

Leadership Meeting Minutes

June 13, 2023

*As God's People, Graced By Differences, Nurtured By The Spirit,
And Gifted To Serve, We Invite And Welcome All To Grow In Faith.*

Meeting Called to order at 6:35

In Attendance: Pastor Ruth Ann, Bryan French, Jeanette Williams, Jerry Rogers, Mike Dodge, Kathy Cisar, Ron Lamb, and Scott Kallio. Liz Melton via Zoom. Luci Roberts excused.

I. Devotion led by Bryan French

- A. July devotion: Luci Roberts
- B. Refreshments: Liz Melton
- C. Bryan asked the Leadership Team to consider a few housekeeping points. The Leadership Team was reminded to try to avoid side conversations during discussions and presentations.

II. Approval of May Minutes tabled to July Meeting

III. Approval of Treasurer's Report

- A. Motion to approve report as presented: Bryan French
- B. Seconded: Liz Melton
- C. Motion carries.
- D. Pastor Ruth Ann asked if our KOG contribution to CSU Campus Ministry had been paid. Ron agreed to verify and will check when it will be sent.

IV. Pastor's Report

- A. Pastor shared the success of VBS with 70 children and 20 middle and high schoolers. Members of KOG helping with meals and snacks included the Cisars, Schneiders, Janna Canady and Sarajane Grandia. KOG will have five youths attending Sky Ranch in the next few weeks. KOG will be supporting half of their camp fees so that parents will contribute the other half.
- B. Pastor Ruth Ann and Kathy Cisar shared their experience at Synod Assembly with 28 Members at Adult Faith Formation.
- C. Adult Faith Formation will be on break until fall and Thursday Bible Study will continue through July and will continue in the fall.
- D. Lunch Bunch. KOG members are encouraged to join this monthly activity are encouraged to contact Pastor. Pastor thanked Judy Richardson and Janna Cannady for hosting the first event.
- E. KOG is looking for a substitute for the nursery, so that Nancy French can take the occasional Sunday off from one hour's work. Let Pastor know if anyone is interested.

- F. Worship. Outside worship was postponed due to weather. Eric Backsen trained three members to do the outside worship and inside zoom. There were some mics that needed tweaking.
- G. Volunteer Task Sheet. There are many small but important tasks that members are encouraged to volunteer to help with. This signup sheet is in the narthex. Board members are also encouraged to share with KOG members these opportunities to help.
- H. Website: KOG has three options at present for website hosting – the first two are with MadWire: who currently hosts our website and the third is Equalizer Digital. Kathy will contact Equalizer Digital. Contract and cost information will be provided. The Board was asked to review the options and consideration will be tabled until the July board meeting.

V. Pastor Carlos

- A. The Leadership Team discussed and agreed Pastor Carlos should be compensated for substituting for Pastor Run Ann. He has requested to have that compensation donated to CSU Campus Ministries, LuMin.
- B. Bryan French made a motion to donate to LuMin on behalf of Pastor Carlos up to \$ 1,500 from pulpit supply.
- C. Seconded: Jeanette Williams

VI. Safe Park

- A. The Leadership Team will be tasked with developing a project work plan. Pastor provided the team with a copy of St. Spyridon “Safe Park” project work plan. Zion has begun to develop its plan.
- B. The City of Loveland is in the process of changing their parking policy. Moving forward with the Safe Park initiative will depend on this change.
- C. KOG will have the opportunity to consider offering this service to the homeless in Loveland.
- D. Bryan will invite Doug from House of Neighborly Service to provide more information about the community needs and services offered by Safe Park.

VII. Old Business/New Business

- A. Nothing has been decided to host the Loveland Orchestra at KOG or if there will be any performances.
- B. No new business for consideration.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:12 pm.