

# Ottawa Reformed Church Consistory Meeting Notes

## Monday, March 3, 2025

1. Matthew and Heidi Prince came to request baptism for their infant daughter, Emmaline Mae.
2. Peyton Marie Diemer, the daughter of Adam and Kylie, came to profess Jesus Christ as her personal Lord and Savior.
3. Tyler Daniel Hughes, the son of Dan and Rachel, came to profess Jesus Christ as his personal Lord and Savior.
4. Caden John Nienhuis, the son of Tim and Michelle, came to profess Jesus Christ as his personal Lord and Savior.
4. Keelie Jo Prince, the daughter of Matthew and Heidi, came to profess Jesus Christ as her personal Lord and Savior.
5. We will partake in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper on March 9, the first Sunday of Lent.
6. The Special Offering for March is designated for Compassionate Heart Ministries and will be collected on March 16.
7. March Preaching Schedule: March 2 AM – Dr. Jim Poit, PM – Reverend Greg Alderman; March 9 AM – Pastor Mike Van Buren, PM – Dr. Jim Poit; March 16 AM – Dr. Jim Poit, PM – Pastor Mike Van Buren; March 23 AM – Pastor Mike Van Buren, PM – Dr. Jim Poit; March 30 AM – Dr. Jim Poit, PM – Pastor Mike Van Buren.
8. The Children's Choir will sing during the morning worship service on March 16.
9. Next Council Meetings: Business Administration 03-10-25, Congregational Care 05-12-25, Executive 03-24-25, Outreach 05-20-25, Spiritual Formation 05-12-25, Worship 05-13-25.
10. A groundbreaking ceremony for the new sanctuary will happen on Sunday, April 6, following the morning worship service.

### Worship Attendance Record

	<u>02/09/25</u>	<u>02/16/25</u>	<u>02/23/25</u>	<u>03/02/25</u>
9:30 AM Service	350	322	354	366
5:00 PM Service	102	107	113	120

### February 16, 2025, Financial Report

	<u>Givings</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Ahead/(Behind)</u>
General Fund	\$467,992.34	\$496,548.46	\$(28,556.12)
Mission Fund	\$ 39,948.24	\$ 55,046.54	\$(15,098.30)
Building Fund	\$1,002,373.51		

### Offering Report

	<u>Required</u>	<u>02/09/25</u>	<u>02/16/25</u>	<u>02/23/25</u>	<u>03/02/25</u>
General Fund	\$15,046.92	\$11,809.37	\$10,438.53	\$13,401.48	\$13,797.46
Mission Fund	\$ 1,668.08	\$ 775.77	\$ 943.77	\$ 2,127.77	\$ 1,110.77
Building Fund	\$ -	\$ 2,083.08	\$ 2,918.08	\$ 3,068.08	\$ 2,948.08
Special Offering for GEMS and Cadets National Office \$945.01					