



Vernon
Alliance

QUARTERLY REPORT

From Your Board of Elders

JANUARY-MARCH 2026

Hello Vernon Alliance! Thank you for praying for us as we shepherd and tend to the needs of our church family.

Here are some highlights from the first three board meetings of 2026.

1. JANUARY

- Following upon the receipt of the facility Consultant's Report and focus group meetings conducted in 2025, the board finalized a Facilities Vision & Objectives document to set out the framework and priorities for future improvement of our campus.
- A Nominating committee was struck for 2026. Dixon Zalit and Shaun Hartzell were appointed by the Board to serve with Mya Parr and Amber Taves, who were elected to the committee by VAC members at the 2025 AGM. Led by Jason Koleba, the committee's mandate is to present elder nominees to the members at the September 2026 AGM for consideration.
- The Lead Pastor's annual review was conducted. This is an invaluable opportunity to provide constructive feedback and positive reinforcement to Jason as he leads the church towards our vision & goals set by the board.

2. FEBRUARY

- A board subcommittee was tasked with developing a list of possible options for the renovation/development of our campus.
- Since the summer, The Board is encouraged to see steady attendance growth at our Sunday services. We have asked the staff team to consider ways to accommodate future growth as they work on strategic plans for the 2026-2027 ministry year.



3. MARCH

- The board approved the list of options presented by the subcommittee and the engagement of a consultant to conduct a feasibility study in respect of the options presented to allow us to select an affordable concept best suited to our future vision. The options range from a minimal renovation to provide better accessibility, classroom & office space, through a more significant renovation, and on to a substantial redevelopment of campus out towards 27th to better align our facilities to our various current & future ministries & community outreach programs. The board anticipates receiving the results of this study later this spring.
- We were grateful for Floyd Bjorgan's expertise as he led the Board through a workshop aimed at identifying ways to effectively monitor progress towards our desired Ends. Vernon Alliance's Ends are stated as follows:

We partner with God and use the resources He provides to make thriving disciples who:

- *Love God and neighbour authentically*
- *Walk in the power and presence of the Holy Spirit*
- *Experience Christian community*
- *Are equipped for life*
- *Are active in mission*

And thereby transform the North Okanagan and the world.

