

M I N U T E S

36th Annual Conference
Great Lakes Association Of Original F.W.B. Churches
Canaan F.W.B. Church, 12723 Cleveland Road, Creston, OH 44127

May 16, 1998

The 36th Annual Conference of the Great Lakes Association of Original Free Will Baptists of Ohio was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. Carl Dunn.

Congregational Singing - I Want To Know More About My Lord led by Rev. Jim McComas
Prayer and Session Welcome - Rev. Carl Dunn.

Session Call to Order and Recognition of Visitors - Rev. Carl Dunn.

Roll Call of Churches and Ministers - Five conference churches were recognized, along with their respective ministers, deacons, delegates, and visitors. Visitors recognized were Rev. Brian Phillips and his father; Bro Joe Underwood, and Bro. Reese, Co-Pastors of Grace Fellowship Church in Buffalo, Ohio.

Devotions - Ezra 8:22 - The Separating Point given by Rev. Gary Dheel.

Congregational Singing - Love Lifted Me led by Rev. Jim McComas

Oral Reports Of Churches

1. Three Rivers F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Tom Jones
2. Dailyville F.W.B. Church - presented by Deacon Dale Reed
3. Canaan F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Jim McComas
4. First F.W.B. Church - presented by Bro. Beal
5. Akron F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Frisbee
6. Grace Fellowship Church - presented by co-pastors, Bro Underwood & Bro Reese
7. Wyandotte F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Brian Phillips
8. Anderson Church of God - presented by Rev. Phillips (Brian's father)

An altar prayer of consecration was offered for all churches represented at the conference.

M/S/C to accept the Oral Reports of the Churches.

M/S/C to accept the Minutes of the Conference Meeting of October 25, 1997, as read by the clerk.

M/S/C to accept the Treasurer's Report as read by the clerk.

M/S/C to accept the Ministerial Meeting Report.

M/S/C to accept the Woman's Auxiliary Report.

Old Business: None.

New Business:

M/S/C for the licenseing of Bro Ron Bauman, and him to be set aside for ordination into the ministry on May 15, 1999, at the 37th Annual Conference being held at the Akron F.W.B. Church.

M/S/C to authorize Bro Ron Bauman to obtain and print letterhead stationary for the Conferen

M/S/C for Rev. Frisbee as a member of the Ohio State Board of F.W.B. to submit a recommendation for the rehabilitation of the grave site of David Marks in Oberlin, Ohio.

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M/S/C to appoint the following delegates to the State Meeting in Columbus on June 26, 1998: Mrs. Beal, Mrs. Frisbee, Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Grace Beal, and Sister Shirley Morrison.

Congregational Singing - There Shall Be Showers of Blessing led by Rev. Jim McComas.

Solo: Back To The Cross was sung by Sister Illene Bauman

MESSAGE: Our Advesary The Devil - Eph 6:10 - Rev. Brian Phillips

Benediction and Prayer over meal: Rev. Jim McComas

Meeting Adjourned. A wonderful lunch was served by the ladies of the Canaan F.W.B. Church, with warm fellowship enjoyed by all who were in attendance.

Respectfully submitted: NEXT MTG: May 14-15, '99, ^{in Sat.} Canon Falls Church


Ron Bauman, Clerk

..Clerk moves that these minutes be accepted as read.

M I N U T E S

36th Semi-Annual Conference
Great Lakes Association of Original F.W.B. Churches
First F.W.B. Church, 5530 New Road, Austintown OH 44515

October 17, 1998

The 36th Semi-Annual Conference of the Great Lakes Association of Original Free Will Baptists of Ohio was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. Carl Dunn.

Congregational Singing - To God Be The Glory led by Rev. Bruce Beal.

Prayer and Session Welcome - Rev. Bruce Beal.

Session Call to Order and Recognition of Visitors - Rev. Carl Dunn.

Roll Call of Churches and Ministers - Five conference churches were recognized, along with their respective ministers, deacons, delegates, and visitors. Visitors recognized were Rev. Edwin Hayes, State Director.

Devotions: Heal Their Land, IICron 7:14 - Rev. John Castle

Oral Reports Of Churches

1. Canaan F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Jim McComas
2. Three Rivers F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Tom Jones
3. Dailyville F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Carl Miller
4. Akron F.W.B. Church - presented by Rev. Kenneth Frisbee
5. First F.W.B. Church Austintown - presented by Rev. Bruce Beal
6. Ohio State Report - presented by Rev. Edwin Hayes

An altar prayer of consecration was offered for all churches represented at the conference.

M/S/C to accept the Oral Reports of the Churches.

M/S/C to accept the Minutes of the Conference Meeting of May 16, 1998, as read by the clerk.

M/S/C to accept the Treasurer's Report as read by the clerk.

M/S/C to accept the Ministerial Meeting Report.

M/S/C to accept the WNAC Meeting Report.

Old Business: Discussion on rehabilitation of Rev. David Mark's grave was clarified.

New Business:

M/S/C for Rev. Tom Jones to be made the Assistant Conference Clerk.

M/S/C to amend Article 10, Section 1 of Conference By-Laws that the ~~Executive~~ ^{GL} Executive ^{Boards} shall consist of Conference officers, plus pastors of Conference Member Churches, and if a conference church does not have a pastor, the church may elect a representative. The final form of this amendment will be forthcoming from the Conference Executive Committee.

M/S/C to update the Association By-Laws.

MESSAGE: We Must Preach The Word of God, We Must Preach The Truth, IITim 4:1-8; IICor 2:14, and Rom 10:14-15 - Rev. Carl Miller.

Benediction and Prayer over meal: Rev. Bruce Beal.

Meeting Adjourned. A Wonderful lunch was served by the ladies of the First F.W.B. Church of Austintown, with warm fellowship enjoyed by all who were in attendance.

Respectfully submitted, Ron Bauman, Clerk. *RJ*

..Clerk moves that these minutes be accepted as read.