

Zion Lutheran Church Council Minutes
Tuesday, December 15, 2020

The December Council meeting was called to order by Mike.

Opening Devotions were led by Pastor Erin.

Roll Call: Ed, Lisa, Mike, Sharon, Pastor Erin, Jena, Monica, Jena, Rod, Kelly, Nicole

Excused: Kathy, Jennifer

Minutes: Monica made the motion to approve minutes, Kelly seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

Treasurer report: Phyllis made motion to approve report, Sharon seconded. All in favor, motion carried.
See attached

Parochial Report: see attached

Announcements:

- Pastor Erin Vacation December 26 – January 3, December 27 recordings will be done ahead of time, Synod sermon will be available, Pastor Tim will be covering for January 3
- Committee reports for annual report in by January 8

Congregational Good News/Concerns: Online services have been viewed by people outside of our church or from out of town, middle school events were enjoyed, some concerns were raised about someone being able to use the kitchen to bake cookies while other groups are not allowed to have coffee when they meet

Pastoral Update: Committee Reports:

1. Executive committee (Mike, Jena, Lisa, Ed) –
2. Education committee (Kelly) – In-person Sunday School Dec. 6, students painted ornaments, families recorded a part of a skit, Sandra is working on putting them all together to post online for Christmas Eve, next in-person Sunday School will be January 3
3. Fellowship (Kathy) –
4. Finance (Rod) –
5. Properties (Shane) – trees have been put up in sanctuary
6. Social Concerns (Nicole) – moving forward with either monetary/ local gift card drive to restock freezer
7. Stewardship (Chastity) – 85 commitment cards have been received so far (37%)
8. Visitation (Sharon) – report attached
9. Welcome & Outreach (Phyllis) –
10. Worship & Music (Monica) – met last Tuesday and visited about Christmas Eve, the one service was filled (5:30, currently at 47 people), so two more services were added at 3:30 (about 65 people) and 7:30 (6 people)
11. Youth (Jennifer) – various events have been planned to keep youth involved

Old business:

- Nominating Committee
- 2021 Budget
 - o Ed made a motion to submit this budget to the congregation, Sharon seconded, all in favor, motion carried.

New Business

- Annual Meeting – January 31, 30 people are needed for a quorum (5% on confirmed members)

Prayer

Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 19 at 6:30 pm via Zoom

Monica made a motion to adjourn meeting, Kelly seconded. All in favor, meeting adjourned.