

**Yates Baptist Church  
Business Meeting  
July 21, 2010**

Sean Fenton, Chairman of Deacons, called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

Sean opened the meeting with a prayer.

The April 21 business meeting and the June 6 called business meeting minutes were presented for approval. A typographical error was discovered in the June 6 minutes. The minutes were approved as corrected.

Bob Wilmarth, Church Treasurer, presented the financial reports for the Church and the Child Development Center. He noted that the church receipts included a gift from the Doris Parrish Estate. There were no questions about the reports. (Attachment #1).

Unfinished Business:

As of July 15, purchase of the Parham property is complete. Currently the property is taxed by the city. As of January 1, the property will be classified as non-profit, with no taxation. To receive this classification, the property must be used by the church. The suggestion was made that members begin parking on this site so that it will be in use by the church.

New Business:

Sean reported on the following new business:

The church received a gift from the Doris Parrish Estate: The gift included \$60,000 to be applied to the debt of the church, \$5,000 for the Bethany Joy Sunday School Class, and \$110,000 unrestricted. There will be an additional gift when there is a sale of additional estate property.

The meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Alice B. Bates  
Church Clerk