

Report of the OUTREACH COMMITTEE
SUNCOAST FLORIDA PRESBYTERY (SFP)
North Fort Myers Presbyterian Church
Tuesday, May 14, 2024 – 10:00 a.m.

I. Business referred to the Outreach Committee (none)

II. Statement of Major Issues Addressed

- a. Updates from church planters Greg Blosser and Steve Jeantet.
- b. Church planter guidelines.

III. Recommendations

- a. **MSC** to recommend the church planter guidelines to the Presbytery.
 - a. It shall be the responsibility of the Outreach Committee to recommend to the Presbytery any church plants that have met the following guidelines set forth by this committee.
 - b. Recommend church planters attend the MNA Assessment Center.
 - i. The Florida Church Planting Network requires this for funding, and we consider it wise for every potential planter to attend the assessment center.
 - c. Interview with the Outreach Committee.
 - d. Have a budget and plan that is financially sound.
 - i. How much is expected from the Presbytery?
 - e. Area churches contacted and in good relationship with them.
 - f. Recommend wife to be involved with *Parakaleo*.
 - g. Recommend securing a personal coach.
 - h. Encourage a mother-daughter church plant relationship.

TE Zhuravlev provided updates on the ministry of MTRW (Mission to the Russian-speaking World). The upcoming plans include presenting the ministry at the Ligonier conference in May and the General Assembly in June.

RE Rhodes will reach out to MNA outreach chairs and other presbyteries to inquire and report back on their church planter processes.

Members in attendance were: TE Geoff Henderson, RE Aleksey Fomichenko, TE Aleksey Zhuravlev, RE Robert Rhodes.