

Yates Baptist Church
Annual Business Meeting
November 20, 2011
Minutes

Sam Haithcock, chair of the Deacons, called to order the annual business meeting of Yates Baptist Church at 12:15 p.m. on Sunday, November 20, 2011, following the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

Ned Griffin, chair of the Nominating Committee, presented the proposed slate of nominees for church committees (Attachment 1). The nominees were elected unanimously.

Sam Haithcock presented the slate of deacons who have agreed to serve for the 2012-2014 term as proposed by the Deacon Nominating Committee. Their term will begin in January 2012. They are: Winslow Carter, Linda Mercer, John Myklebust, Richard Pickett, Chuck Riley, Frank Turner, and Jane Williams. They were elected unanimously.

Barri Payne, chair of the Finance Committee, presented the proposed budgets for 2012 for both Yates Baptist Church and the Child Development Center (Attachment 2). She stated that the budget represented a 3.7 percent increase over the 2011 budget, and she noted that giving was up 8 percent over 2010, and that giving last year was \$14,000 over the budget.

Bill Howie questioned the substantial increase in the amount allocated for Trinity Concepts for bookkeeping services. Mrs. Payne explained that someone from Trinity Concepts would be available in the church office for 20 hours weekly in 2012 to increase their presence and to develop policies and procedures so that the church financial records can be audited.

The budget was passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty J. Howie
Assistant Church Clerk

Attachments