



Journey Bible Church 2023 Annual Business Meeting Celebrating Last Year's Ministry and Casting Next Year's Vision

*Note: 2023 Minutes will be officially voted on and approved at the
2024 Annual Business Meeting.*

Date: June 4, 2023

Location: JBC Auditorium

4:01 pm: Meeting Called to Order by Elder Board Chairman – Jeff Glendening:

- Welcome
 - Worship

- June 2022 Annual Business Meeting minutes read by Clerk - Rondalea Rich
 - Jeff Glendening called for a Motion to approve the minutes:
 - Mike Rich motioned to approve
 - Scott Soren seconded the motion
 - Minutes approved unanimously

 - Jeff welcomed new members and acknowledged the Exec Elder Board

- Jeff Glendening introduced the 2023-24 Officers:
 - Brian Volkens – Treasurer
 - Rondalea Rich – Clerk

New Board Elders – NA

New Deacons - NA

- Jeff Glendening introduced Mark Dodd – Care Pastor
Pastor Mark Shared about the ministry of our Deacons (Servant)

They serve the Body faithfully

They reflect the character qualities taught in 1 Timothy

Also referenced Acts 6 – when Deacons were called.

Pastor Mark, along with some of the Elders, led in prayer to commission the Deacons for their work in the next ministry year.

- Mark Dodd introduced Keith Langland – Pastor of Ministry Development



- Keith shared about the role of our JBC Staff
 - Celebration video was shown – overview of the past fiscal year
 - Noted staff reorganization – referenced 2 Timothy 2:2
- Jeff Glendening introduced, Lead Pastor, Mike Bickley
- Vision for the Coming Year, Lead Pastor - Mike Bickley:
 - Presented a parting gift of appreciation to Jeff Glendening, for his service as the outgoing 2022-23 Board Chairman.
 - Thoughts shared:
 - Vision
As a Church, we do not want to follow the culture in becoming an establishment.
Journey Bible Church is not ashamed of the Gospel message.
 - 3 components of a Movement:
 - Momentum – prayer is vital as we seek God’s face
 - Management - some management is necessary to guide the Body
 - Multiplication – we are equipped to bring others to Christ, who in turn bring others to Christ, as seen in 2 Timothy 2:2
“And what *you* have heard from *me* in the presence of many witnesses entrust to *faithful men* who will be able to teach *others* also.” (Paul > Timothy > faithful men > others)

We are all called to be a part of the Movement of Christ.

- Financial Report and Presentation of Budget Read by Heather Leonard, Business Administrator:
 - Reviewed the 2023-24 Budget
 - Fiscal year runs July 1 – June 30
 - Received 2% less in overall undesignated giving than the previous fiscal year, yet with adjustments from the 250K received from the 2022 Christmas fund, they were able to bring the general fund expenses 7% above from last year.
 - Spent 6% less as prior year
 - Overview of the Budget Sheet – acknowledged Treasure Dallas Hayden and the finance committee
 - Average 60K giving per week
 - As of July 1, 2023 - 81% of giving will be used to maintain both Central and West Campus.



- New budget categories will be added in the new fiscal year which will include the Residency ministry, Senior Adult ministry, and Celebrate Recovery ministry.

Summary: God continues to make us a Church who gives ourselves away, for His glory.

- Membership Q and A with the Executive Elder Board Team:
 - Mike Bickley, Jeff Glendening, Keith Langland, and Dallas Hayden
- Final opportunity for Member's to Vote
- Jeff Glendening introduced Dallas Hayden, as In-Coming Chairman, Dallas shared the Next Year At-A-Glance:
Acknowledging that leading can be a challenge, but it's also very rewarding. JBC is an Elder-led church, who rely on congregational support to function well as a Body.
 - Elders = to shepherd the flock
 - Responsibilities and Goals for upcoming year:
 - Elders have been assigned to each JBC member, to encourage and shepherd.
 - Leadership Pipeline is being established to nurture and train new leaders.
- Prayer Requests:
Upcoming Elder retreat
Prayers for leadership

Jeff closed in prayer.
- Votes Tallied. Results Read by Jeff Glendening:
 - 222 total votes = 43.9% members voted
 - 98.6% approval for 2023-24 Budget
 - >99% approval for all Nominee's
- Adjourned at 5:14 pm

Minutes Submitted By: Rondalea Rich – June 4, 2023