#### 2023 VICE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

### Name:

Mitchell Foley

### Family Data:

Spouse: Cheryl Foley

Two children - a daughter who is finishing university and a son graduating from high school in 2024

#### **Date of Ordination:**

October 16, 2011 at Pleasantville Baptist Church

## **Educational History (degrees, schools, dates)**

Acadia Divinity College Wolfville, NS Sept 2009 - Dec 2010 No Program Divinity

Tyndale Theological Seminary Fort Worth, TX Sept 1994 - June 1998 Master of Arts / Master of Theology

New Brunswick Bible Institute Victoria Corner, NB Sept 1990 - April 1994 Advanced Biblical Ministries Diploma

### **Ministry History (in order from first to present)**

Student Intern // Full time Sept 1993 - Apr 1994 Parkside Baptist Church, Moncton, NB

Director of Youth and Children's Ministries // Full time Sept 1999 - Jul 2001 Faith Baptist Church, Sydney, NS

Solo Pastor // Full time Sept 2001 - May 2011 Cumberland Bay Baptist Church, Cumberland Bay, NB

Solo Pastor // Full time May 2011 - June 2022 Pleasantville Baptist Church, Pleasantville, NS Senior Pastor // Full time July 2023 - Present Corner Brook Baptist Church, Corner Brook, NL

## CBAC and Association Leadership (boards, committees, projects, etc.)

Missions Council Team Member Queens-Sunbury Association 2008-2011 (unsure of actual years)

Vice-Moderator October 2016-Oct 2018 Lunenburg-Queens Baptist Association

Moderator Oct 2018 - Oct 2020 Lunenburg-Queens Baptist Association, NS

Licensing Committee 2019 - June 2022 (unsure of exact time) Lunenburg-Queens Baptist Association, NS

Examining Council 2020-2021 Representative for Lunenburg-Queen Baptist Association, NS

# Involvement in civic groups, community leadership, etc.

South Shore African Education Society Founding Board Member Mar 2018 - July 2022 Bridgewater, NS

School Advisory Council Chair for six years Sept 2011 - June 2022 Hebbville Academy Hebbville, NS

Chaplain Apr 2009 - Apr 2011 Cumberland Bay Fire Department Cumberland Bay, NB

Parent School Support Committee Sept 2005 - Apr 2011 Chipman Elementary School Chipman, NB Rural Small Schools Project Team Sept 2005 - Mar 2006 District Education Council 17, NB Oromocto, NB

Sprint (Now known as Pioneers) July 1993 Missions trip to Brazil

## Honours and awards (special recognition received)

Community Service Award
December 1, 2015
Pleasantville & District Fire Department

Any other information you want delegates to know about your qualifications
I was saved at six years of age. I attended and graduated from a Christian school. I
worked at various jobs for a while in fishing and farming, but realized that what I most
wanted was to work in a church setting. My primary spiritual gifts would be teaching and
administration. I enjoy bridging the gap between the world of the Bible and the world
today. I have a huge interest in apologetics and looking at the evidences for God, for the
Bible, and for faith and how these things are needed in our culture today.

I value effective structures that provide safety and integrity to ministry organizations in order to advance the mission. I actually enjoy reading about policy governance, parliamentary procedures, and working on documents such as bylaws and policies.

I also firmly believe in our identity as Atlantic Baptists, and that our Baptist distinctives are important still for today. The first paragraph in the old church covenant that was adopted by many of our churches talks about salvation, baptism, and then entering into a covenant with one another. This process is so simple, yet so profound as it captures our identity as Baptists. I believe our distinctives are the anchor we need in a changing world. With God's help, I look forward to serving our CBAC family.