



2024 MINISTRY NIGHT

SUNDAY, MAY 26, 2024
6 PM AT JERICHO CENTRE
19533 64 AVENUE



JERICHO
COMMUNITY
CHURCH **RIDGE**

MEETING AGENDA

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Mark Hastie // Moderator

Adoption of November 2023 AGM Minutes

Katy Kwon // Secretary

Financial Report

James Carpenter // Treasurer

Jericho Faith Society Report & Appreciation

Darwin Warkentin // JFS Chair

Ministry Moment (Part 1)

Jenna Tulman // Executive Pastor

Pastoral Report

Wally Nickel // Transitional Pastor

Moderator's Report

Mark Hastie // Moderator

Elder Affirmation

Katy Kwon // Secretary

Elder Appreciation

Del Penner // Elder

Ministry Moment (Part 2)

Jenna Tulman // Executive Pastor

Voting Results

Mark Hastie // Moderator

Closing Remarks & Prayer

Mark Hastie // Moderator

VISION NIGHT 2023 MEETING MINUTES

Jericho Ridge Community Church // Vision Night AGM
November 26, 2023 6:00 - 7:44 PM at Jericho Centre



WELCOME AND OPENING PRAYER – MARK H.

SOCIETY BUSINESS – KATY K.

- » Quorum is present
- » MOTION: Adopt Minutes from June 2023 Minutes by Liam P. and Rachel C. *Passed with edits.*
- » MOTION: Adopt Minutes from October 2023 Minutes by Jenna T. and Otty J. *Passed.*
- » MOTION: Call Del Penner as Elder. *Passed by secret ballot. Tammy S. and Sue C. as scrutineers.*
- » MOTION: Destroy ballots by Otty J. and Jordan G. *Passed.*

FINANCIAL REPORT – JAMES C.

- » Acknowledgement of the work of the JFS team and other who have been working on the mortgage. We have decided not to move lenders and instead to continue working with Legacy Foundation.
- » Forecast is to have a significant shortfall by the end of the financial year.
- » MOTION: Accept the 2024 Budget by Tyler S. and Jenna T. *Passed.*

MODERATOR'S REPORT – MARK H.

- » Appreciation of staff, pastors, elders, and JFS teams for service.
- » In light of budget challenges, the board will be looking to hire a Children's Director at 12 hours instead of replacing at the full 22 hours that previous Children's Pastors served.
- » Vision Report by Del Penner on his Alpha group.
- » Vision Report by Jenna Tulman on Raphael House
- » Vision Report by Liam Penner on partnership with Young Life

TRANSITIONAL PASTOR'S REPORT – WALLY N.

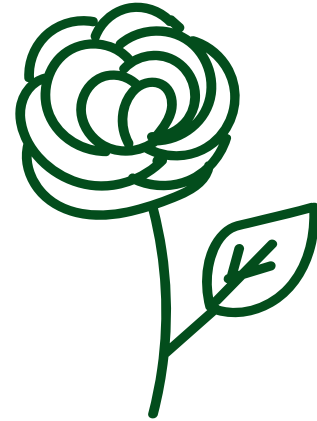
- » Reflections on the last month of ministry, timeline of transitional ministry. We are needing to attend to issues on the relational level, especially at the leadership level.
- » Adding 'restoring a leadership foundation' to the path of transitional care
- » Questions and comments from members and ongoing conversations

MODERATOR'S REPORT – MARK H.

- » Reflections on Acts 15, Paul and Barnabas' dispute about Mark – work of restoration.
- » MOTION: Adjourn Vision Night 2023 by Liam P. and Claire P. *Passed.*

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:44 PM

FINANCIAL UPDATE



James Carpenter // Treasurer

As our church family has grown and attended to the work of the Spirit in 2023 we have been witness to your financial generosity. In November, we let you know that there was a significant financial need as we requested \$100,000 by the end of the year. God demonstrated His faithfulness to us once again as you responded with generosity and between November and December we received over \$106,000.

Despite trying to run a lean budget our expenses were higher than originally projected. Most of the increase in 2023 was the result of the pastoral transition which began in October that included our financial commitment to Pastor Brad through to the end of December. Year after year, our mortgage and staffing expenses continue to be the largest parts of our budgeted expenses. Despite the increased expenses we did end up very close to our budget deficit projection.

Our total revenue for 2023 was \$500,893–this includes \$7,616 for benevolence. Our total expenses for the year were \$553,073 creating a \$54,285 deficit for the year.

Even with the 2023 deficit, we began 2024 in a healthy financial position. However, we knew that strong financial support was needed from you, our generous Jericho Ridge family. In April 2024 we gave an update on our first quarter finances. According to the approved budget for 2024, we were projecting approximately \$115,000 in giving. At the time of the update, we had received \$89,431, which meant we were operating at a \$25,569 deficit for the first quarter.

After the first quarter of 2024, the trend we are seeing in our giving is challenging. We have seen amazing restorative work take place relationally and the transitional process continues to be progressing well. Nevertheless, our finances continue to be a struggle; we are asking for your prayers as we assess and strategize possible new ways forward. However the Lord leads us, we know that we are part of his plan for Jericho and so we continue to ask that each of us seek God and ask what He would have you give consistently through 2024. We have seen God come through repeatedly in our Jericho Ridge history and we are trusting that 2024 will be no different. While we face challenges, we do not face them alone for He is with us and He has a plan for His church.

As stated above, 2024 is off to a slow start financially. We are falling significantly behind in our revenue projections and are currently running a \$38,855 deficit. We are having strategic meetings as Elders and leaders, including engaging with the BCMB Conference to find a viable path forward. These meetings have been positive and we have the support of the BCMB Conference, as well as the support of Legacy Fund, our denominational mortgage holder. We ask you to pray for the church in this season, seeking the Lord for wisdom and asking Him what your part in this could be. We are seeing the family of Jericho dig in and demonstrate a commitment to moving forward together. Even though the finances continue to present a challenge, we have many committed, strong and faithful people that are engaging in the process.

Let us not lose heart at the challenges we face but continue to press in and trust in all the Lord has for us.



2024 BUDGET YTD

ITEM	2024 BUDGET	JAN-MAR BUDGET	JAN-MAR ACTUAL	
REVENUE				
1	General Revenue	460,000	115,000	87,984
2	Benevolence			
3	Grants	20,000		
4	FVES Gym Rental	9,450	2,364	1,448
5	Other			
6	Total Revenue	489,450	122,362	89,432
EXPENSES				
STAFF				
7	Salary And Benefits	267,111	66,778	61,017
8	CEWS & Smmer Job Grant	- 7,000		
9	Pastoral Support	10,000	2,500	4,460
10	Total Staff	270,111	67,528	65,477
ADMINISTRATION				
11	Facility	126,000	31,500	32,288
12	General Administration	41,508	10,377	19,164
13	Total Administration	167,508	41,877	51,452
CHURCH MINISTRY				
14	Children's Ministry	3,000	750	603
15	Youth Ministry	2,150	538	0
16	Frontlines/Hospitality	6,000	1,500	710
17	Prayer Ministry	200	50	0
18	Groups	400	100	134
19	Worship	5,390	1,348	51
20	Total Church Ministry	17,140	4,285	1,498
MISSIONS				
21	Supported Missionaries	17,279	4,320	5,610
22	BCMB Conference, etc.	25,000	6,250	4,250
23	Under The Same Sun	1,000		
24	Local Outreach	3,150		
25	Total Missions	46,429	11,607	9,860
26	Total Expenses - Operations	501,188	125,297	128,287
27	Net Income/(Loss)	- 11,738	- 2,935	- 38,855



JERICHO FAITH SOCIETY REPORT

Darwin Warkentin // JFS Chair

Jericho Faith Society (JFS) consists of Joel Schacter, Tyler Schacter (treasurer), Otty Justason and Darwin Warkentin (chair). Ex-officio members include Candice McWilliams (facility manager) and Jenna Tulman (JRCC elder liaison).

In January of 2024, Ron Zacharias announced his official resignation as a JFS board member. There are not enough words or actions that can acknowledge what Ron has put into the JFS board since its inception. From the planning stages of finding a permanent home for JRCC, throughout the purchasing process of Jericho Centre, into the renovation planning and execution stage, to building and refining relationships with rental groups, to constant tech support sessions and repairs, Ron is a solid piece of what has allowed Jericho Centre to be as we know it today. From his unwavering willingness to be available for repairs or questions, to getting the job done, Ron has been a driving force in making Jericho Centre successful. The foundation he has helped foster is now left for us to build upon. Thank you Ron!

The JFS board has had a challenging year

keeping up with repairs as our building moves from newly renovated to increasing maintenance needs. As more user groups come through Jericho Centre, the list of deficiencies has become a challenging wave to keep our heads above. Josh and Otty have been very helpful in filling the needs that pop up, and the board is always open to those who wish to join us in the ongoing ministry of repairs and maintenance.

Jericho Centre's ongoing user groups include Jericho Ridge Community Church, Fraser Valley School, El Camino Church of God, New Life Christian Fellowship, Good News Chapel, Global Harvest Church, and Lights Up. Please note that New Life Christian Fellowship will be ending their contract with Jericho Centre on May 25. In addition, we regularly have singular rentals as space/time is available.

Fraser Valley School (FVS) continues to be the major user group for Jericho Centre, and will now continue for another five year term, beginning September 1, 2024. Candice has made great strides in improving the relationship between JFS and FVS and we are looking forward to continuing their lease with us.

2023 was a challenging and year for Candice, who has tendered her letter of resignation. Candice has been a wonderful addition to the JFS team and has worked very hard to do everything to help Jericho Centre succeed. Candice has helped build positive relationships with our tenants, parking lot rentals, one-off-rentals, and various trades. Candice has filled available spaces with new groups, and has done well to bring most user groups to paying market value rates. Candice has used her gifts to stabilize Jericho Centre and all its many user groups, and now will be taking time to focus on herself, and her family. On behalf of the JFS board, thank you Candice for helping build Jericho Centre up, enduring through a challenging season, and now trusting God in this next phase of your life.

With regard to the overall JFS financial position, there continue to be many questions ahead of us. While our relationship with our national Mennonite Brethren denominational lender (CCMBC Legacy Fund) is healthy, the unexpectedly high interest rates have not allowed us to do more than try to pay off the interest portion of our loan. Nevertheless, their posture toward us is one of coming alongside for the purposes of seeing Jericho Ridge succeed in our kingdom mission. This, coupled with our commitment to the same mission, leads us to be confident of a viable and healthy future outcome.

As always, on behalf of the JFS board, I want to thank JRCC members who have stepped up to help out with the care and maintenance items around the building. While the board manages repairs as best we can, we always appreciate your help.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'D. W.' followed by a long horizontal flourish.



CONFIDENT HOPE

Report from Wally Nickel // Transitional Pastor

We set out last November on our transitional process with the theme of “Confident Hope” from Romans 15:13, which continues to be my prayer over us: “I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill [us] completely with joy and peace because [we] trust in him. Then [we] will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.” Six months later I believe we are well on our way to living into the promises of this prayer. Yes, we still have a way to go, and yes, we still face several crossroad types of challenges and decisions, but our God of hope continues to work in fulfilling his promises. How do we know this to be true? What evidence do we have to this end in the past six months?

“Leaders-Restoring-Leaders” was our first identified initiative in November 2023. It was a vital prerequisite to the prescribed eight transitional goals. As many of you were aware, regrettably, our elders and broader leadership base were depleted, wounded, and fractured. Without our leaders healthy and able to sit at the Jericho table

together, the transitional process simply could not be effective. To that end, countless hours of one-on-one and group meetings have taken place in living rooms, cafes, and at the church. While challenging and often painful, each meeting, each person, at the core, ultimately revealed a heart for Jesus, for the other, and for our church family. God’s ongoing mission of reconciliation was clearly being exercised behind the scenes. Broken relationships were deeply grieved, misunderstood motives were clarified and corrected, decisions and words were examined, forgiveness was extended, and hardened exteriors were softened as leaders were able to heal and once again see each other as sisters and brothers within Jericho Ridge.

The Leaders-Restoring-Leaders undertaking has been intense, and I want to particularly thank our Elder board (Mark Hastie, Katy Kwon, Jared Crossley, Denise McFarland, James Carpenter, Del Penner, Pastor Jenna, and Pastor Brady) for their vulnerability and determination to see the process through. It requires courage and humility

to lead while also participating. Four of our team are stepping down at the AGM and I cannot speak highly enough or say “thank you” loud enough to each one. My goal and hope for every elder is always that when the time comes to step off the board, each one would do so well – well in terms of who they see when they look in the mirror, and well in terms of the broader church ethos and family. Speaking from my perspective, I wholeheartedly say, “Thank you and well done James, Denise, Jared and Katy!”

While relational mending is ongoing, the essential work of restoration is largely accomplished. As a direct result, in mid-April we were able to hold the first ever Jericho Ridge Leadership Roundtable. The humble and bold invitation by our current Elder board was given to a broader leadership base, with the belief that what lies ahead of us will require all of us to exercise our gifts, in this case, gifts of leadership, discernment, and wisdom. In addition, the invitation was extended to our BCMB Conference Minister as a signal of our desire to renew and strengthen our denominational link.

Together, approximately twenty men and women met for over three hours to assess our current state, pray and begin to step into what God has for us as Jericho Ridge. While we did not determine exactly what this looks like, we are unified in declaring that God is not done with Jericho Ridge. Moreover, we collectively determined that our posture moving forward is one of humility, laying down agendas and even personal dreams to open our hands and receive direction and vision so that we can follow the path that God will reveal as we continue to seek his kingdom purposes.

The transitional process has eight phases or goals:

- 1. Pastoral Care**
- 2. Short Term Administration**
- 3. Relevant Preaching**
- 4. Closure**
- 5. Relational Renewal**
- 6. Organizational Health & Renewal**
- 7. Vision Renewal**
- 8. Pastoral Search**

The first two goals are ongoing ministries throughout the transitional process that are going well and bearing good healing and fruit within our church. Our staff team is very engaged in ensuring that these fundamental pieces are consistently exercised. The third goal of relevant preaching is again a team effort among Senior Pastoral Staff and lay speakers. Here again, we are blessed with a healthy base of both emerging and veteran preachers who have a heart for God, his Word and Jericho Ridge. With regard to our emerging preachers, it has been a particularly enjoyable and satisfying mentoring relationship for me.

The Closure phase is now predominantly complete. The goal was to come to a place of being able to let go of the past so that we can lay hold of something new. Most within Jericho Ridge have expressed receiving healing, clarity, reconciliation, and an overall readiness to move forward together. Prayer Triads helped to facilitate a key avenue for some of this ministry to occur. Nevertheless, there are still those in our midst who are not yet quite able to close the past chapter. For you, we want you to know that we see you, we care for you, and we will continue to hold gracious space and dialogue so we can move forward together.

Our current phase is that of Relational Renewal, which focuses on our connections with God, one another, and the community. All three of these relational aspects must be growing in sync with one another for us to be a healthy church. A large piece of connecting with God is our intentionality around spending eight months in the Gospel of Luke, where our focus is dialed in on the person of Jesus, the Son of God, and his mission to bring the Good News to all people. We are also placing a renewed emphasis on prayer, particularly in our Sunday Prayer Gathering at 9:45 AM (please join us in the upstairs boardroom!). In addition, we are increasing our practice of communion and celebrating milestones such as baptisms (8 on Easter) and child dedications within our weekly worship gatherings. Speaking of the latter, we need to appreciate and thank our gifted worship leaders and worship teams for consistently leading us into the presence of our Most High God. As worshippers themselves, they are passionate about entering God's throne room and inviting us to taste and see what they are experiencing in the goodness of God. Thank you!



When it comes to our connections with one another, we have launched prayer triads, a men's ministry, women's ministry, senior's luncheons, and continue to support and encourage our existing Life Groups. We are also taking more time at our Transitional meetings to delve into who we are: What are our strengths and growth areas? Do our core values still accurately represent who we are? As we hear God calling us forward, are we

still living out and representing our core values? Conversation, prayer, and invitation in this stage are highly valued, as are opportunities to celebrate together like we did at our Easter brunch.

Thirdly, we want to strengthen our outward focus within our community. While we continue to have a robust global mission focus, we want to renew and strengthen our local impact. For example, at Easter we engaged in multiple spaces of meaningful worship with other churches. We partnered with Pastor Mike Olynyk and Meadows Church (MB church plant in Willowbrook) for a kids Egg Hunt that saw over 350 people, largely from the community, attend! This spring we have also re-engaged in ESL outreach through Raphael House and launched a weekly Tot Romp aimed at the community neighbouring Jericho Centre. Our youth ministry partnership with Young Life continues to grow and we are seeing outreach doors open into RE Mountain Secondary. And lastly, as took place last fall, we will look to run Alpha again this fall.

These are some of the many ways that we are re-engaging our core Jericho Ridge connections with God, one another, and the people in our community. If you're not currently active in these three areas, this is the season to engage and participate toward a healthy church family. And if you see other opportunities in one of these areas of connection please come and brainstorm with our pastoral staff.



As the goals of relational renewal are underway, our Elders are already involved in assessing our organizational health and determining what structural renewal or change is necessary. We are aiming to address key components such as healthy leadership culture and development, financial sustainability, and beneficial partnerships. As we gain a clear understanding of who we are and re-establish the health of our church family (Relational Renewal) we want to buttress this with a healthy organizational ethos. In partnership, these two realized goals pave the way for God to reveal his vision for our future.

Looking to the final goals of the transitional process, I anticipate that this fall, we will be getting to the place of seeing ourselves engaging in an exciting visioning process toward continued health, vibrancy and growth. Then, with a clear sense of who we are and what God is calling us to, we can embark on the process of calling the next lead pastor (likely 2025). While that may seem far off, we need to remind ourselves that we want to walk in step with Jesus' pace, not lagging behind or sprinting ahead in the transitional process. Throughout this process, know that our Elders board is striving to be both with and out front of the congregation as

a whole, so that they can not only participate in the process, but also lead in the process. Again, as mentioned earlier, it's a unique position to be in when one wears the hat of participant and leader within the same context. Therefore, we covet your continued prayers for our leaders.

In closing, I would be remiss not to highlight our staff team. My hope and philosophy toward the staff has been to "call, affirm, empower, and mentor". We may have a generally younger staff, but rest assured that they are mature, humble, and gifted. The heart and the call are evident, and it continues to be an incredible joy to come alongside and encourage them to grow in their abilities and scope as confident leaders. Each one is a blessing, and we will greatly miss Pastor Liam, Claire and Sawyer. If it's not a regular practice of yours already, please commit yourself to encouraging and praying for our staff team as we all together regain a clear Jericho Ridge identity and mission around the Good News of Jesus Christ in the coming months.

"I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you (us) completely with joy and peace because you (we) trust in him. Then you (we) will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit."

ROMANS 15:13



MODERATOR'S REPORT

Mark Hastie // Moderator



As I begin to write, I'm looking outside at the flowers of spring and in the distance, the coastal mountains. I am reminded that God is faithful to bring new life in due season and that His steadfast love towards the Jericho family is as firm as the mountains that grace our landscape.

Jesus is walking with us! Christ has been present in numerous ways: transitional meetings we have participated in since the new year, prayer triads, life groups meeting in our homes and participating with brothers and sisters in prayer for one another. Jesus is alive and we, His body, are held together as we hold onto one faith, one love, one Christ.

I want to thank the current board of elders Jared Crossley, Denise McFarland, Katy Kwon, James Carpenter and Del Penner. It has been an honour to be yoked together in the ministry of the church along with our Pastoral team Wally Nickel, Brady Ash, Jenna Tulman, Liam Penner, Children's Director Danny Nicolle, and Admin staff Kelly MacNeil and Constance Zacharias. On behalf of the elders I want to extend thanksgiving for the JFS team, including our Facility Manager, Candice McWilliams, who manages our facilities with excellence. We are all beneficiaries of the work they do behind the scenes. Without their role we would not have a church building to meet in.

Our board will look very different in the coming months with Jared, Denise, Katy and James completing their time on the elders team. I am thankful for the gracious and sacrificial way in which they have served our community over the years. Well done! Looking to the future we are pleased to present the church with 3 new elder candidates for affirmation at this time: Curtis Cotrell, Steve Nicolle and Tyler Schacter. Both Curtis and Tyler have previously served as elders with JRCC, each bringing much experience and wisdom. Steve will serve as elder for the first time, and we look forward to the unique perspective he too will bring to the table. I am excited to be working together with these brothers in Christ should each be affirmed by the congregation.

In January 2024, Danny Nicolle was hired as Children's Ministry Director and has been doing an exceptional job leading our kids and volunteers. In the summer we will bid farewell to Liam, Claire and Sawyer Penner as Liam will be stepping down from his role as Student Ministries Pastor. His faithful commitment to our young people has led to a partnership with Young Life which will continue on after his departure. Thank you Liam! We will miss you all.

Our partnership with Young Life evolves, please be in expectant prayer as we now search for a Director of Student Ministries.

Ministry Night affords us a time to reflect on the previous 12 months in the life of the church and evaluate our 3 strategic goals as discerned by the elders in 2023.

- 1. Re-membering the church**
- 2. Resolve mortgage challenges**
- 3. Reignite local outreach**

Our past year has been anything but normal. We have experienced some very choppy seas but gladly these waters are calming and we as a church are coming together. The work being done by our Transitional Pastor, Wally Nickel has been exemplary. I am so thankful to be labouring alongside this man who loves JRCC with such deep affection. A "re-membering" has begun, and we are witnesses. New ministries like Her Community and the Men's Breakfast are evidence that we are being strengthened and encouraged as a body of believers.

It is no secret that we face adversity maintaining financial stability. We witnessed,

however, an outpouring of generosity by the entire church in December 2023 when enough funds were raised to attain our 2023 budget. As elders, it is not lost on us the sacrifice you have made financially, spiritually, and emotionally over this past year. A trimmed budget for 2024 was presented and passed by the congregation at the November AGM. Fiscal challenges still confront us and even with a paired down budget, we are not attaining our monthly objectives. This is not an insurmountable challenge. However, it does require us to consider alternatives to how we have traditionally operated. Looking to the future we must cast a financial vision with a creative eye.

"Reigniting local outreach," JRCC's 3rd goal, is having some encouraging outcomes. Tot Romp, a ministry to parents and kids in the local area, began April 26th with an amazing response. Raphael House, a ministry that serves families in the Langley City School District, has partnered again with Jericho, teaching English as a 2nd language to newcomers to Canada.

Finally, I am always encouraged by the friendly way in which our congregation provides a welcoming experience to our visitors on Sunday mornings. Thank you Jericho! Let us continually have our hearts moved to hospitality, and let us love each other deeply with a love supreme; the love of Christ.



ELDER PROFILES

CURTIS COTTRELL

Curtis, Sue, Rachel and Ben have been part of Jericho Ridge since day one. Curtis and Sue got their feet wet serving as Kids At The Ridge leaders. Since then, he and Sue helped spearhead eleven annual wheelchair missions to Guatemala, he has served on the Elders board in a previous term, and now enjoys playing on a worship team. Curtis currently works for Young Life of Canada at RockRidge Canyon.

Curtis is thankful for the opportunities Jericho has afforded his family to learn and grow alongside gifted friends and wise leaders. He is trusting the Lord, with anticipation, for Jericho's future.



"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight."

Proverbs 3:5-6 NIV

MARK HASTIE

Mark was born in Hamilton Ontario and raised in Toronto. At 21, he moved to Calgary. While there, he began in a sales career in the plumbing industry. Moving to Vancouver in 1984, he eventually formed and ran his own company for 25 years. Mark became a Christian at 28, coming to love the LORD and His amazing grace! While attending Vancouver Christian Life Center in Vancouver's West End, he met his bride to be, Patti. They have 2 children, Jessica and Nate. Shortly after becoming a Christian and while working full time, Mark entered into part time studies at Regent College, desiring to know more about the God who rescued him.



Music has been a central theme in his life whether it be listening or playing. He has participated in different worship ministries over the years. Patti and Mark together have facilitated various small groups including Alpha. Learning is a passion and Mark can be found daily reading a wide variety of subjects from Theology and philosophy to sociology and history. Becoming members in 2021, Mark and Patti are so happy to call Jericho Ridge their home. Incomparable amazing grace and mercy is the banner over Mark's life. He desires to see others flourish as he serves at JRCC.

STEVE NICOLLE

Steve and Ali Nicolle and their 3 children arrived in Canada from Kenya in 2013 and immediately found a warm welcome at JRCC. They have been attending JRCC ever since and have been members for over 7 years. Steve was involved with the facilities team until last year and continues to play drums with the worship team.

Steve and Ali are originally from the UK, and have been supported missionaries with Wycliffe Bible Translators for 25 years. They were involved with a Bible translation and literacy program among the Digo people in Kenya for 8 years before Steve moved into a training and leadership role serving Bible translation and linguistics work in various countries in Africa. Steve and Ali are currently serving at Canada Institute of Linguistics (CanIL) on the campus of Trinity Western University. They became Canadian citizens in 2020.



In his free time, Steve enjoys fellowship with a JRCC small group, reading, cycling, and brewing beer (especially when it turns out to be drinkable). Steve is approaching being an elder with trepidation but also with an expectation that God has a good plan for JRCC. His goal as an elder will be to remain close to God and do all he can to support what God has planned for JRCC.

TYLER SCHACTER

Tyler has been attending JRCC since its inception. His wife, Lindsey, joined him at Jericho in 2009, and sons Theodore and Edison joined the family in the years following. Tyler has served in various roles over the years, on the setup team, as an elder in a previous term, and currently sits on the Jericho Faith Society board as treasurer.

Tyler and Lindsey traveled to Guatemala with JRCC and have led several teams to India through Lindsey's work with Global Aid Network. He serves locally on the Fraser Valley Realtor's Charitable Foundation Granting Committee, and serves as board chairperson for Greater Vancouver Youth Unlimited.

Tyler is passionate about service ministry (locally and globally) and enjoys deepening his theological understanding through books, podcasts, and sermons. He has experienced many joyous and challenging times at Jericho and is thankful for God's faithfulness and our supportive community. Tyler looks forward to where God is calling us as a church family next as we demonstrate Christ's love to all and witness lives transformed through a relationship with Jesus.

