

The June business meeting of the Oak Grove Baptist Church was held on June 7, 2009. Kenneth Oakley, moderator called the meeting to order.

Joe Oakley made the motion; Mark Harris seconded it to accept the June minutes as presented. Motion carried.

The treasurer's report was presented. With there being no questions, a motion to approve as presented was made by Mark Harris and seconded by Jan Oakley. Motion carried.

Committee Reports: Sunday School: Orville Herndon reported an average attendance of 80 for May. Orville reported that VBS had started with 75 enrolled and some visitors in attendance. Discipleship Training: Kathy McCraw reported an average of 38 for the month. Music: No report. Youth & Children: No report. Deacons: Joe Oakley reported that the Pastor Search Committee needed to be selected. Members wishing to serve should give your name to one of the deacons. The deacon's requested that the member be a teenager or older, and only one person per family. The names would be voted on at the July business meeting. He also reported that Pee Wee Roberts would be conducting the baptism service on June 28. Brotherhood: None; RA's: None; Women on Missions: None; Ellie Herring reported the Celebrate Life group had met and enjoyed the speaker. Connie Harris reported GAs & Acteens had an average of 8. Mission Friends: None

Orville Herndon reported the contacts recorded for the month of May were 15 visits, 22 phone calls, 15 cards, 47 emails, 51 sharing of faith, 4 other, 1,844 website visits, 15,451 pages viewed, and 31,001 hits.

Other Committee Reports: Ned Davis reported that Bright Life has a new building and there is now shelter large enough for all residents. Scotty Hampton representing the building and grounds committee, reported that the committee has inspected the parsonage and there were some items that would need to be addressed, such as the removal of carpet in the room off the kitchen (previously used as the den and a bedroom), and replace with a laminate; the walls needed to be painted and a neutral color be used. The committee felt that all this could be accomplished for \$2,500.00 or less. Scotty made a motion to make the necessary changes to the parsonage, not to exceed \$2,500.00 with a second by Orville Herndon. Motion carried. Scotty also addressed the need for the mowing of the parsonage – several members stated they would help to mow it and alternate the mowings. Joe Oakley on behalf of the nominating committee made the motion for Orville Herndon to continue as Sunday School Director and Kathy McCraw to continue as Discipleship Director. Faye Stevens seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Old Business: None.

New Business: None.

Kenneth Oakley expressed his desire to see a job description for all employees of the church developed and an annual evaluation to be conducted. He also felt there should be guidelines for our rental property and a set of guidelines available to the members on the procedure to handle discord in the church. With there being no other business, Orville Herndon made the motion to adjourn, seconded by Jim Tribble. Motion carried. Pauline Crump dismissed with prayer.

Linda Tribble
Church Clerk

June 14, 2009 Shyanne Perry, Isabella Erickson, Sidney Johnson, and Alex Curling made public professions of faith and stated they would like to follow with baptism and membership in Oak Grove Baptist Church. Orville Herndon made the motions to receive them, seconded by Mark Harris. Motions carried.

June 21, 2009 Johnny Hawkins, Connie Hawkins and Brooklyn Fountain requested their membership be transferred to Oak Grove Baptist Church from New Jerusalem Baptist Church. Marissa Fountain made a public profession of faith and stated she would like to follow with baptism and membership in Oak Grove Baptist Church. Orville Herndon made the motion, seconded by Ned Davis. Motion carried.