluate all applications and recommend a slate that provides balance regarding age, gender, and ethnicity. An official slate of nominees will be presented to the Church Council for adoption during the September Church Council meeting. **Please turn in this form no later than Sunday, August 13, 2017.**

This process of considering a role of Christian leadership is one of discernment. To be considered, please complete this form and turn in by Sunday, August 13, 2017. Thank you for your consideration of serving Benton UMC.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I am interested in (check all that apply)**

- Nominations Committee
  - Staff-Parish Committee
  - Board of Trustees
  - Finance Committee
  - Lay Delegate to the Louisiana Annual Conference
  - Mission and Ministry Teams -Please list: \_\_\_\_\_
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**How many years have you been a member of Benton United Methodist Church?** \_\_\_\_\_

**I am fulfilling the expectations of membership by (check all that apply)**

- Worshipping regularly
- Participating in an activity outside of worship, such as small group, to grow my faith.
- Actively serving in a ministry, according to my gifts.
- Giving financially in proportion to my income with the goal of tithing.

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**After reviewing the committee descriptions and the servant covenant, are you able to commit to the following in 2018?**

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|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Regular attendance at meetings        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Arriving prepared at meetings?        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Participating during meetings?        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Taking on outside work from meetings? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

**(over)**

**Why do you desire to serve in this ministry role?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**List ministry area in which you have been involved. Please briefly indicate any particular joys or challenges you experienced as you serve in these roles.** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please list programs or ministry which have helped prepare you for a role of spiritual leadership. (Note: specific expertise is not always required. Instead the Nominations Committee seeks an appropriate balance of skills and background for each committee.)**

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**Please list any professional or personal experiences, skills or expertise you bring to this position. (Note: specific expertise is not always required. Instead the Nominations Committee seeks an appropriate balance of skills and background for each committee.)** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Have you been involved in other churches or not-for-profits in the past? If so, please list most recent.**

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Thank you for your interest in serving as an elected leader at Benton United Methodist Church. The positions listed are just one way to serve. If you are interested in serving in other ways please feel free to contact the church office at (318) 965-2273.