

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Richmond, Kentucky

September 21, 2008

MINUTES OF THE CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

July 20, 2008

The meeting was called to order by Lance Neal, Moderator, at 1:00 p.m., 77 members attending.

Motion to approve the agenda as presented seconded and passed.

The minutes of the following business meetings were approved as presented:

March 16, 2008, regular business meeting

April 20, 2008, special called business meeting to call Rev. Steve Coleman as Youth Minister

May 18, 2008, special called business meeting to discuss the proposed changes to Sunday morning Sunday School and worship services

June 1, 2008 special called business meeting to vote on proposed changes to Sunday morning Sunday School and worship services.

ORGANIZATIONAL REPORTS

MISSIONS COMMITTEE by Erv Yoder

Mr. Yoder reviewed the projects First Baptist Church has participated in during the previous quarter. He then listed the upcoming projects that will be available for members to work in during the rest of 2008. Those people interested in Disaster Relief work, must take the Disaster Relief Training offered by the Tates Creek Association. Mr. Yoder's complete report is attached at the end of these official minutes.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT by Pam Jones

Ms. Jones used a PowerPoint presentation to report the current financial situation of First Baptist Church. II Chronicles 3:10 was used as the theme of the report. We have a surplus in our operating position and we are 97.3% of plan which is excellent. This is a great improvement over 2007. Year-to-Date we have a surplus of \$88,318 whereas in 2007 we had a deficit of \$69,325.

A copy of the PowerPoint presentation is attached at the end of these official minutes.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT distributed with agenda

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Request for Church Letter:

Phillip and Carole Beckwith from White Hall Baptist Church, Richmond, KY
Kelly Brown from Florence Baptist Church
Scott, Lorna, Lacy, and Leslie Crane from Emmanuel Baptist Church, Berea, KY
Steve and Virginia Falkenberg from Northwood Church, Keller, TX
Timmy and Linda Fielder from Grand Island Baptist Church, Grand Island, FL
Neville and Pamliie Lyons from Theresa Baptist Church, Roxboro, NC
Daniel, Susan, Joe, Lily, Hannah, and Isabella Roberts from Heritage Baptist Church,
Lexington, KY
Jeff, Kathy, and Graham Hoover from Central Baptist Church, Warner Robins, GA

Letters granted.

Other Correspondence

There was a request for removal of name for three individuals. However, the requests did not come from the individuals themselves. After a brief discussion on how to handle this, a motion was made to table the requests until the individuals could be contacted to verify their wishes in this matter.

Motion seconded and passed.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Nancy Garriott, Church Clerk

Explanation of Phases

Detailed report is attached at the end of the official minutes.

A verbal or written report was presented at the business meeting. A summary is contained in the minutes. The complete/detailed report is on file with the clerk's minutes. Available in the Church Office during normal business hours.

Filed with the Clerk. Attached at the end of these minutes.

Report was not presented at the Business Meeting. A copy of the entire report is attached at the end of the minutes distributed to attendees.