Shared Ministries Meeting

01-14-2019

Present: Ann Stackhouse, Helen Wolf, Karen Dillon, Carrie Drees, Rudie Easterling, Pat Krabacher, Mary Boone, Dave Shetler

- 1. Ann Stackhouse agreed to chair the commission. She requested that someone else take notes. Mary Boone agreed to take notes.
- 2. Received written and verbal report from BDM
- 3. Karen Dillon gave report from CRM
- --Cookie Camp profit: \$1700
- --Camp committee has decided to call camping ministry Camp Sugarwoods
- 4. Pat Krabacher gave report from Fundstream Initiative
- -- \$1057 raised in 2018
- --Site is temporarily closed
- 5. Ann Stackhouse brought a suggestion that we might want to sponsor a gathering of The Dayton Women's Interfaith Discussion Group. This organization gives a place to learn about different religions in our area with input from Christian, Jewish, and Muslim faiths. It would involve providing a place to meet. The women care for lunch arrangements but the host location may be required to provide a beverage. During the meeting, each group is given approximately 10-15 minutes to talk about the topic of their choice. It was suggested that we seek out input from the Brethren Heritage Center and that our presentation might include our peace stance and also Brethren in the past who have impacted our community.

Shared Ministries commission will support Ann in moving forward.

- 6. School of Christian Living Discussion
- -- need to provide podcasts?
- --might include seder meal
- --retirees event
- -- parent/child events
- --suggestion made that rather than have evens scheduled on consecutive weeks, we may want to offer one evening per month and move events to different locations.

Decided to continue to brainstorm and this topic will be the focus of our next meeting.

7. District Women's Bible Study is still meeting on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month. They are meeting at Salem CoB from 7-8:30 PM and are currently studying "Love Wins" by Rob Bell.