

**Senior Pastor Search Committee  
Mars Hill Baptist Church**

**Minutes  
March 17, 2010**

**Present:** Clint Adams, Darlene Adams, Mitch Baker, Darrell Daniel, Elaine Healan, Dan Horne, Tina Paul, Jeremy Rogers, Harold Smith, Denise Stanchek

The meeting of the Senior Pastor Search Committee opened with scripture. Philippians 4: 4-7, excerpt from Experiencing God, Proverbs 3: 3, 5&6, Psalm 103, Ephesians 1:3.

Prayer requests were proffered by Clint, Dan and Jeremy.

**Praise and Prayer**

Matthew 6: 9-13 in unison

John 17: 20-26 followed by prayer

Ephesians 1: 16-22 followed by prayer

Ephesians 3: 14-19 and Philippians 1: 9-11 followed by prayer

Colossians 1: 9-12 followed by prayer

1 Timothy 2: 1-4 followed by prayer

Jude 1: 24-25 in unison

**Communication Processes**

*With Candidates.* A motion was made and seconded to follow the model set forth during the Youth Pastor search of corresponding with candidates. Letters regarding acknowledgement of receipt of resume, an information package, and update on status of search will be modified specific to the Senior Pastor position following the GBC training session. A motion was made and seconded to provide an initial communication with candidate as to whether they would or would not be considered for the position. Darlene and Denise will provide a draft of this correspondence at the next regular meeting.

*With Church.* Meeting minutes will be available for review in a binder located in the church office and on the church website. Brief updates will be provided mid-month by Dan to the congregation and at the beginning of the month in the MHBC newsletter.

**Next Meeting**

The committee will attend a GBC training session scheduled for Tuesday, March 23, 2010.

The Senior Pastor Search Committee continues to seek the Lord's guidance through prayer and the study of His word. We respectfully request your prayers we move through this process.

The meeting closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted by,  
Denise Stanchek