

Sunne Evangelical Lutheran Church Council Minutes

March 8, 2023

Present: Marcus Hall, Tim Smallbeck, Lester Vollan, Sue Szczur, SuAnn Olson, Kris Ell, Lyndsey Cleveland, & Pastor Dale Nabben

The meeting was opened with prayer.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: It was moved, seconded, & carried to approve the February meeting minutes.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Report given by SuAnn Olson. It was moved, seconded, & carried to receive the report.

PASTOR'S REPORT:

- Pastor Dale suggested doing a "noisy" offering some Sunday for a bit of fun. The kids would walk around with tin cans and people would offer coins. The kids can then walk around shaking the change in the cans, thus the name, "noisy" offering.
- Pastor has been making visits to shut-ins and those in nursing homes.
- March 9 & 17-Missouri Slope will be at the Wilton Senior Center meeting about how they can best help the older population in rural areas
- Pastor did an online course for his continuing education

OLD BUSINESS

Call Committee update-no update

Parsonage status-reviewed estimate for kitchen remodel at parsonage

BEK update-Marcus checks in every Sunday to see if we are up and running-so far so good

Railing update-Tim matched the stain and will continue to work on getting the railing done for install

Comfort Room update-tabled

New agreement with Pastor Dan-Marcus is finalizing the agreement and will email it out to the council for approval

Camp of the Cross-It was moved, seconded, & carried to raise the amount of scholarship money for children that will be going to camp-\$100 for short week and \$200 for long week

NEW BUSINESS

Upcoming Congregational Meeting-remodeling the parsonage will be discussed and voted on at the meeting on March 12, 2023

City of Wilton 125th anniversary-Friday evening meal-July 2024; we were asked if we would be willing to sponsor a meal similar to Harvest Festival during the celebration. Marcus will get more information and bring that back to the council before any decisions are made.

Easter Sunday services-We will have two services, 7 am & 9:30 am, with breakfast between services. Lyndsey Cleveland will talk to Victor Schock to see if he is interested in helping with the breakfast. Lyndsey will also get a letter written to send out to the confirmation class.

1st grade Bibles-Lyndsey will get a list of 1st graders from Anne Earsley and Marcus will order any Bibles that we need.

Offering envelopes-June Neumiller asked if we had ordered offering envelopes for 2024. Marcus will check into that.

Senior Sunday-This will be the last Sunday of April. We are unsure of how many seniors we have in the congregation at this time, so will be looking into that. We will also be looking for a few people to head that up, setting up the kitchen and decorating for the potluck after worship.

MINISTRY TEAM REPORTS

CHURCH/PARSONAGE PROPERTY-meeting about potential remodel at parsonage on March 12, 2023

WILTON FOOD PANTRY-NR

STEWARDSHIP-NR

WORSHIP-NR

CEMETERY-NR

EDUCATION-NR

YOUTH-NR

WELCA-NR

ENDOWMENT TEAM-Got another CD

Next meeting: April 12 at 7 pm

April Deacons & Tellers:

- April 2-Marcus & Lester (Communion)
- April 6-Marcus
- April 7-Lyndsey
- April 9 7am-Lester & Tim (Communion)
9:30 am-Lyndsey & Marcus (Communion)
- April 16-Sue & Kris
- April 23-Lester & Lyndsey (Communion)
- April 30-Sue & Tim

The meeting was closed with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Lyndsey Cleveland, secretary