



## Christian Church in Oregon and SW Idaho Regional Board Meeting June 1, 2019 Summary

The board met with 25 persons present representing 16 different congregations and all 5 districts. Highlights of business:

- The Board welcomed Iglesia Cristiana Jehovah Nisi, Salem, as a Congregation in Formation. The congregation meets at Keizer Christian Church building.
- Received a written report from the Future Story Team on the progress of the future story – this is also posted on line. Included in this report was a summary of the Regional Elders' Pilot Project. Future Story will enter the evaluation stage in summer 2019.
- Board enjoyed watching a Pentecost Offering Video made for our regional church by Tom Harry, Board Member from The View Christian Church. David Eggleston also created powerpoint slides and a bulletin insert for the offering invitation.
- The Board concluded its relationship with Fuel and Flame Congregation (Formerly LaVina) as a congregation in affiliation with the regional church
- FEDICE Ecuador project was highlighted. A matching fund matches all gifts currently. Board encouraged to spread the word about this.
- Received a thank you letter from Global Ministries for the \$1250.00 donation made by the regional church. The regional car that was ready to rotate out of service was donated with the proceeds going to Global Ministries.
- The Executive Search Model Document used by whole church agencies to conduct search processes for leadership was referred to the board from the Anti-Racism/Pro-Reconciliation Team of the Regional Church for consideration and exploration. It will be represented for an adoption vote at the November 2019 board meeting to be used in future staffing searches in the Regional Church.
- Financial reports were reviewed and received for audit.
- As owners of the McMinnville FCC property, the board acted to facilitate a payment for an easement on the property, granting Oregon Department of Transportation use of a corner of the property during a construction project in the area.
- A Regional Ministers report was presented and is posted on line.
- The Board heard reports about program staff, program ministries, women's events for 2019, New Church Ministries, Commission on Ministry, Anti-Racism Task Force and Trainers, recent events, plans for camps and regional assembly 2020, and resources in development.
- Closing worship was led by Pastor Sharon Warner, Eugene First Christian Church, Portland.

NEXT MEETING: November 2019