## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES September 25, 2022

Members Present: April Arndt, Joel Arndt, Justin Arndt, Arlis Ballwahn, Angie Gruen

Absent: Jerry Von Haden, Ayawyn Conner, Lori Brueggen, John Ornes

Also Present: Nalani Bever

Called to order by Council President Justin Arndt who opened with prayer.

Motion by Joel Arndt, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Angie Gruen to accept the minutes of August 28,2022. MC The Financial Reports were reviewed and accepted without motion, since they were acted on at the previous meeting. Joel has talked with Steve Brandau and Steve has agreed to a monthly billing for his work.

## **Committee Reports:**

 Education: Sunday School has begun with good attendance. The students will continue to sing on the third Sunday each month. Justin will be leading confirmation with Addison Arndt as substitute, meeting from 6:30-7:30 on Wednesday evenings. There was inquiry about continuing the adult Bible Study of "Manna and Mercy".

First Communion classes will be scheduled later in the year.

- Financial: The funds have been invested by Griffin Moe of Edward Jones as instructed.
- Property: Cupboards in the parsonage have been painted and countertops will be removed and replaced.
- Social Ministry: Cards are continuing to be sent.
- Worship Committee: Nalani will work with Ayawyn to choose a different liturgy setting.
- Transition Committee: The Committee has met with the Assistant to the Bishop and had an additional meeting and another scheduled. They are reviewing the Constitution as a first step.

## Old Business:

- Organ: There was discussion of getting the flooring done so Fred can install the organ. There is need to get a
  definite schedule from Steve Brandau to do the work. If Steve cannot do it, employ someone else.
- Stairs: Justin presented an alternative drawing with no definite financials. The cost would probably be in the \$500,000 area.

## **New Business:**

Consensus was to have one service on Christmas Eve, tentatively at 5:00 pm. There will be a short children's program, and Holy Communion will depend on pastor availability. There will be no service on Christmas Day.

There being no further business, motion by April Arndt, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Arlis Ballwahn to adjourn, followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Arlis Ballwahn, Secretary