

2011 ST. JOHN'S COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

DATE : 06-JUN-2011

Meeting called to order by: President Andrew Banks

Devotions: Mike Janney

Members Present: Banks, Roberts, Janney, Taylor, Wangerin, Jenkins, Newman, Smith, Gillet, Reiter, Ruth, Bennett, Wood

Members Absent: Boynton, Kelley

Confirmand Interviews: Jenna Taylor and Zachary Blackall introduced to council; were welcomed with open arms. (Newman/Ruth)

Minutes: Accepted as presented (Ruth\ Roberts)

Financial Report: Note: Correction to In lieu-Geraniums to Christ Lutheran Church in Cullman AL. Accepted (Newman/Wood)

Pastor's Report:

Visits to Members: 11

Visits to Shut-ins (Communion): 6

Hospital Visits to Members: 11

Prospective Member Visits: 3

Counseling Appointments: 0

Funerals: 0

Baptisms: 0

Weddings: 0

New Members: John and Helen Rowe wish to join St. John's; welcomed with open arms. (Taylor/Ruth)

Other Business:

Luther Hall Requests:

Lindsay Hutchcraft using the hall for wedding reception on 11-JUN.

Russell Voelker request for use of the hall for Color Guard practice was respectfully declined. (Ruth/Bennett)

Committee Reports:

Christian Education – Mother\Father Day Program scheduled for 19-JUN; Vacation Bible School scheduled for 10-15 JUL; Plan to take Sunday School students to see Cars 2 at Berkeley Plaza on 26-JUN.

Evangelism – Reiter, Taylor and Wangerin continue to review the church brochure. Taylor checked on prices for brochures; Sir Speedy had best price.

Social Ministry – Friends Feeding Friends served 85 people (120 meals) in May; help from Jr. FLYTE members was greatly appreciated. Scholarship awarded to Lauren Taylor. Tea

Social on 22-MAY served 82 people. Sundae Sunday scheduled for 24-JUL after each service.

Worship & Music – Special music presentations to be offered by Heather Watkins and Paul Wangerin.

Memorial - SCRIP has earned \$181.25 this period.

Property – Have permit for shed; construction will be started soon.

FLYTE –Jr. FLYTE plans to help with Friends Feeding Friends on a regular basis. Will meet regularly on second Sunday of each month after second service. Youth Coalition heading to Cincinnati OH for mission trip.

Mutual Ministry - Position description for Assistant/Recording Treasurer being reviewed.

OLD BUSINESS: Wangerin attended the Western MD/WV Synod conference at Snowshoe Mt Resort in WV on 3\4-JUN. Focus on Evangelism and Stewardship as a 5 year program. Paul Wangerin is Vice President of Synod and on the Finance and Audit Committee. He will have a presentation for the congregation. Synod is presenting a Festival of Faith in September at Trinity, Arden and St. Paul, Morgantown.

NEW BUSINESS: Request from Mission Serve to host 15 people this summer doing mission work locally was respectfully declined. Council requested more information and advance notice for any future request. (Newman/Ruth)

With no further business, the congregational council adjourned (Taylor/Roberts) followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted, Sally Jenkins