

Fellowship Assn

Annual meeting 1/26/24 @ Dardanelle

Opening prayer by Bro Larry Taylor

Congregational singing "Till The Storm Passes By" "I Will Sing The Wondrous Story"
Special singing "King of Kings" "Worthy Is The Lamb"

Bro Blaine led in prayer

Bro Titus Doll brought the message from Acts 2:42-47 Is the church doing what it is supposed to do? All believers are the church.

1. Have we lost the awe? Are we just going through the motions? Is it just a routine? We should want to learn and be in his presence. There are two things we can do. Fellowship-care about others. The early church was "together." We must spend time together. Prayer-we must pray together. We must have emphasis on prayer.

2. Have we forgotten the churches job? The church must have unity. Everyone should evangelize. Each person has their job or calling in the church. All the parts of the church work together. We are all part of the body of christ. We must work together with all Christians.

3. Are we confining our church to the building? The devil cannot stop the spreading of the Gospel. We have the power to spread the Gospel. The body of christ should be doing and going. We have to serve and love as Christ did. We have to examine ourselves to make sure we are doing what we are called to do. Bro Titus led in prayer.

Motion and second to seat 13 delegates. Motion carried. Right hand of fellowship given.

Resolution committee

Bro Freddy Bowden-chair

Bro Spencer Noel

Bro Leon Taylor

Obituary committee

Bro Kevin Haralson

Bro Blaine Rogers

Bro Kenneth Winningham spoke about Free Will Baptist Family Ministry. Celebrating 85 years. Founded in Camp Creek in Greenville TN. This year they had 113 Salvations, 3 rededications, 47 baptisms. He thanked the association for the prayers and support. Last year was the best year yet. They have had 67 dads in the fatherhood program. They purchased a new ultrasound machine last year. He encouraged us to keep on keeping on.

Motion and second to approve minutes from the last meeting. Motion carried.

Motion and second to approve financial report from last meeting. Motion carried.

Executive committee made motion to accept Bro Terry Latham and Bro Dale Bishop into full fellowship to the association. Motion carried.

Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro Jim Hill

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Congregational singing "Without Him" "Victory In Jesus"

Kevin Haralson sang "Beulah Land"

Bro Josh Aufdengarten brought the message from 2 Timothy 2:24-26. He gave a testimony about how God allowed him to be with his friend in his last days. He was able to minister to the family during that time. God has allowed him to go through trials lately so that he can be a better servant to others. He opened the message with prayer. We have to pray for direction. Is there a sin in your life that you are seeing a pattern of. Do you accommodate broken relationships? Do we pray expecting God to do what you ask? Are we going through the motions? Do we grieve and hurt for the lost? People are hurting. We must care for peoples souls. We must be concerned about where people will spend eternity. People need to know hell is real and the Jesus is the key to make heaven our home. Do you love the world more than Jesus? God had to be realized as our only hope. Do we have to be entertained in order to worship? We need to be concerned with others more than ourselves. We have to get good at letting things go. Grudges will hold you back from serving others. We must love our enemies and be patient with them. God wants us to be gentle. We must humble ourselves and walk with others through their trials. God will change lives if we share the Word. We need to master the art of letting things go,. We must be intentional with our service to God and others. We must love the hurting. God is faithful and he deserves our very best. Closed with altar prayer.

Transition to business session.

Obituary committee gave the following names of those who had passed during the last year.

Harmony-Marsha Mikel

Connect-Mike Humphreys, James Whitlow

Dardanelle-Rodney Mondey

The following Board Members and Officers were approved for 2024

Motion carried

Moderator	Rev Blaine Rogers	(479)280-0244
Assistant moderator	Bro Steve Hartzell	(479)886-3469
Clerk	Bro Eric Hartzell	(479)970-9707
Assistant Clerk	Sis Brenda Housley	(479)858-1291

Executive Board

Rev Kevin Haralson	5 years	479-747-5769
Rev Jamie Burris	4 years	479-747-0278
Rev Mark Simmons	3 years	479-858-2148
Bro Ken Holmes	2 years	479-264-6764
Bro Dwayne Helton	1 year	479-284-4778

CE Board

Bro Blake Jordan	3 years	662-424-3388
Sis Heather Defrancisco *	2 years	479-747-0212
Rev Spencer Noel	1 year	479-858-8831

Mission Board		
Sis Cindy Ellis	3 years	479-747-1957
Sis Nina Chronister	2 years	479-970-4244
Sis Mary Ann Chronister	1 year	479-858-1588

Youth Board		
Bro Josh Aufdengarten	3 years	479-886-3550
Bro Trevor Holden	2 years	501-593-7227
Bro Colin Lane *	1 year	

Finance Board		
Sis Kathy Hartzell	3 years	479-858-8066
Sis Susan Hunt	2 years	479-886-1623
Sis Melissa Haralson	1 year	479-747-5749

Association meetings for 2024
 April 25-Harmony
 June 27-Mt Vernon
 Sept 26-Oak Grove
 Jan 24-25-Union Grove
 Bro Trevor Holden to preach 24th
 Bro Jerry Burris to preach 25th
 Bro Terry Latham will be the alternate

Motion and second to send Bro Jim and Sis Bonita Hill as delegates to the state meeting.
 Motion carried.

Motion and second to dismiss the resolution committee. Motion carried.

Motion and second to let the CE Board determine the criteria and expenditures from the scholarship fund. Motion carried.

Motion and second to adjourn. Motion carried.

Dismissed in prayer by Bro Dale Bishop.