

First Baptist Church
Meeting of Board of Directors
Board Room, April 29 2015, 6:30 p.m.

Summary

Merv and Carol Hepting were confirmed as the chair of the congregational care commission.

To improve communications and congregational contact it was decided that each person in the congregation should have a specific deacon who is known to them that they know they can come to with comments or concerns. Specific details are being put together.

The changes to the governance structure which were proposed by the previous diaconate will be brought to this board and then taken to the congregation at the November meeting.

A subcommittee has been formed to go through the Borderlands document, the Values document, the 2003 vision and goals, and the statements on the website to compile a succinct and current vision to use in setting priorities for First Baptist Church.

Praise in the Park is set for September 12 this year. The ministerial association started this event last year involving several churches throughout the city. Last year over 2000 turned out to Victoria Park for the Praise concerts throughout Saturday or participated in various community service projects throughout the week. We agreed to support this through the use of our portable sign and a donation of \$200. We are looking into other involvement as well.