City First Church of the Nazarene Board Meeting Minutes March 10, 2025

Present:

CHURCH BOARD: Rob Martin, Dennis Gregory, Tiffany Price, Terrie Klein, Cindi Kinch, Cindy Ryan

STAFF (non-voting): Ryan Green, Ron Alexander, Kylie Green, Daniel Buckwalter, Brooke Marcois, Sarah Schoenherr, Corbin Bushey

SCHOOL (CFCA): Melissa Long

GUEST: Dylan Ottovich

18:04 Call to Order, Opening Prayer- Ryan spoke briefly about a new rallying point banner being raised over our congregation, "Holiness Unto The Lord."

Dennis offered opening prayer.

18:10 Approval of Agenda- MSP*

18:11 Approval of Minutes- MSP

18:13 Report of Officers

- Highlights/Ministry Dashboard- Ryan reported on a slow and steady increase in 9AM Downtown attendance
 - a. Corbin Bushey shared his testimony and story as the new College/Career/Young Adult Pastor.
 - b. Dylan Ottovich- Ryan brought a recommendation to the Board to grant a Local Minister's License to Dylan. Dylan shared his call and testimony- MSP
- 2. Finance- Ron reported on the Church finances through February- MSP

19:03 Teams Updates

- 1. Hispanic Ministry- Pastor Elias was not in attendance.
- 2. CFCA- Melissa reports that a new High School teacher has accepted an offered position. She shared a story about a new HS student that transferred from public school and is enjoying CFCA immensely.
- 3. Pastor Daniel- he is thankful for the help while he was with Emma and the baby. Thankful for a core of teens that are passionate about Jesus and our Church. Prayers requested for worship band scheduling.
- 4. Pastor Kylie- Connect Track; Armando went through and was so excited about the information he gained. Make A Difference Sunday; this was the best one yet! The service area fair worked really well. More volunteer signups than in the past. Worship Team; life-change graduation was great...Dylan was fire! So incredibly helpful. The level of commitment is very

- high. Team members are freshly motivated, unified, and energized. Praying for a new bass player to add to the team just in case.
- 5. Brooke Marcois- averaging 11-15 children's program, 4-6 in the nursery. Some changes in advance of kids moving up. 4-8 volunteers weekly, they are so committed and faithful. 9 kids moving up from the nursery in the next year. Ministry is thriving, 6 new volunteers moving into the process of training.

19:20 Updates- Ryan

- 1. Ryan thanked the Board for their service in the past year.
- 2. Lease agreement with CFCA- meeting tomorrow with School leaders to get it agreed-to.
- 3. Tech Director- the Baileys have secured a house in north Eugene.

19:30 New Business

- Membership List- Board vote to clean-up the Membership Rolls according to the list (available upon request)- MSP *as amended by adding Denny Cuddeback if a member.
- 2. Budget for 25/26- Ron reviewed the previously presented budget with a couple of minor adjustments- MSP

19:50 Adjournment and Prayer- Cindy Ryan closed in prayer.

Respectfully submitted, Rob Martin Church Board Secretary

*Moved, Seconded, Passed