

All Saints Church Council Meeting Minutes

September 20, 2022

6:30 pm

Council Members Present: Cathy Bahls, Melissa Barthel, Shelley Jagow, Leon Lenz, Mike McPadden, Lois Panning, Tom Simmons, Mike Woizeschke, Betty Zenk

Council Members Not Present: Al Steinhagen

Staff: Pastor Matt Schroeder, Pastor Paul Stork, Darcy Gray

1) Call Meeting to Order: President Mike McPadden

2) Devotions: Pastor Stork – Paul’s Letter to the Philippians, 1st Chapter

3) Adopt Agenda – No additions. Motion made and 2nd. Approved

4) Election of Council Secretary – Motion to elect Cathy Bahls to Secretary. 2nd and approved.

5) Approval of August Meeting Minutes – Motion to Approve, 2nd. Approved.

6) Pastor Matt’s Report:

i. A baptism

ii. Record breaking numbers at Stiftungsfest – Pastor Matt in dunk tank and All Saints hosted trivia

iii. All Saints NYA Chamber Golf Tournament in September. Sponsored Hole 18

iv. Rally Sunday – 330 lbs. of pasta sauce collected for food donation

v. 35 confirmands attended first night

vi. 1st Bible Study this morning – talking about 1st Corinthians this year

7) Pastor Paul’s Report:

i. Paul’s whole family here at church on Sunday

ii. Need to discuss Call committee for assoc. pastor.

8) Treasurer’s Report – Treasurer Clinton Strobel

i. Reviewed current budget numbers

ii. Tom questioned memorial money. What happens to it? Darcy said it remains in savings unless earmarked for something specific. Otherwise, it is used for things needed for church.

iii. Pastor Paul – numbers off in budget report. Error on formula will be corrected.

iv. Motion to approve the August 2022 Treasurer’s Report – 2nd and Approved

9) Pastor Matt's Installation

- i. September 25th, 8:00 and 9:30 am. Cathy will pick up donuts.
- ii. Asst. Bishop Craig Peterson will be here
- iii. Choir singing

10) Trunk or Treat

- i. Monday, October 24th. Agreed to start earlier this year at 6:00 pm.
- ii. Will ask for candy and other donations soon
- iii. Signup sheet for vehicles and help at Welcome Center
- iv. Discussed getting portable lights again (from Hamburg FD)

11) Game Dinner and Hunter's Worship

- i. November 1st at 6:00 pm
- ii. Leftover cheesy potatoes and beans from Rally Sunday in freezer we can use
- ii. Signup sheet will go out

12) Ministry Team Reports

- A) FFF – 50 kids in WOW (a record) with potentially 3 more; 54-55 in Sunday School
- B) Worship/Tech – Pastor Matt: Sound room is overheating. Would like to get bids for HVAC estimate for a vent. Everyone in agreement to get at least 2-3 bids.

C) Gratitude/Generosity

- i. Pastor Matt: Met with reps from Fare for All, a non-profit food distributor that sells groceries at approx. 40% off retail. Food is boxed and you purchase the box. This organization is looking for a site to do a distribution approx. once per month (All Saints?). Also looking for approx. 7 helpers. In agreement that it sounded good with some further research.
- ii. Mike McPadden – We are chamber members and welcome to attend their events. All Saints hosting chamber meeting in Nov.

D) Building and Grounds

- i. Per Darcy, emails exchanged re: flooring. Waiting for further word. Al will continue to work on it.
- ii. Patio needs to be sealed before winter. Can probably do it ourselves.

13) Old Business

- i. \$560 collected in pork chop dinner basket
- ii. Pastor Paul – Call committee discussion. Following discussion, agreed to “Staffing Task Force Study Group”. Starting this month, will work on finding people that would like to be on that committee. Looking for 5-7 volunteers. Motion made to solicit names for the Staffing Task Force. Motioned 2nd and approved.

14) Adjourn with Lord's Prayer