

BUSINESS MEETING -- PLEASANT HILL BAPTIST CHURCH – March 9, 2008

The Pleasant Hill Baptist Church met for the monthly business meeting on Sunday, March 9, 2008. Bro. Bill called the meeting to order. A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of the February meeting as printed. Motion carried.

Brenda Bray, treasurer, commented that the utilities were a little higher. The gas tanks for both the church and the parsonage were filled. A motion was made by Mel Callahan and seconded by Mike Duncan to approve the treasurer's report as printed. Motion carried.

The clerk had no letters, etc., to report.

Mel Callahan, chairman of trustees, said the nagging leak in the bathroom had been fixed. Three game tables have been donated for the youth – foosball, ice hockey, and a larger ping pong table.

Kimie Bray, Sunday school director, reported a high attendance of 27, a low of 20, and an average of 24 for the month of February.

Rose Callahan, Women on Missions director, said 31 Easter baskets were made and delivered to the Samaritan Center.

Mel Callahan, Baptist Men's director, said he needs two volunteers to help clean up limbs in yards for some folks in the community.

JoAnn Looten, RA leader, reported 8 children and youth participated in the PHBC 500 in February.

Bro. Bill, pastor, said he made four visits and commended the deacons for their visits. He also made 15 phone calls. There are about 7 youth coming on Wednesday nights – up from 3 or 4. The game tables helped. He wants to hold a lock-in around mid-April. The kids have made some suggestions. He needs some volunteers. They would like to have a basket ball pad behind the parsonage. He has not yet ordered the material for Wednesday night Bible study.

Butch Bray, chairman of deacons, reported on their meeting Wednesday night. They are continuing to contact all church members. They will remove out-of-state people and will set up an inactive list.

JoAnn Looten made a motion to approve these reports. Mel Callahan seconded. Motion carried.

Old Business:

The sound system is better, but was still bad with the 12-string guitar. Discussed having a pro come and take a look at it. Peggy Falk made a motion that the worship committee take care of this and bring a report. Mel Callahan seconded. Motion carried.

New Business:

Mel Callahan had a request from David and Janene Ford to allow them to live in the parsonage beginning in December, 2008, while they build their house. JoAnn Looten made a motion that the church let them do this. Pam Duncan seconded. Motion carried.

Rose Callahan said Heber Mena had requested assistance from the churches for the medical missions trip. They need approximately \$3,000 or \$4,000 to purchase medicine and other supplies when they get to El Salvador. The motion was made that our church send a check to the Concord Baptist Association for \$300.00 to assist with this mission endeavor. Motion seconded and carried.

Messengers are needed for the Concord Baptist Semi-Annual Meeting on April 6. The following were nominated: Gertie Jeffries, Mel Callahan, JoAnn Looten. Brother Bill and Rose Callahan are already

messengers because of serving as pastor and Executive Council Member. The motion was made and carried that these be elected as messengers.

Brenda Bray said she had been receiving some calls regarding the church money and wanted to take the treasurer's report off the web site. Bro. Bill said he had also been receiving some calls. JoAnn said she will leave it off. A lot of things were lost when the site went down anyway.

Mel made the motion to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Rose Callahan, Church Clerk