

Gospel Light Family Meeting **(3/15/26)**

Meeting began at 9:00 am

Church Covenant Reading

Prayer (Dave Kush)

Ministry Updates

Membership (Luke Bylsma)

- Pray for these members who are going through suffering/changes and send them encouragement: Gail Dawes (caring for family), Donna Fynbo (health), Paula Gomez (send encouragement), Dave Gomez (who is celebrating in heaven with us), Landon Gomez (attending another church with his wife, Heather), Maddie and Matt Murdock (moved to FL; pray as they look for a church).

Finances (Luke Bylsma)

- Official financial report linked below
 - <https://id21216.securedata.net/fsbcsl/menu-meetings.html>
- 16.16% of the year has passed
- Review current financial summary for 2026:
 - YTD total offerings, church spending, and budget for the year.
 - Reviewed the budget which is on trajectory for the year.
 - Reviewed off-budget summary - left over money balance from the parking lot has been distributed to other projects around the church.

- Reviewed resource summary and investments that help grow the church's income.
- Reviewed the total of all accounts: major repairs, children's and ministry home renovations, general funds and the other churches funds.
- Reviewed budget for the roof project - that will begin next month and will cost \$5500.

Deacons and Trustees (Luke Bylsma)

- Phil and Lydia Shiver will be moving back out East due to family situations. A couple, Lee and Kelli will be moving here on April 4th to be a part of our church and will move into the Shiver's home.
- Potential residential candidate from Arkansas.

Missions (Jared Jenkins)

- Reviewed the church mission statement and thanked the Lord for all the missions teams that have come out to help with GLC.
- Jared, with Ashley Smith, are pursuing the Prayer on the Porch, a new missions team to GLC and are hoping to include them in rotation of missions.
- A team from Greenville will be coming out next week to help pass out Easter invitations throughout Rose Park.
- 4 college students will be serving here at GLC during the summer interning. Pray for those students who will be serving here for 8 weeks, as they raise their funds to come to UT, and for them to be strengthened in the Lord while they are here.

Church Ministries (Ben Henderson & Jared Jenkins)

- Hoping to use the ministry home for interns, future residents, and as an emergency housing for members.

- Will begin providing separate infant and toddler nurseries starting on Easter Sunday.
- Encouraged church to participate and serve on Easter Sunday.
- Reviewed serve tour and prayer on the porch/mobile service, being led by Ashley Smith. Asked for prayer and volunteers.
- Teaming up with Aaron Boyce on Rose park ministries.
- Encouraged members to attend and participate in the Rose Park festival on May 16th.
- Reviewed summer ministries - church in the park (June 17th) and block party (June 20th), plant camp (June 15th-20), kids week (July 20-24).

Pastoral Candidacy (Luke Bylsma)

- Alex Morrison is on track for May 9th ordination and there will be a Q&A on April 12th at GLC. Encouraged the church to pray for Alex and Anna as they are preparing for this ordination.

Read Romans 10:13-15

Broke up into prayer groups and prayed over GLC summer ministries.

Prayer (Dave Kush)

Meeting ended at 9:45am

Minutes taken by Anna Hargis