

Gospel Light Family Meeting **(6/28/26)**

Meeting began at 9:00 am

Church Covenant Reading

Prayer

Ministry Updates

Membership (Luke Bylsma)

- 17 new members have been added in the last few months
- 103 current members
- The Shivers and the Murdocks are still looking for new local churches after recently moving
- Vote to remove Landon Star from membership
- Encouragement to pray through the directory and reach out to people we haven't seen

Finances (Will Sutton)

- Official financial report linked below
 - <https://id21216.securedata.net/fsbcs1/menu-meetings.html>
- 47.40 % of the year has passed (Jan 1-June 22)
- 46% of budget currently used
- Review current financial summary for 2026
- \$150,464 total of all accounts
 - Began the year with \$128,093
 - \$22,371 change since beginning of the year
- **Proposed changes**
 - **To give \$4,000 to our summer interns (\$1,000 to each)**

- **To move \$10,000 from general fund to major repair and replacement fund (for our strategic building initiative)**
- **To move \$10,000 from general fund to ministry home fund**

Building Updates (Luke Bylsma)

- Big picture future plans for our building and property
- Ministry home
 - Use for interns, future ministry residents, emergency housing needs
 - The basement needs work (flooring, plumbing, dry wall)
 - Cost of housing is high in Utah but the ministry home is completely paid off which makes it a wonderful resource
 - The roof was recently replaced through ServeTour
 - The electrical was recently updated
 - 3 mission teams are currently planning to come help with the home
 - A team in August will focus on painting and trim
 - A church from Georgia will put in a new kitchen
 - A team in October will focus on the basement
 - Use current momentum to keep investing in the ministry house
- **Verbal motion to approve the transfer of \$24,000 funds**
 - **Motion Approved**

Pastoral Updates (Luke Bylsma)

- Currently finishing up a study in Genesis and will begin Titus this Fall

- Luke is praying about going back to school to pursue a Doctoral of Ministry in Biblical Counseling at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary

Rhythms (Alex Morrison)

- Rhythm of “Serving on Teams”
- Current areas of need
 - Projection team
 - Design of sermon slides
 - Kids ministry
 - Nursery
 - Teaching Kids Church
 - Teaching Sunday School
 - Kids Week in July

Closing (Nic Higgins)

- Philippians 1:27
- Growth carries stewardship

1. Remain unified

- Unity is not uniformity
- Growth reveals what already exists
- Unity doesn't happen naturally

2. Remain encouraged during a lifetime of service

- The life of a Believer is one of lifelong service

3. Remain faithful to the gospel

- Remember that we are sent into the world with hope

Pray in small groups

Meeting ended at 9:52 am

Minutes taken by Claire Sanderson