2024 CBC Deacon Board Report

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—⁹ not by works, so that no one can boast. ¹⁰ For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." Ephesians 2:8-10

According to the bylaws of CBC, the Deacons administer the business aspects of the church in accordance with policies established by the Board of Elders.

The 2024 Deacon board consisted of Robert Hettinger, Paul Hertel, Randy Hofeldt, Tim Brown, Vice Chairman Colin Ogan, and Chairman Chancey Shrake.

Notable 2023-2024 Deacon board activity:

- Approved 2024 budget for congregational approval at the annual November business meeting.
- Performed annual staff evaluations.
- Approved network infrastructure improvements.
- Performed snow removal.
- Coordinated Del Tackett conference in April 2023.
- Assisted several families through our Benevolence funds.
- Continued management of Benesch Scholarship funds.
- Performed several items with the maintenance and upkeep of church facilities.
- Assisted with planning and bidding of Nursery remodel.
- Reviewed and approved building use requests.
- Initiated Mens Retreat in Colorado for 2025.
- Conducted interviews for hiring of Office Coordinator.
- Approved purchases for needs of church facilities.

The board would like to thank our brothers and sisters in Christ within the church for the numerous ways you further the Gospel by the use of your God given gifts and talents. Please keep the Deacons in your prayers that we may be granted wisdom and discernment to serve in all manners that is glorifying and edifying to God.

Proverbs 16:9 – The heart of man plans his way but the Lord establishes his steps.

May God continue to have sovereignty over all our words and deeds;

Chancey Shrake, Chairman