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September 23, 2025

Elder Meeting

GCC Community Room

Members Present: Dan Brewer, John Skillman, Carol Walton, Senior Pastor Ryan Miller, Mark Harger, Hannah Goering, Nancy Westover, Charlene Quint

Members Absent: None

Guests present: Stacie Hintz, Associate Pastor and Director of Student Ministries
Carrie Yeaman, Director of Child and Family Ministries

Ryan opened the meeting in prayer at 6:30 PM. Dan Brewer called for an Executive Session lasting until 7:20 PM.

Ryan called attention to a recent act of vandalism in the Middle School Room. There are cameras located in hallways only, so there is no record of the activity in the room. Per our current Child Protective Policy, children are not permitted to be left unsupervised. However, there were two organizations using church facilities during the week in which the vandalism took place. Ryan was to inform the organizations of our CPP. After discussion, it was unanimously recommended that we request Building and Grounds to prioritize the installation of additional cameras in all rooms except bathrooms and offices. Mark was to discuss this with Gary Elsbury.

There were brief updates regarding progress on security/emergency policy updates and a time of corporate prayer. The book discussion of *Lead with Prayer*, chapters 3 and 4 was postponed until October 14.

Nancy planned to be absent for the next meeting due to surgery.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Hannah at 8:15 PM. The next meeting was scheduled for October 14, 2025 at 6:30 PM in the Community Room.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Westover
GCC Church Secretary