

St. Andrew's by the Lake Episcopal Church

Bishop's Committee Meeting ~ May 20, 2018

Present: The Rev. Marta Msddy; Karen Nichols, Sr. Warden; Laura Jacobs, Jr. Warden; Sandy Carlson, Liz & Dave Johnson, Tom Malterer, Jean Laundergan, Clerk. Karen Nichols. Sr. Warden. Kinnan Stauber (absent) working in yard & garden for Church.

The meeting was called to order at 11:25 a.m.

Reflection: Marta opened the meeting with a prayer. Laura read Romans 8: V.12-17 from the NRSV Bible. Jean read from "The Message" – John 10: V. 1-11.

Minutes: A motion was made by Dave J. to approve the minutes of the BC Meetings for January, February, March, and April (as corrected). The motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Currently – we are ahead on income and slightly behind on expenses. The reports were viewed on the screen.

Marta said that there is a sign-up sheet in the Mission Hall for people to list their favorite hymns they would like to have at Sunday services this summer. She also said that Saturday and Sunday services will be held during the summer months.

Sally Buck donated the old St. Andrew's keyboard to Lafayette. Gary Glass and Nancy Olson donated an electronic Piano to the church.

No Treasurer's Report – Kinnan and Ellie working in the yard/gardens.

The calendar for the coming months (June, July, August) was reviewed.

OLD BUSINESS: 1) T-shirt and sweatshirt orders: Karen explained the process and the costs. The design, sizes and colors were decided. To start: 25 t-shirts and 25 sweatshirts will be ordered. T-shirts: \$15, Sweatshirts: \$25.

2) The annual Park Point Rummage Sales will be held Friday & Saturday, June 8-9. St. Andrew's will again have the Brat Sale. Help is needed! There will be some adjustments/changes due to the landscape project.

3) Celebration of Life for Joanne Blyler – an ice cream social. Nancy Berg will be the speaker.

4) Dave reported some of the survey results. Liz B-J made a motion that we continue to support the school bus for the children of the Steve O'Neill apartments. Laura seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

5) Staying involved with the community includes: Arrowhead Juvenile Center; Safe Haven, Life House; CHUM; Damiano; a speaker on the subject of poverty; expanding horizons; Evangelism – spread the Gospel; environmental concerns (Dave said he will "explore" Solar Panels; Adulging 101.

6) Work with Brian L. re: needs for the AJC youth (birth certificates, IDs, etc.) This would involve church members not just the BC.

7) Nourishment and Knowledge/Give a Teen a Life – update by Dave & Karen

8) Storage needs/purchasing (update by Liz)

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1) Landscape Ideas: purchase a bench; Church sign w/downcast light; wall seating with low lights; improve light in bell tower; new motion light; three (3) posts with lights; lights on interior to show the Stained Glass windows.
- 2) Landscaping reveal party?

As I had to leave the meeting before it was over, there might be items I missed or did not get all the information correct.

Respectfully submitted,

Jean Laundergan, Clerk

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