

DEM Report to Executive Committee – August 21, 2026

The Oasis Leadership Team interviewed Rev. Dr. Tammy Gill on August 3, 2026, via Zoom. Following the interview, the team voted unanimously to proceed with issuing an employment offer to Pr. Tammy for the 1/3-time position of Mission Developer of Oasis on the Boulevard, starting September 1, 2026.

I have begun the process of reactivating the grant from ELCA churchwide office, meeting the hiring protocol of the ELCA (including background check and boundaries training), and updating the salary package so that a covenant can be signed. Pr. Tammy plans to meet with the leadership team Aug 31 or Sept. 1 to prepare for a mid-September kickoff.

Thank you for your prayers for this ministry that has sat idle for nearly a year. We are excited about Pr. Tammy's leadership and hope to re-engage the Kansas City congregations in support of the Oasis mission.

Peace be with you,

Pr. Kristen Koch, DEM