

Zion Church Council Meeting September 11,2023

Meeting was called to order at 7 P.M. by President Kurt Pellmann with Annette Hund, Darren Doerr, Sherry Wynn, Amanda Frierdich, Pastor Darrell Weber, Rich Hoffelmeyer, and Charlotte Mehrtens present. Pastor Darrell opened meeting with a prayer.

Office Administrator Amanda Frierdich present the treasurers report after answering some questions about different accounts Annette Hund motioned and seconded by Sherry Wynn, motion carried. Amanda shared with the council that she has sent out only 144 Monthly Visitors and in order to use the bulk rate we need to send 200. She checked to see if there is a cheaper rate but this rate is still cheaper. She will send 60 Visitors back to church so we can use the bulk rate.

There was no BCE report as the committee had not yet met. They are working on some projects for the future.

Minutes were approved with Rich Hoffelmeyer making the motion and Darren Doerr seconded , motion carried.

Pastor's report Rally Day was held on Sunday September 10 and was well attended. The Pre-School has 18 children signed up and started on September 6<sup>th</sup>. Pastor has been busy Bible Study at Garden Place and the Senior Center. He Worship and Communion services at Garden Place on the seconded Tuesday of each month. He had three funeral services. He has been meeting with other Evangelical Pastors during the month. Annette Hund motion to accept Pastor's report and seconded by Sherry Wynn, motion carried.

Audit and Budget committee will meet very soon. Committee is Bill Albert, Andrew Taake, Betty Keller Timmer and Amanda Frierdich.

Long Range Ministry, Charlotte Mehrtens, reported on the B B Q for Saturday September 16. Help is needed on Friday September 15<sup>th</sup> to peel potatoes and other things. All help is greatly appreciated.

Staff and Parish Relations, Darren Doerr reported we are still looking for a new custodian, if you know of someone would be interested please contact Darren as soon as possible.

Rich Hoffelmeyer, Property reported that the tower lights still are not working, they a working on them. The East air conditioning is not working right they will check on that also. The First National Bank of Waterloo will be using the parking lot at the park on September 26<sup>th</sup> for a trip they have planned. Jamie from Church Mutual will be coming to church on September 13<sup>th</sup> to go over insurance covering.

Sherry Wynn Volunteer Ministries reported she is still looking for a new Council member, please pray about this and come serve your church.

Old Business:

This past spring council talked about asphaltting the church park parking to make it easier to get around during the summer when we have church in the park for the older members. After much Discussion Charlotte Mehrtens made a motion and seconded by Sherry Wynn to bring it to the Annual Meeting in November. Kurt Pellmann has talked to Morse Asphalt about the cost.

New Business:

Discussion was held on the Wurstmart to be held on Saturday November 11 with Dine In and Carry-out. Watch for more information for planning and help needed.

There being no other business meeting motion was made by Rich Hofflemeyer and seconded by Sherry Wynn to adjourn at 8 P.M. closing with the Lord's Prayer.

President – Kurt Pellmann

Vice President – Barb Scharf

Secretary – Charlotte Mehrtens

Assistant Treasurer- Richard Hofflemeyer