

Elder Reaffirmations 2018/2019



Andy Allard

Loyal. Diplomatic. Persistent.

Andy has his family began attending Sherwood Oaks in 2008. He serves as an Elder and as a Group Leader for The Middle, our 6th-8th grade ministry. Andy accepted Jesus on April 14, 1979.

He and his wife, Kim, have been married since 1991 and have two daughters, Madeleine and Lydia. Andy loves to run marathons and half marathons and even enjoys the training process to do these long runs. He and his family love vacations to Hilton Head and consider it a second home. When he's not at work or volunteering with Habitat for Humanity, you'll probably find Andy at Janko's or the Uptown Cafe.

Favorite Verse: 1 Corinthians 9:24-27.



Todd Anderson

Compassionate. Kind. Quiet.

Todd and his family first began attending Sherwood Oaks in 1997. Todd serves as an elder, as part of the Global Outreach Team, and on the Production Ministry. He and wife Lisa (a registered dietitian and nurse) have two sons, Wes (married to Elisha) and Taylor.

Todd also serves as a board member for Asian Children's Mission, and has traveled on outreach trips to Myanmar, Cambodia and India. He enjoys visiting National & State Parks and hiking, and loves to take a Tour Bus across the US and Europe. When he's not working or serving in one of his various ministry roles, you can find Todd at the Pourhouse.

Favorite Verse: 1 John 4:9-10



Larry Page

Organized. Focused. Kind.

Larry and his family have been at Sherwood Oaks since 1993. He enjoys his role as an Elder and serving on the Facilities Team. If he's not at the church, he loves being on his farm, where there is always work to do. He has an engineering consulting business he has done since retiring a few years ago.

He and his wife, Dawana enjoy getting away to Sarasota as often as possible and love when their kids Meredith & Garrett and their families can join them. Meredith and Casey have one daughter, Caroline. Garrett and Emily are the proud parents of four: Aubree, Bryce, Caitlyn and Dilynn.

Favorite Verse: 2 Peter 1



Don Rader

Calm. Dedicated. Servant.

Don has been an elder for 14 years, helping lead and shepherd the Sherwood Oaks congregation. He loves to be at home with his wife, Libby, and hanging out with his kids and grandkids.

Don says the Bible is his favorite book and he loves to vacation to Florida and the Smokey Mountains.

Favorite Verse: Romans 12:1

Deacon Reaffirmations 2018/2019



Brian Oeding

Mind. Body. Soul.

Brian and his wife, Karen have been a part of Sherwood Oaks since 1999. In addition to being a Deacon, Brian serves as a Global Outreach Leadership Team member, Annual International Furniture Giveaway Volunteer Coordinator & Webservant, with the 8:00am Communion/Offering Ministry, and leads or supports various service projects (e.g., Carefest, Hannah Center, Wheeler Missions, Habitat).

Some of his favorite things include his wife, family & friends, & dog. Racquetball, hiking & volunteering. Experiencing new places and activities. Non-sushi Asian restaurants & good Steakhouses (e.g., LongHorn). He loves podcasts, especially regarding economics, church history, leadership, and new ideas or discoveries and movies that contain Sci-Fi, Action Adventure and/or Romantic Comedy that are rated PG or less. A variety of music styles (e.g., Classical Instrumental, Swing, Blues, Dixieland Jazz, Big Band, Cajun, Zydeco, Reggae, Celtic, Classic Rock, Bluegrass, Christmas, and some old & new female vocalists).

Favorite Verses: Proverbs & Ecclesiastes; Matthew 25:34-40; Matthew 5:3-11; Matthew 6:33-34 and Revelation 22.



Elan Rajamani

Coffee. Books. Computers.

Elan has been a deacon since 2006, and has attended Sherwood Oaks since 2003. He teaches the International Coffee Hours on Sundays, is part of the Global Outreach Team, and leads the International Furniture Give-Away every year. Elan and his wife, Rani, have been married since 1993 and have three great kids: Prasad, Sejal, and Kiran.

If he's not working with International Students or with his family, you can probably find him at the Indiana Memorial Union, the Pourhouse Cafe, or at Starbucks. He also fills his days watching his kids on the track or at the soccer fields. Elan enjoys books by Donald Bloesch and NT Wright, as well as *The Power of Habit* by Charles Duhigg and *A Theology of the New Testament* by George E Ladd.

Favorite Verses: Matthew 6:33; Leviticus 19:33-34



Scott Todd

Dependable. Friendly. Musical.

Scott serves with the Deacons, plays piano and bass guitar and leads a 5th grade Boys small group on Sundays. He and his wife, Beth, have three boys of their own - Zachary, Owen and Carter - and have been at Sherwood Oaks for years.

Aside from family time, he loves to play and practice music (piano and bass). He says that it's amazing that even after having played for most of his life, he can still learn something new each time he plays. The family also enjoys spending time on Hilton Head Island, and finding new adventures together.

Favorite Verse: 1 Timothy 4:8

New Deacon Candidate 2018/2019



Michael Carmin

Hard-working. Determined. Loyal.

Michael and his family have been attending Sherwood Oaks since 1985! Michael currently teaches and helps out in the 3-year-old Sunday school class and serves communion regularly. Michael also serves as a trustee for Sherwood Oaks and as a Deacon (as of 2018).

Michael and his wife, Lisa, have been married for 39 years and have four children, Kristen, Jennifer, Lauren and Andrew. They also have two grandchildren. When Michael is not working at his law firm, he loves deer hunting, gardening, reading, and snorkeling.

Favorite Verse: Micah 6:8