# **Leadership Team Nomination Criteria**

Individuals nominated for the Leadership Team should be 25 years old, be an immersed believer, and demonstrate the marks of a true Christian (Romans 12:9-21).

## Marks of the True Christian

Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be wise in your own sight. Repay no one evil for evil, but give thought to do what is honorable in the sight of all. If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, "Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord." To the contrary, "if your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink; for by so doing you will heap burning coals on his head." Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

So what does this look like at the Village Christian Church?

### Life Change:

- Attends church faithfully
- Desires to be a role model for others
- Shares faith with others
- Nurtures family in the faith

#### Life Growth:

- Participates in a Lifegroup
- Commits to studying God's Word
- Seeks God in prayer
- Spends time with believers

#### Life Purpose:

- Volunteers to serve in ministries at the Village
- Participates in mission activities
- Seeks ways to serve others through leadership roles
- Supports the work of the church financially