

St Andrew's Lutheran Church Council Meeting
February 20, 2020, 6:15 pm

*St. Andrew's is recognized as a Christian community, celebrating God's love through serving others,
and working for peace and justice.*

Attendance: Laurie Hoifeldt, Steve Loucks, Kris Parsons, Dave Putz, Alice Thompson, Rollie Link, Pastor
Jeff Alvestad

Call to order: 6:15 pm by Laurie H

Devotions: Alice Thompson

Prayers: by Council

Consent agenda (sent out ahead of time, approved in one vote) – Approved.

Approval/revision of agenda -

Approval of previous minutes

Treasurer's report – Dave -Reports are not back from accountants yet. Revenue higher than expected,
\$7240.00 increase. Boiler fundraiser going well. Dave will send out the reports as soon as possible.

Pastor's Report – Pastor Jeff suggested it is time to review Bishop Burke's expectations/behaviors
covenant. Council installation is March 1. Time was given for discussion.

Youth Director's report – received-no questions at this time.

Committee updates

- EMF – Dave-Scholarships will be offered again this year
- Social Concerns – Checking with Joan to see where the 1st quarter monies are to go
- Stewardship & Finance – Dave- Reports will be going out soon
- Outreach – Steve- brunch for new members went well. Working on reaching out to members
- Worship & Arts – Alice- Banner pulley has been fixed, and needs extra help for lenten services.
- Property – Ant problem in the kitchen. Property is going to try the Terro ant bait again.
Boiler-getting a couple estimates the boiler work. May also check on what it would cost for ceiling fans.
- Pine Ridge/Tanzania – Kris- Pine Ridge -will be doing Easter Breakfast again this year. There will be a truck trip in April. I will be doing an Adult Forum on 2/23/2020. Tanzania -received a request for some funds for repairs on the water tank-approved.
- Personnel –Steve, Rollie, Laurie-- working on reviews
- Fellowship – Janeen- Ant problem, checking with Property. Council will be announcing who is doing fellowship each week and a brief description of what the committee does.
- Audit – Dave- meeting later
- Youth-Rollie is checking with
- Education-Rollie is checking with

Old business

- Synod assembly: May 1-3, Coralville. Still need members to attend.
- Bethany Life annual meeting: Thur Apr 30, 6pm-Dave P and Kris P plan to attend
- Website assistance – Denise Link and Laurie Hoifeldt have been working on.

- Call committee survey – have gone out
- Hope Church request to use St Andrews for VBS July 2020 – still working on.
- Ash Wednesday services – will be held on Wednesday, February 26. Council provides Spaghetti supper prior to services
- Suds-will be doing another suds night, invite going to all elementary schools. Ideas for promoting discussed

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New Business:

- Sound systems-needs to be worked on
- Suggestions on helping needs requests discussed
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Closing Prayer:

Meeting adjourned: 8:00pm

Mar devotions: Steve

3/5/2020 Council Planning Meeting scheduled