

# Minutes for Deacons Meeting, June 3, 2018

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**Deacon Sign in and Fellowship: 12:00- 12:20 (enjoy your meal while the meeting begins)**

**Call Meeting to order: 12:20 – Steve Kirby**

**Opening Prayer – Dr. Kevin Head**

**Welcome & Opening Remarks – Steve Kirby, We are grateful for all the Deacon's collectively "working together". *James 2:22 You see that his faith and his actions are working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did.***

- **May minutes approval** – May Minutes were approved as distributed.
- **Updates from Hospitality Team – Elsie Kittrell**
- **Other Announcements** – Gene Kimbrell made a report on the golf tournament for missions. It will be June 4 at Brookfield West Country Club. Currently there are over 100 golfers registered, which may raise upwards of 35k for Church missions. Thanks to the Church for making this such a great event.

**Minister of Spiritual Development Search Update- Daryl Robinson** – Since last month, after going through more than 60 resumes, this committee has narrowed the search to 5-6 candidates. They are all commendable applicants. The final interviews are projected for next weekend. The goal is to present a candidate to the church in the next few months. Please ask Daryl if you have further questions.

**Music Minister Search Update – Rita Loadholt** – Whitney Appenfelder also presented an update to the church today. Most final resumes were accepted the first two weeks of the position opening. (Many from Ga. Baptist convention) The search team is moving forward with good results and with hopes of meeting a June 30<sup>th</sup> deadline. There are five questions that will be presented to the final candidates. 1. Tell us about your call to ministry. 2. What makes you feel you would be a good fit for FBR? 3. In what areas of Music ministry do you feel most gifted? 4. What do you consider to be your most significant accomplishments in your ministry thus far? 5. Are you seeking to leave your current position? If so, why?

**Pastor's Updates - Dr. Kevin Head** – Dr. Head commented on how we are investing in the church. A primary focus is with new minister intern Lucy Cauthen. She has started a college/young adult Sunday school class. She has a big task moving forward and needs the prayers and support of everyone. A second item that requires your prayers and support is a program called **MOPS** - "Mothers of Pre- School Children". Many mothers struggle with young children and our church will support them through this program. Jessica is leading this effort.

**Hospitality Committee Team Update- Elsie Kittrell** – It took many weeks to form team areas. The golf cart ministry is one area that is now fully covered with a full calendar. Special thanks to Robert Turnbull with this area of ministry. A second area was to develop a system of recording members and non-members during church. Beginning in September, there will be a ritual of friendship book in

the church service. The goal of the book is to obtain information about those attending church, as well as to be used with the Deacon of the week regarding ministering to new visitors.

**Prayer requests and Closing Prayer – Mark Walley**

**Service Team Breakouts- all are dismissed once individual teams have completed discussions**

**Minister Updates:** Jessica provided update above with Kevin