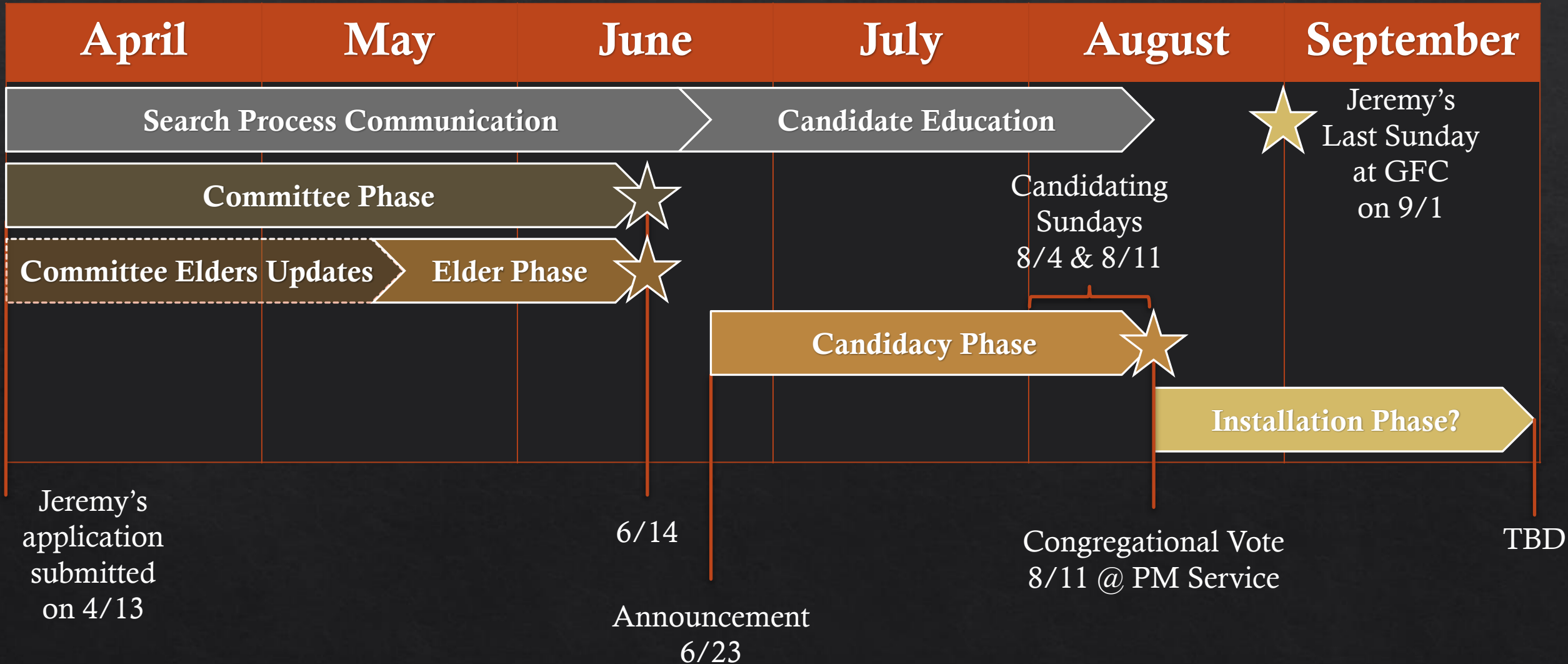


Pastoral Search Process

Phase	Committee Setup	Committee Review	Elder Review	Candidacy	Installation
Steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elders start committee Elders select committee members Introductory meeting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss application and answers Review sermons and references Meet applicant and spouse 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review all documents Listen to sermons Determine final offer <p><i>Note: Started during committee review</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preach at least two sermons Submit and defend statement of faith Complete candidacy week 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete service at current church Calling and laying on of hands by Elders Move to Meridian
Needed for next phase	Wait for Applicant Submissions	8 of 9 members must vote affirmative	Unanimous vote to call & introduction to congregation	At least 85%* of MFBC Members vote affirmative	
Results	Jeremy submitted application on 4/13/2024	Unanimous vote of affirmation on 6/14/2024	Unanimous vote to call on 6/14/2024	TBD on 8/11/2024 during PM Service	

Pastoral Search Process Timeline



Candidacy Week Calendar

Host a meal and fellowship

Please consider hosting a fellowship meal for the Cagle's with a couple families from church. Meal spaces are limited. Please signup in the foyer as soon as possible.

First Preaching Sunday

- **Sunday 8/4**
 - Preach AM Service
 - Sunday School
 - Pot Luck Lunch
 - Preach PM Service
 - PM Ice Cream Social

Engage in the weeks activities

- Monday 8/5 – Men's Bible Study @ 5:30pm
- Tuesday 8/6 – Joy Group @ TBD
- Wednesday 8/7
 - Men's Bible Study @ 9:00am
 - Youth Group @ 7:00pm
- Thursday 8/8 – Women's Bible Study @ TBD
- Saturday 8/10
 - Men's Bible Study @ 8:00am
 - Doctrinal Exam @ 10:00am

Second Preaching Sunday

- Sunday 8/11
 - Preach AM Service
 - Sunday School
 - Pot Luck Lunch
 - Devotional PM Service
- Member Vote during Evening Service
 - Absentee voting options available for members