Shepherding Committee Report Spring 2022 Meeting of Great Lakes-Gulf Presbytery

Below is a list of those who are presently on the general roll who had been members of the mission church in Dayton, Tennessee, with communicants being marked with an asterisk.

Adam* and Sarah* Campbell; Noah*, James. The Campbells have now joined Grace Bible Church, Dayton, Tennessee. Both Adam and Sarah have struggled with health issues.

Kevin* and Marcia* Clauson; Lori, Rachel. The Clausons are attending Independent Presbyterian Church, Sale Creek, Tennessee. Prof. Clauson is spearheading Christendom Bible College, which is being founded in New Richmond, Ohio. The Clausons will accordingly to be moving to that area in the summer, with the plan being for them to attend and join Southwest Ohio RPC.

Stephen Clauson.* According to his parents from a year ago, Stephen had not been attending church. No further information has been received.

Reggie* and Lori* Ecarma; Nathan, Jonathan. The Ecarmas relocated back to the Philippines. We have not been in contact with them.

Bill* and Natalie* Goodpaster; Jonathan, Anna, Jackson, Matthew, R.C. As of last year, Bill and Natalie Goodpaster and their non-communicant children are attending a Primitive Baptist church. Several phone calls the past several months to Mr. Goodpaster have not been answered.

Joshua Goodpaster.* We were not able to contact him last year, despite our best efforts. We have no new information regarding him.

With regard to members from the now-dissolved Pageland (S.C.) mission church, **Gary and Patrice Wise** were transferred by the AIC to Faith Presbyterian Church (PCA), Conway, South Carolina. We have no new information regarding the remaining members, **David Usher** and **Gil and Gwen Whaley**.

Recommendation:

1. That the Campbell family be dismissed with our blessing to Grace Bible Church, Dayton, Tennessee, with confirmation that all the members of that family have received Christian baptism.

2. That unless communication is received by the Clerk of Presbytery prior to June 30, 2022, the following individuals and families be removed from the roll, effective that date; and that the letter communicating this action regarding the impending removal contain the warning of our Confession of Faith that outside of the visible church, there is no ordinary possibility of salvation (cf. Form 2-A [H-3]): Stephen Clauson; the Bill Goodpaster family; Joshua Goodpaster; David Usher; the Gil and Gwen Whaley.

3. That the Kevin Clauson family be encouraged to join the Southwest Ohio RPC at the earliest convenient date.

4. That this report be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

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