

**STATED SESSION MEETING
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF ORLANDO
November 15, 2022**

A stated meeting of the session of FPCO was held on November 15, 2022, and was called to order and opened in prayer by, 5:45PM by Dr. David D.Swanson.

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

ATTENDANCE:

Ruling Elders: Burden, Fair, McNeill, Ausley, Arnold, Hull,

Senior Leadership Team: Bell, McDaniel

Teaching Elders: Thorp, Peebles, Swanson, Gibson

Excused: Amanda Cowan, Kurt Wood, Bo Morgan, Steve Cahill, Greg Burden, John Caplan, Sam Spears, Jonathan Thigpin, Scarlett Broughton, Michael Kelley, and Bret Allen

Unexcused:

Other attendees: Incoming Elders/Deacons elect

A quorum was declared.

SHARING OF TESTIMONIES BY ELDERS/DEACONS ELECT

The deacons-elect and elders-elect, who are completing the course of instruction in Church government, the Sacraments, the Faith of the Church, the Discipline of the Church, The History of the Church, and the understanding of the office of ruling elder and deacon, began a process of sharing their spiritual testimonies. The following elders and deacons-elect gave their testimonies: Monica Madigan, Lisa Schultz, Amanda Dukes, Chris Morgan, Anne Brownlee, Beth Rossi, Joel Hall, Cheryl Alexander, Aaron Holman, and Ron Rossi.)

**MOTION: To sustain the examinations of the above-listed deacons and ruling elders-elect.
M/S/P**

Prayer for the deacons and elders-elect was offered by TE’s Jack Peebles and Paul Gibson, and this portion of the meeting was terminated.

Approval of the docket. M/S/P

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES M/S/P

STATISTICS

Membership as of October 31, 2021.....	3,570
Membership as of September 30, 2022	3,587
Transfers into the Congregation	0

Reaffirmation of Faith	0
Profession of Faith	0
Profession of Faith and Baptism	0
Restored to the Roll	0
Total Additions	0
Transfers from the Congregation	0
Deaths	0
Removed from the Roll	0
Placed on the Inactive Roll	0
Total Reductions	0
Membership as of October 31, 2022	3,587

Marriages:

Mr. Michael Harold Owens, Jr. wed Elizabeth Nichole Gordon, October 8, 2022

Births:

Amelia Grace Engle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kyle (Camille) Engle, October 8, 2022

Zeke Andrew Sellers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jason (Hannah) Sellers, October 11, 2022

Wilder Hall Babb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison (Olivia) Babb, October 18, 2022

Child Baptisms:

Brooks Thomas Glover, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay (Sara) Glover, October 9, 2022

Kennedy Nicole Perkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chase (Julie) Perkinson, October 23, 2022

Isla Dantz Garrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gavin (Lindsey Windham) Garrison, October 23, 2022

Adult Baptisms:

Kamise Dennis Brockman, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis (Lisa) Brockman, October 9, 2022

CONSENT AGENDA

MEMBERSHIP

1-1 Covenant Partners joined

Mark Patten	Reaffirmation of Faith
Kyle Engle	Transfer
Camille Engle	Transfer
Andy Ward	Transfer
Charleigh Ward	Transfer
Danielle Roper	Reaffirmation of Faith
Kyle Krumm	Transfer

Annalea Nichols	Reaffirmation of Faith
Paul Mene	Reaffirmation of Faith
Caroline Mene	Reaffirmation of Faith
Brian Burchell	Transfer
Kim Burchell	Transfer
Brianna Burchell	Transfer
Carisa Jones	Reaffirmation of Faith
Raymi Vontz	Reaffirmation of Faith
Chip Headley	Transfer
Cher Headley	Transfer
Ben Willsey	Reaffirmation of Faith
Emily Gaskins	Reaffirmation of Faith
Lauren Brooke	Transfer

Anne Hughes	Reaffirmation of Faith
Herschel Hughes	Reaffirmation of Faith

Keith Reyes	Profession of Faith
Liz Reyes	Reaffirmation of Faith

Kyle Jackson	Reaffirmation of Faith
Jess Jackson	Reaffirmation of Faith
Lexie Sutter	Transfer

Kelli Graham	Transfer
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1-2 Remove from roll

Steve Judy	Personal request - email 08-23-22
Melanie Judy	Personal request - email 08-23-22
Kendall Grace Judy	Personal request - email 08-23-22
David Allen	Transfer of Letter, Faith Presbyterian Church, Birmingham, AL

APPROVAL OF THE CONSENT AGENDA. M/S/P

THE COLLABORATIVE’S ARTS FELLOWS UPDATE - Karen Thigpin

- Will be launching a new high school group in the winter/spring - applications will be accepted shortly. Arts Fellows has 17 applications for 6 spots so very exciting

MINISTER REPORT

- no report

COMMITTEE REPORTS

OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

INFORMATION: Support met via email this week to review and approve the motion below. This was unanimously approved by Support but needs Session approval due to the dollar amount.

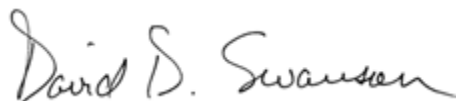
MOTION: To approve the request of \$50,000 to Quo Vadis via National Christian Foundation in support of efforts in Ukraine as outlined by the Mission Team. Funds for this will be paid from the current balance of \$76,000 in the General Mission Fund. MSP

WORK GROUP REPORTS

- no report

PRAYER AND ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was closed and prayer and adjourned at 7:40PM by David Swanson



David Swanson
Moderator