

Leadership Board Agenda

March 20, 2025

Secretary: Sandy Ross

**Our Mission at Franconia UMC:**

Building a community of Christ's love to serve the world

7:00 PM: **Opening Prayer/Spiritual Formation** – *Peggy Owusu-Ansah*

7:10 PM: **Review of Information Reports** – *(approved as a packet)*

A. February 2025 LB minutes – *Joana Athur*

A. Treasurer's report-End-of-Month Feb 2025 – *Sandy Ross/Dan Dickinson*

7:20 PM: **Pastor's Report** – *Pastor Melissa*

7:30 PM: **Team Review – Belonging to the Body of Christ** – *David Arnold*

A. Worship Planning

B. Music

C. Fellowship

D. Nurture and Care

8:00 PM: **Update on Draft BMT Policies** – *Dana Kauffman*

8:10 PM: **Mission Engagement/Strategic Planning** –

A. Year-long Stewardship – *Dana*

A. Revisiting congregation and community needs in face of Federal actions – *Pastor Melissa*

B. Soliciting budget needs from AGC – *Pastor Melissa*

8:30 PM: **Action Items**

A. Complete signing of Leadership Board Covenant

A. Annual Staff Appraisals – Final list for participating with Pastor

A. Grant Status Updates – *Pastor Melissa*

8:45 PM: **Communications**

A. April Meeting – Revised date – Tuesday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in Stage Room. Financial Management Team Review, Access church finances in detail, Consider Stewardship

Campaign, Consider LB mission in the community for team building, Staff Appreciation recognition.

8:55 PM: **Closed Session – If needed.**

9:00 PM: **Breakthrough Prayer – *All members***

### **Our Core Values**

Franconia UMC is a Christ-Centered Community that strives for:

**Relevant worship, connecting to God, one another, and the world**

**Radical welcome of all people**

**Intentional discipleship for all ages**

**Compassionate care of the whole person**

**Mission-minded service to our community and the world**

### **At Franconia UMC, the Marks of a Loving Disciple:**

**BELONGING to the Body of Christ** by actively participating in worship and the ministries of the church.

**BECOMING More Like Jesus** by cultivating the attributes of Christ in your life.

**BEING CHRIST in the World** by using your God-given gifts to serve our community.

### **Breakthrough Prayer**

**God, guide Franconia United Methodist Church to become a community of Christ's love, where all people know that they are loved, respected for their diversity, grow in faith, and reflect Jesus by actively sharing their God-given gifts. AMEN**