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## **A Breath of Praise Church Celebrates the Ordination of Pastor Dr. Pepper Dill as Elder**

Brownwood, Texas — A Breath of Praise Church of Brownwood proudly announces the ordination of Pastor Dr. Pepper Dill as an Elder within the ministry, recognizing his years of faithful service, spiritual leadership, ministry experience, and dedication to serving both the church and the Brownwood community.

Known affectionately throughout the community as “Dr. Pepper,” Pastor Dill’s unique nickname comes from both his academic and personal background. He earned his Ph.D. in Speech Communication, and with the last name “Dill,” many began humorously referring to him as “Dr. Pepper Dill” — a name that has remained with him throughout years of ministry and community involvement.

Pastor Dill brings a broad range of ministry, educational, and professional experience to his leadership role. Prior to focusing primarily on ministry work in Brown County, he served in Christian Higher Education as both a professor and administrator, helping educate and mentor students in communication, leadership, and ministry-related disciplines.

His connection to the Brownwood and Bangs communities spans decades. Pastor Dill previously worked in the area during the early 1990s before later returning to Brown County around 2010 to serve at First Baptist Church of Bangs. Since that time, he has continued investing in ministry, outreach, leadership development, and community engagement throughout the region.

In addition to ministry leadership, Pastor Dill is also a licensed real estate agent with Texas Goldstar Real Estate, where he serves Brown County and surrounding communities. Church leadership noted that his strong community relationships and servant-minded approach have helped him connect with people from many different backgrounds and walks of life.

Pastor Dill is married to Debby Dill, a librarian at Howard Payne University and published author. Together, they have remained actively involved in ministry, education, encouragement, and service within the community.

Church leadership described the ordination as both a recognition of faithful service and an affirmation of spiritual leadership.

“Ordination is not simply a title,” leadership shared. “It is a recognition of dedication, spiritual maturity, character, leadership, and a calling to serve God’s people. Pastor Dr. Pepper Dill has consistently demonstrated those qualities through his ministry, leadership, and heart for people.”

Throughout his ministry journey, Pastor Dill has been known for:

- Passionate and engaging preaching

- Community-focused ministry outreach
- Revival leadership and support
- Mentorship and discipleship
- Encouraging spiritual growth and unity
- Dedication to serving others with humility and compassion

Pastor Dill expressed gratitude and humility regarding the ordination.

“It is truly an honor to continue serving God’s people in this capacity,” Pastor Dill shared. “My prayer is to continue helping people grow closer to God, strengthen families, encourage the community, and support the vision God has placed before this ministry.”

The ordination service was celebrated among church leadership, members, family, friends, and supporters as a meaningful milestone in the continued growth and development of A Breath of Praise Church.

A Breath of Praise Church remains committed to serving the Brownwood community through worship, outreach, revival services, teaching, discipleship, and ministry development.

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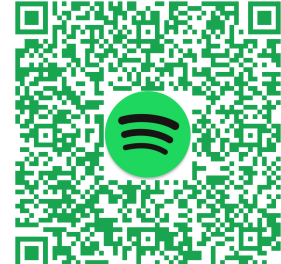
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