

THIS GRACE BIBLE CHURCHES

Identity and House to House Assembly

Statement dated October 11, 2026

Our identity

This Grace Bible Churches, the Circle of the Elders (the Order, the Praeceptorium), and Church in Thy House are not a denomination, are not part of a denomination, are not a religion, and are not part of Christianity. They are not Jewish and are not Catholic. They are not corruptors of the Word of God.

Our assembly and practice

We are not part of the "corporate" American Christian Church setup. We have no religious buildings, statues, baptistries, altars, or pastors, and none of the trappings of the religion known as Christianity.

Saved believers gathering house to house

This Grace Bible Churches consists of true saved believers who rightly divide the word of truth and meet house to house. Church in Thy House is the mode by which This Grace Bible Churches gathers together. The Gospel of Christ that saves today is found in 1 Corinthians 15:1-4 KJB. Our standard for rightly dividing the word of truth is 2 Timothy 2:15 KJB.

King James Bible only

We use only King James Bibles: the 1769 edition of the 1611, Pure Cambridge Text. The King James Bible is our final written authority. We do not change, supposedly correct, or corrupt the Word of God.

The Order and the Bishop title

The Circle of the Elders, the Order, and the Praeceptorium name the same internal teaching and oversight body within This Grace Bible Churches. Praeceptorius is the Bishop title within that body. Bishop Wesley Ray is the original and sole Praeceptorius; admission to the Circle does not confer that title. Within This Grace Bible Churches, Bishop Wesley Ray is known as the Founding Bishop.

Document terminology

This statement supplies the identity, assembly practice, Bible standard, and title definitions for the accompanying documents. In earlier text, a collective reference to "Praeceptorius" means the Praeceptorium; a personal reference to Bishop Wesley Ray as Praeceptorius retains its personal meaning. These definitions do not create an additional ordained office or confer the founder's exclusive title upon another person. Governing amendments remain subject to the adoption procedures of each instrument.



Circle of the Elders

This Grace Bible Churches

Master Governing Document Register

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A PAULINE DISPENSATIONAL ASSEMBLY

MASTER GOVERNING DOCUMENT REGISTER

King James Bible (KJB) - Final Written Authority

Founding Bishop Wesley Scott Ray | Principal Office: Tyler, Texas

PURPOSE

This Master Governing Document Register is maintained pursuant to the TGBC Bylaws to identify each official governing document and, as appropriate, its authority level, current version, adoption date, amendment date, status, and superseded version. Drafts do not acquire governing authority merely because they are retained; official status follows the applicable adoption or recognition procedure.

REGISTER

No.	Document	Authority / Relationship	Version	Adoption Date	Status
1	King James Bible (KJB)	Final written authority	1769 tradition	N/A	Permanent
2	Constitution and Articles of Association	Principal human organizing instrument	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
3	Statement of Faith & Foundational Doctrine	Foundational doctrinal governing instrument	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
4	Bylaws	Administrative governing instrument subordinate to Constitution	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
5	Circle of the Elders Charter	Ecclesiastical governing charter	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
6	Founding Bishop & Succession Declaration	Ecclesiastical succession declaration	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
7	Bishop & Deacon Qualifications, Credentialing & Ordination	Ministerial qualification and credentialing instrument	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
8	Code of Doctrine, Conduct & Ecclesiastical Discipline	Doctrine, conduct and discipline code	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
9	Local Assembly Charter & Affiliation Agreement	Local assembly recognition/affiliation instrument	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending/As Executed
10	Financial Stewardship & Internal Controls Policy	Administrative financial policy	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
11	Conflict-of-Interest Policy	Administrative integrity policy	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
12	Doctrinal Position Paper Series - KJB	Subordinate official doctrinal position papers	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
13	Official Local Church Charter Certificate	Certificate evidencing local assembly recognition	Sept. 2026	As issued	Official Form
14	Official Ordination Certificate	Certificate evidencing recorded ordination	Sept. 2026	As issued	Official Form
15	Master Governing Document Register	Document-control register	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Adoption
16	General Adoption Resolution	Resolution adopting initial governing package	Sept. 2026	_____	Pending Execution

DOCUMENT CONTROL PROCEDURE

1. Every newly adopted governing instrument shall be entered in this Register. 2. Amendments shall be recorded with the amendment date and current version. 3. Superseded versions shall be preserved among permanent records and clearly marked superseded. 4. Official forms and certificates shall be identified separately from governing instruments. 5. Local assembly charters and ordination certificates may be maintained in individual permanent files while this Register records the controlling form or instrument.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that this Register is maintained as the Master Governing Document Register of This Grace Bible Churches and shall be updated as official actions occur.

Founding Bishop: Wesley Scott Ray

Signature: _____

Date: _____