



Council Meeting Minutes
Church Council of First Evangelical Lutheran Church
July 11 (Sunday), 2021, 10 am at church
Next meeting: September 12, 2021

“To worship God as an intergenerational praying community, learning God’s Word, and building lasting relationships as we grow in God’s love and grace.”

Members Present: Wendy Szczepanski, Rose Anderson, Miriam Flysjo, Pastor Dwight Rudquist

Members Absent: Craig Loen, Becky Hulden

A. Opening Devotions – Rose

September - Miriam

B. Sharing Story- Rose

C. Pastor’s Report- Pastor Dwight

Pastor Dwight made in person and phone visits. He participated in and led the Bible story at Together with Friends. He also met with the reopening task force via Zoom.

Pastor Dwight met with Julie M to discuss Intergenerational Faith Formation. Pastor Dwight will organize a meeting for people interested in helping to determine what Intergenerational Faith formation will look like.

Pastor Dwight is looking into a weekly middle school Wednesday night youth gathering followed by a short confirmation class meeting twice a month.

D. Treasurer’s Report – Becky

No report received.

E. Transition – Call committee interview with Pastor Dwight – July 19, 7pm

Motion: A motion was made by Wendy, seconded by Rose, that we pay Pastor Dwight one week of accrued paid time off for the week of July 19-25. Motion passed.

F. Annual Meeting, August 8

Pastor will work with Angie on an agenda for the meeting.

We are waiting for the financial report from Janelle.

G. Possible social events – Ice Cream Sundae Sunday anyone?

The ice cream social could be just for us or for the community. Maybe next year we could have it for Wannigan days.

Book study at the Lodge-

When should we start the book study? Does the Synod have a list of books to suggest? We are looking for a book on current events that will encourage discussions.

H. Leftover stuff in youth closet – what to do with stuff we don’t need or want

The council looked at the stuff and decided it was worth keeping. There are a few items to dispose of.

I. Motion to adjourn, second

Miriam made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Wendy.