

Gregory Drive Alliance Church



ANNUAL REPORT

JULY 1, 2024 - JUNE 30, 2025



GREGORYDRIVE
ALLIANCE CHURCH

ANNUAL MEETING
Sunday, September 28, 2025
at 11:45 am

minutes of annual meeting

Chairperson: Pastor Stephen Sheane

Recording Secretary: Steve Parr

Date: Sunday,
September 29, 2024
at 11:45 AM

Agenda Item	Brief Summary of Discussion & Motions
1. Call to Order (establish quorum)	11:48 am
2. Prayer	
3. Adopt 2024 Agenda	Motion to Approve by Ray McFadden, seconded by Stephen Lourie, Carried
4. Adopt 2023 Annual General Meeting Minutes	Motion to Approve by Hughie Van Kesteren, seconded by Carmen Craig, Carried
5. Receive and Accept Annual Ministry Reports	Carried by common consent.
6. Nomination Committee Report	Motion to Approve by Brad Capeling, seconded by Lil Boudreau, Carried. There were 7 Elders last year and there will be 9 Elders this year.
7. Election of Elders	New Elders are: Dave Dent, Gord Brown, and Jason Cooper. Roy Van Kesteren will serve a second 2-year term. Motion to Approve by Jane Parr, seconded by Stephen Lourie, Carried
8. Appoint Nomination Committee 2025	Carmen Craig and John Derksen appointed. Motion to Approve by Gord Brown, seconded by Greg Baker, Carried
9. Financial Report	Motion to Approve 2024/2025 Annual Budget by Ray McFadden, seconded by Susanne Vince, Carried Confirm Auditors – Harry Suelzle and Susanne Vince confirmed as Auditors for 2024/2025, Carried

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10. Question and answer time	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Greg Baker asked about Budget including the Youth Director.2. Jane Parr asked what the number is for quorum. (122)3. John Derksen asked what to do with the extra Reno Funds. (\$80,000)4. Laird Vander Ende talked about the before and after of the Renovation. He shared memories of all the volunteers and how much they helped. He talked about the faith required for the "Expect a Miracle" campaign.5. Eric Saunders thanked Jon Derksen for his 4 years of service.6. Anita Capeling asked about Missions contributions. Arlene Maris clarified the exact contributions.7. Richard Smids asked to consider a portion of the Reno Budget for local funding. The Board will ultimately decide how to allot Reno funds.8. Fred Harold asked if the congregation should decide what to do with the Reno fund money.9. John Derksen asked us to focus on the National Church issues of our District denomination.
11. Adjournment:	

lead pastor



I rejoiced with those who said to me, "Let us go to the house of the LORD." Psalm 122:1

For David, this Song of Ascent was about gathering together as a nation to worship in the temple in Jerusalem. For us today we would say, "I rejoiced with those who said to me, "let's go to church." As we gather together as a community, something special happens. One of the things that came out of COVID was the reminder to never take for granted the simple act of gathering together in person for worship. God created us to be in community, to do life together. We were not meant to live in isolation. I am so thankful for this local community of faith called Gregory Drive Alliance Church. It is a great family and I feel so blessed to be a part of it.

It has been so wonderful to meet in our newly renovated sanctuary. Thanks to Becca for all her hard work week after week in preparing the music for our Sunday services. I am always amazed at how well the song choices build upon the sermon for that week. Thanks to the worship and media teams for all they do.

This summer we had another successful 6 weeks of summer camps. Thanks to Tracy and her team for their hard work in making these camps possible. We pray for all the children who heard the good news this past summer, that God would continue to grow the seeds planted in their young hearts through the coming year.

We welcomed Jessica Fieldus unto our staff as part-time Youth Director last year. Jess is doing a great job and we are blessed as a church to have a strong youth ministry along with our great quizzing program.

I was personally blessed to be able to go to the Global Gathering in Thailand last spring. It was great to meet all our Alliance International Workers and then spend time with some of them and other pastors in a visit to Southern Thailand and Malaysia. It was also a blessing to be able to join almost 40 people from our church on a weekend missions trip to Brampton in June. I know that trip will lead to even more excitement and engagement in our own community and also overseas.

I look forward to all that God is going to do in us and through us in the coming year!

Respectfully submitted,
Pastor Stephen Sheane



"Just a note to say how glad we are that we saw you and connected while at Global Gathering. Thank you for sharing some of the things you did, places that you served. amazing!!! You are such a faithful and humble servant and it is our privilege to be connected with you and Gregory Drive!!! Blessings!"

Danny and Vera Kuranji

board of elders report

Lead Pastor: Stephen Sheane

Chairman: Dave Dent *Vice-Chairman:* Roy Van Kesteren

Treasurer: Eric Saunders *Secretary:* Steve Parr

Al Baker, Gord Brown, Jason Cooper, Jeff Dam, Andrew Hummelen

The year 2024-2025 has been a year of change and growth. Most Sundays I see people who are new to the church. New ministry leaders have emerged, such as Stephanie Cooper leading the Missions Committee and taking the reins from Arlene Maris. In the coming years there will be more opportunities for leadership when veteran ministry leaders move on to other challenges. My challenge to future elders will be to look for and train our future ministry leaders.

The work of the Renovation Committee is complete. As discussed at last year's annual meeting, there was a surplus in the renovation fund. We, the Board, have been able to use the funds on several physical building projects to upgrade some spaces in our building.

We very much appreciate Pastor Steve in his ministry as lead pastor. His leadership is evident at the pulpit, in the office, and during Board meetings.

Once again the Summer Camp children's program filled up early with eager campers. Thanks for the leadership of Tracy and her staff. Thank you to the parents of our community who bring their children to the church every day. Thank you for your prayers that the Gospel will be shared and heard by the children and their families. Many members have names of campers on paper cutouts somewhere in their home.

In October 2024, Jessica Fieldus began her role as the Youth Director. She has done well in her first year and is excited for the 2025/2026 season. Please remember to pray for this ministry as some of the youth that attend are unchurched.

Thank you for all that Becca does with the worship team. The worship team is always looking for people willing to share their musical gifts. It is encouraging to see new worship team members, young and old. This is an amazing ministry and the team commits to Wednesday night practices and 8:00 am Sunday preparation time.

Martha Baker serves faithfully as our office administrator. She is often the first contact for people who visit our church. Her combination of experience and wisdom makes her an essential part of the church staff.

It is very encouraging to see new faces attending our church. We are a friendly church with a faithful message. When God moves, lives are changed. This helps to remind us God is faithful and that all things happen in His time.

This will be a year of transition for the Board as Steve Parr, Eric Saunders, Al Baker and Jeff Dam are at the end of their 4 years of service. As we move forward to 2025/2026 and beyond, we leave the affairs of the church in God's hands and a Board of Elders who are dedicated to serving.

On a personal note, during the last 4 years it has been an honour to work with a group of men who are wholly committed to the business of the church and to "shepherding the flock" in a variety of ways. During many Board meetings, prayer meetings and casual conversations it has always been reassuring to see their talents, care, and commitment to the Gregory Drive Alliance Church family.

Respectfully submitted,

Steve Parr

Secretary, on behalf of the Board of Elders

children's pastor

Reflecting over the past year, there has been so much evidence of God moving amongst our kids. We have much to be thankful for and much to give all praise to God!

Every Sunday morning, our kids meet together for their own 'Kids Church'. Here, they engage in worship and learn from scripture, but we also have a focus on missions and our responsibility in partnering with our missionaries through prayer and sending money to support them in their ministries. We also emphasize scripture memorization and Bible literacy as we navigate through our Bibles together. It is here the kids build relationships with one another and learn how to build their own personal relationship with God. We also encourage and empower them to display Christ-like character to everyone around them.

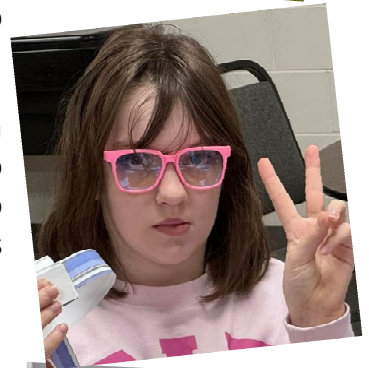
I'm thankful for the new families that have joined us and our growing Kids Church family. I'm deeply grateful for Susanne Vince, Rachael Douma and Juliette Soo, who volunteer their time and gifts to lead our kids, which allows me an opportunity to participate in Big Church every few weeks. They are a blessing to me to and our kids are blessed by them.

Our GDAC nursery and toddler ministry continues to grow as well with the addition of new families and new babies! This is often the first church exposure for these littles and they experience God's love through the care of our dedicated volunteers, and are able to form initial friendships with those around them. Susanne Vince continues to oversee this vital ministry and ensures the safety of all those who move through our nursery setting. We were also privileged to witness three families dedicate their children to the Lord.

Every March and through the summer months, our church is a-buzz with our Kids Camp ministry. This is an intentional outreach ministry which exists to engage unchurched kids in a day-camp environment, but everything we do is with purpose and points to Jesus. Here, they learn key biblical truths, are disciplined through our trained staff and are presented with the Gospel in a way that kids can understand. Last year, 159 kids recognized their need for a Saviour and made a decision to follow Jesus. All the glory goes to God for opening hearts and minds and transforming these kids lives... however I would be amiss to not recognize the staff that poured themselves into these kids every single day. It was an honour to witness each of them represent Jesus to these kids in a way that will impact these kiddos for many years to come.

Overall, our kids ministry had a victorious year, with many new names written in heaven and many kids experiencing Jesus in their own way as they grow closer to Him. Thank you for your faithful prayers over our kids and leaders.

Respectfully submitted,
Tracy Fieldus
Children's Pastor



youth director

Church family, how do I possibly begin to sum up the year that we've had with our youth? Let me start off by saying that this past year has been filled with the wonders and presence of God (which also happened to be a lesson topic for our youth)!

God is surely at work, not only here in the building of GDAC, but also in the individual lives of our young people. From the transition of youth directors to attending retreats and hosting events, God has been with us every step of the way.

Here's a brief recap of some things that we have been up to this year:

We started off our year with a nerf and nacho event night, because who doesn't love nachos?! It was such a fun way to get to know some of our newer faces and kick off the start of our school year.

In the fall, we were able to host a laser tag night and opened this up to some other youth groups in our surrounding area. This helped to encourage community, friendship, and showed Christ-like mission by being a welcoming group to others.



Throughout the year, there were some overnight retreats that were available for our youth to attend. In the Fall we offered the 'STAND' Chatham Youth Conference for everyone in grades 7 to 12, which took place at Kenesserie Camp this year. In the Spring, we attended our Sr. High Retreat 'Deeper Life Summit' that took place in Muskoka.

All of our overnight retreats are a great opportunity for our youth to meet other students their age, who are on similar journeys. These weekends are a growth opportunity for the students who want to learn more and step a little deeper in their faith walk. These retreats are filled with Gospel messages, times of worship, fun games, delicious food, personal reflection, and decisions to follow our Lord and Saviour.

Along with many events and retreats throughout the year, we've also been able to meet at the church every Tuesday evening for our regular youth nights. A night like this includes a time for teaching and prayer, some fun games, and time to enjoy everyone's company.

During these nights, we've studied topics in the Bible that refer to service, love, baptism, and worship. We hope that the youth can hear and understand God's truth, and that they can grow to understand how that relates and affects their lives and those around them.

Throughout the year, we've been able to welcome many new faces into our GDAC Empower Youth program. This year we have been blessed with so many lasting memories, new hearts striving towards Jesus, and open hands being ready to serve those around them.



THANK YOU!

Youth Leaders - I want to thank all of our volunteers who are committed to showing up for our youth. Your dedication is not only valued by myself, but also by each student that you build a relationship with. Thank you to *Natasha Smids, Jess McCann, Jacob Fieldus, Maria Smids, Ty McCutcheon, Stephen Baker, Amanda Sheane*, and previously *Billy Fehr* for all of your time and energy that you have been able to put into our youth ministry.

Women in Prayer – For all who don't know, we have a group of ladies who regularly meet to pray for our youth. They see and value the importance of prayer for all of our young teens. Our youth have a lot to navigate through their school years – their identity in Christ, friendships, school, worldly influences, etc. and it's so important that we continue to cover them in prayer as they battle these many obstacles throughout their years. Huge thank you to *Susanne Vince* for organizing this, and to the ladies who join, for being open to hear any and all prayer requests made by our leaders and our youth.

Parents – I want to thank all of our parents for your support in our youth ministry. Thank you for entrusting us with your kids, and allowing us to be a part of their faith walk and journey with Jesus. You play a very important role in our ministry, and in the discipleship that we strive to teach our teens. I know that our teens are also very grateful for the snacks that you sometimes help to provide on our youth nights!

I would also love to share my thankfulness for God and His power. Throughout our year, we have been able to see God move in ways that I find hard to express in words. To be completely honest, I had no idea what to expect going into this year as the new youth director, but God knew exactly what to expect. He provided peace, patience, wisdom, and guidance in all areas. We have visibly been able to see how God has planted a seed in some of our teens' lives, and how He continues to grow that seed as they build curiosity about who He is. We have seen some of our youth strive towards a lifestyle of trusting God, heard some of our youth outwardly pray for the first time, and have seen some of our teens partake in their first communion – knowing and understanding what it is that God did for us and how deeply He loves us.

As we head into our next year, I ask for continued prayers for our youth. Please pray that they can know who God is, and what it means to have a true and genuine relationship with Him. Please pray that they can be a shining light to all those who surround them throughout their families, their schools, and within their community.

Thank you all for your continued support!

Respectfully submitted,
Jessica Fieldus
Youth Director



MINISTRY REPORT 2025



It's been another rich and meaningful year for the worship ministry at GDAC. As a team, we've had the joy of ministering together, encouraging one another, and continuing to learn and grow, both musically and spiritually. I remain in awe of the God-given talent among our musicians and singers, and it's been a gift to witness how each person continues to develop and flourish in their faith and in their role.

One highlight from this past year that stands out was the way the entire team rallied around a new member, offering encouragement, practical support, and genuine care to help him succeed. (Which he has, and continues to do!) It was a true "proud Momma" moment for me and a beautiful example of what it means to be the body of Christ in action. Well done, Team!

On a personal note, it's bittersweet for me as our second son heads off to university. While I'll miss him greatly—not only as his mom, but also for his faithful involvement and musical gifts—I'm already looking forward to welcoming him back during the Christmas and summer breaks like I have with our first son, and others who are in the midst of their post-secondary education.

One of the most memorable services this past year was our Christmas Eve gathering. It was a joy to prepare and lead, and I'm grateful to everyone who participated, including a couple of enthusiastic students from CCS, for helping create such a meaningful and Spirit-filled evening.

Looking ahead, I'm excited that our Fall Choir, led by Becky Spicer, is already in the works for an October presentation. It's my hope to continue offering opportunities like this more regularly, not just during the holidays, so more people can engage and be involved in worship through music.

In addition, monthly Worship Nights have resumed, now organized by Michael Ryan, with smaller teams offering an extended time of praise, prayer, and reflection. I encourage everyone to come out and be part of these evenings. They're a wonderful way to draw near to Christ in a different rhythm than Sunday mornings allow.

I'm thankful for the support of our leadership team and church family, and I'm looking forward to what God has in store for us in the year ahead.

— Becca Groombridge, Worship Leader

"The GDAC Worship Team is dedicated to glorifying God through a saving faith in Jesus Christ and personal spiritual growth. We pursue excellence and proficiency in our talents, recognizing them as gifts for furthering God's kingdom. By valuing communication, punctuality, accountability, unity, and humility, we aim to reflect sincere worship through our conduct and stage presence. We strive to lead our congregation in genuine praise, inspiring each other and ultimately glorifying God."

CURRENT WORSHIP TEAM MEMBERS

Emily Bain - Piano/Vocals/Leader

William Bain - Sound/Live Stream

Stephen Baker - Drums

Derek Bos - Vocals

Anita Capeling - Vocals

Brad Capeling - Guitar/Vocals

John Derksen - Vocals

Rachael Derksen - Piano/Keyboard/Vocals

Kaitlyn Douma - Vocals

Nancy DuChene - Piano/Keyboard

Billy Fehr - Sound

Fred Feyen - Drums

Annie Fields - Vocals/Leader

Jeff Fieldus - Visuals/Live Stream

Junior Friesen - Sound

Becca Groombridge - Worship Leader

Kaiden Groombridge - Piano/Keyboard/Visuals

Kaleb Groombridge - Drums/Guitar/Bass/Trombone

Kirk Groombridge - Live Stream

Ted Hartford - Visuals

Cole Hopman - Visuals

Jeff Hopman - Live Stream

Sarah Hopman - Vocals

Sonya Louzon - Guitar/Flute

Jessie McCann - Keyboard

Jeff McFadden - Sound

Ray McFadden - Vocals

Michael Ryan - Guitar/Bass Guitar

Eric Saunders - Trumpet

Amanda Sheane - Vocals

Curtis Smids - Keyboard

Maria Smids - Piano/Vocals/Leader

Natasha Smids - Vocals

Kate Sparling - Keyboard

Roy Van Kesteren - Vocals

Jennifer VanMinnen - Vocals

Julia VanMinnen - Vocals

Denise Vreman - Vocals

Ephraim Vreman - Drums

Kevin Vreman - Vocals

Jonathon Zuidema - Visuals/Sound

family facts

statistics for July 2024 to June 2025

RESPONSES TO JESUS

Summer Camps 140
March Break Camp 19 **159**

BAPTISMS

Jacqueline Buchanan
Brenda Ryerson
Julia VanMinnen
Taryn Bailey
Mandy Bramley **5**

WEDDINGS

Howard & Joanne Lee **1**

DEATHS

Eva Perry
George McDougall
Bob Vellinga
Brenda Bradley
Maxine Lenover
Margaret McGee
Florence Kelley
Bernetta Ruby **8**

MEMBERSHIP

Stephen Baker
Tina Baker
Jacqueline Buchanan
Jessica Fieldus
Dan Kobyłka
Gary Louzon
Sonya Louzon
Brenda Ryerson
Cathy Zuidema
Taryn Bailey
Mandy Bramley
Chris Chandler
Joyce Chandler
Gordon Gales
Lucie Gales
Tracey Robinson **16**

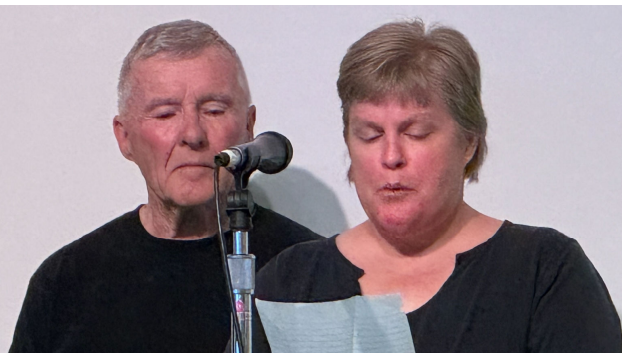
BIRTHS/ADOPTIONS

Elizabeth Bain
Timothy Woelke **2**

BABY/CHILD DEDICATIONS

Khoen Badder
Tyler Zuidema
David Baker **3**

membership & baptisms



missions

GDAC has always been supportive of missions. We see it through the generous giving of the congregation to the Global Advance Fund that supports the international missions work of the Alliance. The church has also been faithful in supporting our own members that go on mission. Amanda Sheane left February 23, 2025 to go to Japan for five months with YWAM. She was teaching at a discipleship training school for a few months and then working with an outreach group for the remainder of the time. We had a potluck lunch that raised over \$2000 to support her before she left.

The Cinnamon Bun Fundraiser was successful again this year. We raised a little over \$1500 that was divided between the Kids in Crisis Centre, the Toronto missions' trip and youth missions.

This past fall, we conducted a church-wide survey to gauge the interest of members wanting to go on a church mission trip. Since the results were so positive, we began planning in February for a weekend trip to Toronto for June 6-8th. Through a church auction and donations, we were able to raise over \$7000 for the Toronto Missions Trip.

We had 39 team members participate from the church to serve God through different ministries in the Brampton area. One group went to Extencicare Nursing Home where they spent the day playing games, singing, make crafts, giving gifts and just spending time with the residents.

Another group of three team members went to the Wilkinson Men's Homeless Shelter to visit, serve lunch, and bring goodies and supplies to the guys living there.

There were also children's and youth sports teams that went out in the parks to encourage, play and be a light of Jesus to these young kids, teens and some moms that were hanging around.

Fifteen of our team members helped Bramalea Baptist with grocery distribution to a low-income housing area. We were able to pray over different people with their needs and invite them to the children's event in the park that we were hosting as well. This was a great opportunity for some of our teammates to push themselves as they prayed over people.

The street evangelism group stepped out of their comfort zone and tried some different ways of sharing the gospel on the streets in Brampton. One of our teammates were able to lead a girl to the Lord through this and connect her with the church we were serving alongside.

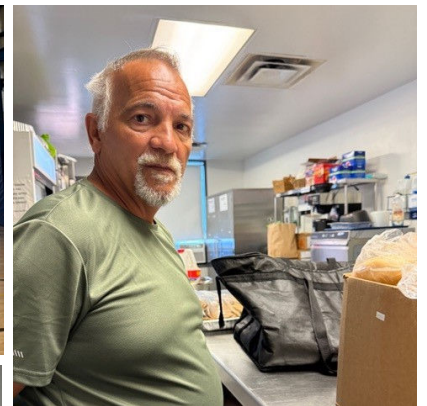
Overall, the church members that went on this trip had an open heart ready to be used by God. They were flexible with changes that came, and many tried things they have never done before. Our team members grew in their walks with God through this experience and planted many seeds in the lives of the people we talked with, played with, and prayed for.

Total money given to support the international missions work of the Alliance in 2024 was \$82,127.00. That includes Global Advance, District Ministries and Designated Specials. Thank you for your generosity! Our goal for 2025 is \$90,000.00.

Our current committee members include Joe Hall, Joyce McIntyre, Christine St. Pierre, Anita Capeling, Sandy Ryall, Joyce Chandler, Arlene Maris, Pastor Steve Sheane and Steph Cooper. But we always welcome new members who have a heart for missions and would like to get involved more.

Respectfully submitted,
Stephanie Cooper, Chair

missions trip to Brampton



missions con't



Once again, Nancy DuChene and Gregory Drive served as the local collection site for Samaritan's Purse's Operation Christmas Child. Thank you Nancy, for all your hard work!



Thank you to all who contributed to this worthy endeavour, filling shoeboxes, providing gifts-in-kind (many hand-made) and through donations.

Final Tally for 2024

Chatham-Kent and the surrounding community filled 3,147 shoeboxes.

Ontario 152,664, Canada 436,209 and worldwide 11,927,439.

Thank you to Charron Transport Ltd. for delivering the cartons of shoeboxes to Mississauga. From there they continued on their way to Calgary and on to children who were excited to receive those gifts, packed with such care and prayer.

Thank you again for helping to bring joy, love and the message of Christmas to so many.

Thank you for your continuing interest and support of Alliance missionaries and their work.

board of elders 2024 - 2025

Stephen Sheane - Lead Pastor

Al Baker

Dave Dent - Chairman

Gord Brown

Roy Van Kesteren - Vice-Chairman

Jason Cooper

Steve Parr - Secretary

Jeff Dam

Eric Saunders - Treasurer

Andrew Hummelen

nominating committee

Elders at Gregory Drive Alliance Church serve a two-year term and can then be re-nominated to a second two year term, after which they may not serve for at least one year. The elders board may have up to nine elders in addition to the lead pastor.

Dave Dent, Jason Cooper and Gord Brown have completed their first year of service.

Andrew Hummelen has completed his second year of service and is being re-nominated for a second two year term.

Roy Van Kesteren has completed the first year of his second term.

Alan Baker, Jeff Dam, Steve Parr and Eric Saunders have completed their 2 year term and are leaving the elders.

The Nominating Team are making the following nominations for the 2025/26 term;

Bob Beasley, Brad Capeling and Ray McFadden.

Respectfully submitted by the Nominating Committee:

Stephen Sheane, John Derksen, Carmen Craig, Jeff Dam and Eric Saunders

membership 2024 - 2025

Active

Anderson, George
Anderson, Janie
Attewell, Jean
Bailey, Taryn
Bain, Jeanine
Bain, William
Bain, Emily
Baker, Alan
Baker, Rosanne
Baker, Stephen
Baker, Greg
Baker, Martha
Beasley, Bob
Bechard, Judy
Benoit, Mark
Benoit, Karen
Bos, Derek
Boudreau, Lillian
Bourbonnais, Denis
Bourbonnais, Barb
Bramley, Mandy
Brown, Gordon
Brown, Anne
Buchanan, Jacquie
Campbell, Doug
Campbell, Sandy
Capeling, Brad
Capeling, Anita
Chandler, Chris
Chandler, Joyce
Chotka, David
Chotka, Elizabeth
Cooper, Doug
Cooper, Lorie
Cooper, Jason
Cooper, Stephanie
Craig, Carmen
Dam, Jeff
Dam, Shelly
Daniels, Joanne
deHaas, Sid
deHaas, Ann
DeJong, Rob
DeJong, Patti
Dent, David
Dent, Cathy
Derksen, John
Derksen, Alice
Derksen, Jonathan
Derksen, Andrea
Dickinson, Pete
Dickinson, Jane
DuChene, Nancy

Fields, Jason
Fields, Annie
Fieldus, Jeff
Fieldus, Tracy
Fieldus, Jacob
Fieldus, Jessica
Fraser, Cassandra
Friesen, Abraham
Friesen, Nancy
Furtah, Marg
Gales, Gordon
Gales, Lucie
Groombridge, Audrey
Groombridge, Kirk
Groombridge, Rebecca
Hall, Joe
Hall, Marjory
Harold, Fred
Harold, Marie
Hartford, Ted
Hartford, Ruth
Hiday, Jane
Hiday, Sandra
Hopman, Marien
Hopman, Jeff
Hopman, Sarah
Hummelen, Andrew
Hummelen, Tena
Jee, Beverley
Koaches, Jean
Kobylka, Dan
Krieger, Dennis
Krieger, Liddy
Krieger, Sarah
Krieger, Matthew
Krieger, Jennifer
Leeson, John
Leeson, Lucy
Lemay, Trisha
Little, Louisa
Lourie, Stephen
Lourie, Josephine
Louzon, Gary
Louzon, Sonya
McCutcheon, Ty
McFadden, Ray
McFadden, Ruth
McIntyre, Joyce
Mahecha, Miguel
Mahecha, Gladis
Marchand, Janet
Maris, Dale
Maris, Arlene

Maynard, Anna
Noordam, Jean
Orr, Wayne
Orr, Nancy
Parker-Larsen, Lynn
Parr, Steve
Parr, Jane
Perry, Susan
Rikley, Bonnie
Robinson, Tracey
Roelofsen, Peter
Roelofsen, Nellie
Rothery, Gerrie
Ruston, Gary
Ruston, Bethany
Ryall, Sandy
Ryerson, Brenda
Sandstrom, Donna
Saunders, Eric
Saunders, Maureen
Sheane, Stephen
Sheane, Naomi
Sheane, Petra
Sheane, Amanda
Sheane, Rosemarie
Sides, Brian
Sides, Sarah
Sloman, Mark
Soo, Juliet
Spence, Sara
Spicer, Rebecca
Stacey, Michelle
Steven, Bob
Steven, Marilyn
St.Pierre, Christine
St. Pierre, Barbara
St. Pierre, Norm
St. Pierre, Eva-Maria
Stucke, Gayle
Stull, Gloria
Suelzle, Harry
Suelzle, Marilyn
Sutherland, Jim
Sutherland, Shirley
Tatsu, Monique
Tatsu, Madeline
Tatsu, Kolton
Utley, Donna
Vander Ende, Laird
Vander Ende, Pat
Van Der Vliet, Al
Van Der Vliet, Rita
Van Eijkern, Margje

Van Kesteren, Hughie
Van Kesteren, Joanne
Van Kesteren, Roy
Van Kesteren, Nina
Vellinga, Willy
Vince, Wayne
Vince, Susanne
Walden, Garry
Welch, Brent
Welch, Lee Ann
Wicksey, Ethel
Wiersma, Evelien
Woelke, Ben
Woelke, Lisa
Wolfe, Blake
Wood, Glen
Wood, Terry
Zuidema, Cathy
Zuidema, Jonathon

Honorary

Kuranji, Danny
Kuranji, Vera
Sheane, Hillary



GREGORY DRIVE
ALLIANCE CHURCH

2024 - 2025 financial review

To the members of Gregory Drive Alliance Church

We have examined the financial records – disbursements and associated invoices for Gregory Drive Alliance Church for the year ended June 30, 2025. Our review showed that the financial statements contained in this Annual Report has no significant errors, omissions or irregularities and are an accurate reflection of income, expenditures and financial position of the Church.

Respectfully submitted,
Harry Suelzle
Susanne Vince

2025 finance committee report

GREGORY DRIVE ALLIANCE CHURCH			
BALANCE SHEET			
AS OF JUNE 30, 2025			
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Bank Accounts			
Operating Account	\$	174,270	
GIC	\$	114,463	
Total Cash in Bank			\$ 288,733
Accounts Receivable			\$ -
GST Receivable			\$ 7,350
Total Current Assets			\$ 296,083
TOTAL ASSETS			\$ 296,083
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Accounts Payable			\$ -
Total Current Liabilities			\$ -
TOTAL LIABILITIES			\$ -
EQUITY			
Maintenance Reserve			\$ 134,742
Children's Camps			\$ 116,226
Short-Term Missions			\$ 1,958
Open Hands			\$ 17,960
Building Fund			\$ -
Bequests			\$ -
Retained Earnings			\$ 10,627
Net Operating Income (Loss)			\$ 14,569
TOTAL EQUITY			\$ 296,083
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY			\$ 296,083

THE CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE CHURCH		
O/A GREGORY DRIVE ALLIANCE CHURCH		
BUILDING FUND SUMMARY		
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025		
Balance June 30, 2024	\$	89,200
Receipts	\$	-
Renovation Costs	-\$	47,185
Moved to Maintenance Reserve	-\$	42,016
Balance June 30, 2025	-\$	0

GREGORY DRIVE ALLIANCE CHURCH
INCOME STATEMENT
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2025

OPERATING INCOME

General Funds				\$	459,831
GIC Interest				\$	4,518
				\$	464,349

OPERATING EXPENSES

Administration				\$	293,054
Office Expenses				\$	17,226
Ministry				\$	22,535
Facility				\$	100,964
Reserves				\$	16,000
				\$	449,780

NET OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)

\$ 14,569

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Global Advance	\$	47,709	\$	47,709	\$	-
District Ministries	\$	5,933	\$	5,933	\$	-
KIC & School Project	\$	11,343	\$	11,343	\$	-
Lizette Lavoie Work	\$	1,200	\$	1,200	\$	-
Serbia Ministry	\$	9,265	\$	9,265	\$	-
TOTAL DESIGNATED FUNDS	\$	75,449	\$	75,449	\$	-

RESTRICTED FUNDS

	Receipts		Disbursements		
Children's Day Camps	\$	129,273	\$	94,128	\$ 35,145
Short-Term Missions	\$	4,103	\$	3,240	\$ 863
Open Hands	\$	11,881	\$	21,839	-\$ 9,958
Bequests (\$2,194.19 To Kids' Day Camps)	\$	-	\$	2,194	-\$ 2,194
Building Fund (Reno \$47,184.93; To Mntnce Rsrv (\$42,015.50)	\$	-	\$	89,200	-\$ 89,200
Maintenance Reserve (\$42,015.50 From Bldg Fund)	\$	42,016	\$	314	\$ 41,701
TOTAL RESTRICTED FUNDS	\$	187,272	\$	210,916	-\$ 23,643

NET INCOME (LOSS)

-\$ 9,074

GREGORY DRIVE ALLIANCE CHURCH

OPERATING EXPENSES

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2025

ACCOUNT	YTD ACTUAL	2024-2025 BUDGET	OVER / (UNDER) BUDGET
ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries & Wages (Note 1)	\$ 286,099.19	\$ 280,000.00	\$ 6,099.19
Senior Pastor Expenses	\$ 2,371.11	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,371.11
Children's Pastor Expenses	\$ 51.93	\$ 1,000.00	\$ (948.07)
Youth Director	\$ 345.15	\$ 1,000.00	\$ (654.85)
Conferences & Memberships (Note 3)	\$ 3,411.84	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 911.84
Plan to Protect	\$ 275.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 75.00
Honorariums	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ (500.00)
	\$ 293,054.22	\$ 286,700.00	\$ 6,354.22
OFFICE EXPENSES			
Accounting (Note 2)	\$ 6,229.96	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 729.96
Office Supplies	\$ 3,178.04	\$ 3,500.00	\$ (321.96)
Communications	\$ 1,957.07	\$ 4,000.00	\$ (2,042.93)
Photocopier (Note 3)	\$ 5,133.85	\$ 5,500.00	\$ (366.15)
Equipment	\$ 727.57	\$ 1,500.00	\$ (772.43)
	\$ 17,226.49	\$ 20,000.00	\$ (2,773.51)
MINISTRY			
Children's Ministry	\$ 6,313.47	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 313.47
Alliance Christian School	\$ -	\$ 20,000.00	\$ (20,000.00)
Junior High	\$ 764.30	\$ 2,000.00	\$ (1,235.70)
Senior High	\$ 3,577.03	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,577.03
Quizzing	\$ 1,396.25	\$ 3,500.00	\$ (2,103.75)
Young Adults	\$ -	\$ 500.00	\$ (500.00)
Adult Ministry	\$ 107.36	\$ 500.00	\$ (392.64)
Missions	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ -
Decoration	\$ 322.20	\$ 500.00	\$ (177.80)
Music & Worship	\$ 4,312.57	\$ 5,000.00	\$ (687.43)
Flowers & Gideons	\$ 540.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 140.00
Church Wide Events & Outreach	\$ 3,701.90	\$ 5,000.00	\$ (1,298.10)
	\$ 22,535.08	\$ 46,900.00	\$ (24,364.92)
FACILITY RELATED			
Facility Use	\$ (125.00)	\$ (500.00)	\$ 375.00
Facility Contract Services	\$ 36,684.36	\$ 37,000.00	\$ (315.64)
Kitchen Supplies	\$ 285.85	\$ 1,000.00	\$ (714.15)
Insurance	\$ 7,037.42	\$ 6,200.00	\$ 837.42
Electricity	\$ 13,191.53	\$ 17,000.00	\$ (3,808.47)
Gas	\$ 9,996.98	\$ 16,000.00	\$ (6,003.02)
Janitorial Supplies	\$ 6,309.71	\$ 8,000.00	\$ (1,690.29)
Facility Improvements (Capital)	\$ -	\$ 10,000.00	\$ (10,000.00)
Maintenance - Building & Property	\$ 9,664.16	\$ 12,000.00	\$ (2,335.84)
Maintenance - Contents	\$ -	\$ 2,000.00	\$ (2,000.00)
Maintenance - Parking & Lawn	\$ 17,211.03	\$ 11,000.00	\$ 6,211.03
Security System	\$ 707.96	\$ 900.00	\$ (192.04)
	\$ 100,964.00	\$ 120,600.00	\$ (19,636.00)
OTHER			
Maintenance Reserve (Note 4)	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	\$ -
Missions Reserve (Note 4)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ -
	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ -
OPERATING EXPENSES	\$ 449,779.79	\$ 490,200.00	\$ (40,420.21)

proposed budget

GREGORY DRIVE ALLIANCE CHURCH		
PROPOSED 2025-2026 BUDGET		
ACCOUNT	2024-2025 BUDGET	2025-2026 BUDGET
ADMINISTRATION		
Salaries & Wages	\$ 280,000	\$ 275,000.00
Senior Pastor Expenses	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000.00
Children's Pastor Expenses	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000.00
Youth Pastor Expenses	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000.00
Conferences & Memberships	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,000.00
Honorariums	\$ 1,000	\$ 800.00
Plan to Protect	\$ 200	\$ 200.00
	\$ 286,700	\$ 281,000
OFFICE EXPENSES		
Accounting	\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500.00
Office Supplies	\$ 3,500	\$ 3,500.00
Communications	\$ 4,000	\$ 3,000.00
Photocopier	\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500.00
Equipment	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500.00
	\$ 20,000	\$ 19,000
MINISTRY		
Children's Ministry	\$ 6,000	\$ 6,000.00
School	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000.00
Junior High	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000.00
Senior High	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000.00
Quizzing	\$ 3,500	\$ 3,500.00
Young Adults	\$ 500	\$ 500.00
Adult Ministry	\$ 500	\$ 500.00
Missions	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500.00
Decoration	\$ 500	\$ 500.00
Music & Worship	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000.00
Flowers & Gideons	\$ 400	\$ 500.00
Church Wide Events & Outreach	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000.00
	\$ 46,900	\$ 47,000
FACILITY RELATED		
Facility Use	\$ (500)	\$ (500.00)
Facility Contract Services	\$ 37,000	\$ 38,000.00
Kitchen Supplies	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000.00
Insurance	\$ 6,200	\$ 7,000.00
Electricity	\$ 17,000	\$ 17,000.00
Gas	\$ 16,000	\$ 15,000.00
Janitorial Supplies	\$ 8,000	\$ 8,000.00
Facility Improvements (Capital)	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000.00
Maintenance - Building & Property	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,000.00
Maintenance - Contents	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000.00
Maintenance - Parking & Lawn	\$ 11,000	\$ 12,000.00
Security System	\$ 900	\$ 1,000.00
	\$ 120,600	\$ 122,500
RESERVES		
Missions Reserve	\$ 1,000	\$ 5,000.00
Maintenance Reserve	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000.00
	\$ 16,000	\$ 20,000
	\$ 490,200	\$ 489,500

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