**Business Meeting Minutes**

***March 2, 2025***

**10:30am**

* + Prayer
		- Opened with prayer from Ronnie Guinn
	+ Reports
		- Minutes – Bro David McFerron
			* Business meeting minutes from Dec 8, 2024 were provided to church body and approved by motion (Bill Bonds), seconded (Todd Sherrill) and carried by church vote
		- Finance – Bro David McFerron
			* Reviewed the current finance report which was proved to the church body.
			* No Questions
			* Approved by motion (Kenny Hill), seconded (Ronnie Guinn) and carried by church vote.
	+ Old Business – Bro David McFerron
		- Long Range Planning Update
			* Still working through the question of expanding current sanctuary or building.
			* Bids are open for this.
	+ New Business – Denny Jobe
		- Vote: Recommendation from Teachers and Officers Nominating Team
			* Nominate Allie Collier & Maddie Adcock as VBS Co-Directors
			* Carried by church vote.
		- Vote: Recommendation from Deacons & Stewardship Team
			* Add a full-time pastoral staff position
			* Much discussion and many questions around job role and responsibilities of discipleship and connections, Children’s Ministry needs, volunteer burnout, time frames for search committee, and congregation meeting and hearing individual in view of a call to MVBC.
		- Staff Announcement
			* Bro Barrie O’Bannon is stepping down from Youth pastor position as early as June 1, 2025.
		- Meeting had to be adjourned until after second service to address additional questions and concerns.
		- Reconvene @12:15pm – Denny Jobe
			* Recommendation on the table to add a full-time pastoral staff position as Student leader.
			* With Barrie’s resignation there will be a second pastor position open for a total of 2 Assoc Pastors. Complete job role descriptions have not been clarified.
			* Additional discussion and many questions outstanding with the knowledge that the church needs to grow His Kingdom in our community.
			* Carried by church vote.
	+ Membership – Bro David McFerron
		- * Accept - Approved by motion (Derek Hawkins), second (Betsy Davies) and carried by church vote.
			* Tonya Beene (baptism)
			* Deklynn Harris (baptism)
			* AJ & Ashley Harris (letter)
			* Shelly & Phoenix Balderas (letter)
	+ Adjourn | Closing Prayer – Justin Knight
		- * Approved by motion (Denny Jobe), seconded (Josh Brockinton) and carried by church vote.