**DUBLIN COMMUNITY CHURCH**

**MEETING OF CHURCH COUNCIL**

August 16, 2022

Present:

Vice Moderator, Robin Campbell Senior Minister, Rev. Lisa Bowersock

Treasurer, Jim Ramey Associate Minister, Rev. Becky Sunday

Clerk, Karen Royce Growth & Rolls, Ross Walker

Christian Ed, Mandy Ebersole Music, Jennifer Sell

Stewardship, Randy Luikart Finance, Brian Redenshek

Building & Grounds, Bob Redfield

The meeting was in person in the Kennedy Rooms. The Call to Order was at 7:01, by Vice Moderator, Robin Campbell. Rev. Lisa Bower offered an opening prayer.

Senior Minister Report – Rev. Lisa Bowersock

Report in writing. Highlights – We have 8 new member families this Sunday and a luncheon for them is being sponsored by the Growth & Rolls committee. We received a check for $5000 from a previous member. We will use $650 from the Mission Committee Seminarian Fund for Jenna Biegler for an online seminary course. Guidelines will be put in place for potential future uses of the fund. A request to park a car of a staff member’s niece was discussed. A motion was put forth for this by Robin Campbell and seconded by Ross Walker. The vote was no.

Assoc. Minister Report – Rev. Becky Sunday

Becky’s report was submitted in writing. Confirmand class has 7 students participating with the potential for 20 – will start at the end of September.

Minutes – Karen Royce

Minutes for the June 21 council meeting were made available prior to the meeting for council members to review. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Robin Campbell and seconded by Bob Redfield. The vote was affirmative.

Vice Moderator – Robin Campbell

No report.

Treasurer’s Report - Jim Ramey

The reports were submitted in writing. He talked through the highlights on his report. We are ~30K ahead compared to July of last year.

A motion to accept the report was made by Ross Walker and seconded by Randy Luikart. The vote was favorable.

Christian Education – Mandy Ebersole

Vacation Bible School went well. Jill has planned a Carnival Games theme for next year. There will be activities for children at the Picnic on September 11. Sunday School for middle school children will start in September. Always looking for additional teachers.

Stewardship – Randy Luikart

A written report was provided. Stewardship campaign for this year is Our Generous Community. The Time & Talent survey is coming in September.

Building & Grounds - Bob Redfield

Written report submitted. The committee was over budget due to some unexpected items.

* HVAC system
* Parking Lot

There will be construction on Franklin and Bridge Street and Bob Redfield will be our liaison for the work.

The Finance committee will be part of the committee for the Goodwill space design/allocation.

Personnel – not present

No report.

Church Growth and Rolls – Ross Walker

A written report was provided. The numbers of people viewing the livestream versus attending our Sunday is being monitored. They will see if there is more information to be gained through the online data. Suggested that DCC be part of the Chamber of Commerce – he will get more information about it. Would like us to be part of the Irish Festival again and Laura Zuber is reaching out to find out how we do that.

Fellowship – not present

Report in writing.

Mission- not present

No report.

Music – Jennifer Sell

Choirs are growing and all are welcome. The Chancel Choir starts back on September 11. This Sunday, the choirs are having a picnic at the Luikarts.

Pastoral Care – not present

Report in writing.

Worship

No one present; no report.

Finance – Brian Redenshek

Report submitted in writing. Looking at the month, we are down a little due to expenses for roof and HVAC but are close to budget for the year. The committee is starting to work on budgets for next year.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Randy Luikart and seconded by Bob Redfield. Meeting was adjourned at 8:52 PM.

Rev. Lisa Bowersock led us all in reciting the Lord’s Prayer to conclude our meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen L. Royce, Clerk