

Council Meeting Minutes from March 22, 2020

ATTENDEES: Pastor Mark, Ben Volding, Chris McCulley, Marilu Degener, Ed Juhl & Jessi Sorensen

Ben called the meeting to order at 11:07 am

1. Pastor opened the meeting by prayer.
2. The agenda was reviewed and finalized. Pastor made a motion to approve the agenda. Jessi seconded the motion. Motion carried.

B. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Recording Secretary (Marilu): Presented minutes from 2/16/2020 meeting.
2. Financial Reports (Chris): Chris presented financials through 2/29/2020.
3. **Description 2/01/2020:**

Total Income	10265.00		\$17,137.41
Total Expenses		7916.99	
Totals as of 2/29/2020:	\$10264.00	\$7916.99	\$19485.42
4. Worship & Parish Life Committee (Jessi): Nothing to report.
5. Education Committee (Ben): Nothing to report.
6. Missions Committee (Elwin): Nothing to report
7. Finance Committee (Chris): The finance will also go over the budget to see where to save money.
8. Pastor's Report: Pastor gave an attendance update – Average for end of February thru March, with Ash Wednesday and 2 Lenten Wednesday services was 43. Pastoral visits/calls were 0 nursing home, 2 at home & 0 hospital with communion served during 2 visits. Pastor talked about switching the landline phone to cellular with call forwarding. We also talked about Life in the time of lockdown, Pastor will be calling more people to check on them. Pasto also went over the Grundy Road black top plans. Hudson High School Baccalaureate will be on May 17th (this may be cancelled). Pastor and Sherrie have plans for vacation in Scotland from May 19th – June 9th (this may be cancelled).
9. Building & Grounds Committee (Elwin): Nothing to report.

Pastor the motion to approve reports and Chris seconded the motion. Motion carried.

C. OLD BUSINESS:

1. Bylaws – We check to see if people whose tenure will be up but still willing to serve can do so. Ed will check on this.
2. Sanitation – Did switch to Cooley with pickup 1 time a month.

D. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Discussed the road paving meeting – Things are moving forward. Per the recommendation of the road committee, Ed made a motion and Pastor 2nd the motion to approved the bid for the county road project, the motion carried.
2. Planning for operations under current and future social distancing requirement – as of now, ALL church actives are cancelled until further notice.
3. How to address possible cashflow shortfall during interruption of normal services – Ben will send out and E-mail and Pastor sill put in the upcoming newsletter to send your offering to the church at Zion Lutheran Church, 5831 Grundy Rd, Hudson, IA 50643

E. NEXT MEETING DATE:

1. Sunday, April 26th at 11:00am. Council Meeting.

F. ADJOURNMENT:

1. Jessi made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Chris seconded the motion. Motion carried.
2. The meeting was adjourned at 12:53am with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,
Marilu Degener, Recording Secretary

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