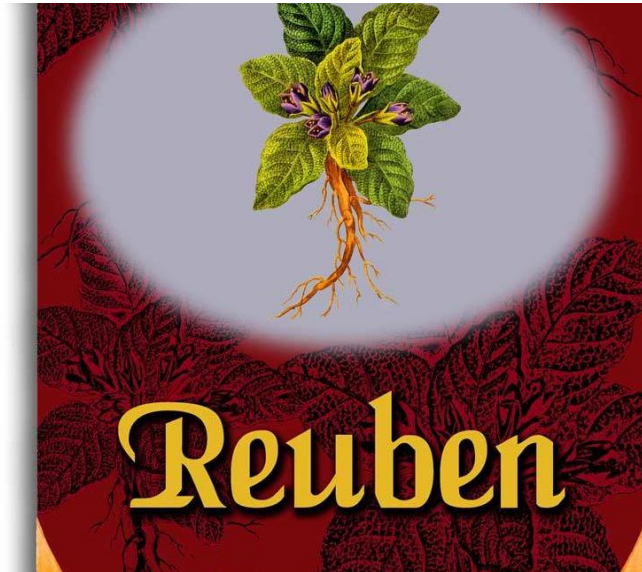


# Tribe of Reuben



**Trustees**

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Genesis 49:3

The Major Prophet, Major 1, Prophet Shepherd Bushiri introduced the Tribe of Reuben in the Prophetic Manual Volume 3, on page 43. He stated, “The Tribe of Reuben is made of loyal elders and leaders who have been there with me from many years back to this day.” The prophet goes on saying “by virtue of having been there for many years, they are not just financiers of the ministry, instead I refer to this group as trustees.”

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## Mission

The Tribe of Reuben is a core partner to the Major Prophet. The members are stewards who assist the prophet and concentrate on the business affairs of ECG. Doing so allows the Prophet to concentrate on the fulfillment of his mission. Members of the Reuben Tribe must be very spiritual-minded people of God, always dependent on God to provide guidance in decisions that need to be made regarding the church, the ministry, and the community. They are accountable to God.

## Purpose

The tribe of Reuben functions as stewards of the mission and properties God has entrusted to ECG. This includes supporting and promoting the Major Prophets, mission, supervising and maintaining both the physical property of the congregation and gifts made to the

congregation so that the ministries of the congregation can be effective. They also handle all legal requirements related to the Ministry and properties to make sure they are satisfied. Trustees of the Enlightened Christian Gathering Church support the Prophet and the ministry by:

1. Overseeing the gathering of all necessary means needed to advance the Major Prophet's mission
2. Overseeing the maintenance and care of church properties.
3. Managing the fiscal operations
4. Serving as legal custodians
5. Promoting the unity of the body of Christ within ECG and beyond

# Principles

The tribe of Reuben is committed to carrying the burden of the ministry and the mission with the Major Prophet.

The following Bible Principles outline some useful guidelines including:

1. We are “undershepherds” jointly under the Great Shepherd. 1 Peter 5:1-4
2. We all serve because of the Grace and faithfulness of God. 1 Timothy 1: 15-16
3. We are first a family, not just leaders of an organization. 1 John 3:16-18
4. Together, we serve with different gifts. However, we are united with a common calling and identity. 1 Corinthians 12:4-7
5. we are called to be means of grace to each other. In 1 Peter 4:10-12
6. My brother is part of my calling: Act 16

7. We are all called for a common purpose: Act  
16.

## Members

The Tribe of Reuben comprises the followings

- Pioneer with the Major prophet, Major 1
- Elders
- Leaders
- Trustees

These members are personally selected by the Major  
Prophet.

# Action Points

The Tribe must work in accordance with the major  
Prophet





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