

Splinters from the



BOARD MEETING

Highlights from the Ministry
Board meeting of
First Christian Church,
March 23, 2015

CELEBRATIONS SHARED!

Final 2014 year-end financial statements show that FCC ended the year "in the black" by \$21,500! This makes the third year in a row that our annual budget ended up with a surplus. Moreover, those statements also show that actual contributions/pledges received toward the annual budget exceeded what was hoped for by over \$20,000! What a testimony to YOUR "outrageous generosity!"

Received an initial report from Senior Pastor Chuck Blaisdell on his educational leave/sabbatical. We look forward to the March 29 "Sabbatical Show and Tell" for a complete presentation.

The re-roofing is almost (FINALLY!) finished, the elevator is on track to be installed by April's end

Heard plans to celebrate in early May the completion of Phases 1, 2, and 3 of the Capital Campaign (the re-roof, the elevator, and the renovation of a room as part of our capital campaign "mission tithe" for use by the Tennyson Center for its El Paso county satellite office) - and the opportunity for the next phases and how you can continue your support.

ACTIONS TAKEN

Approved the calling of Lynn Smith as "Volunteer Lay Minister of Visitation." If you have been hospitalized or homebound, you likely have already met Lynn and experienced her pastoral gifts. We'll make sure she is introduced to everyone in worship soon! She is under the care of the Central Rocky Mountain Disciples for ordination.

Questions? Please feel free to ask Moderator Don Metz or Senior Pastor Chuck Blaisdell!