Dublin Community Church MEETING OF CHURCH COUNCIL March 18, 2025

CORRECTION ***report updated on 4/15/25. There was an omission of the B&G report given

Present:

Sr. Minister, Rev. Lisa Bowersock Buildings & Grounds, Bob

Moderator, Neil Butler Redfield

Clerk, Diane van Deusen

Church Growth & Rolls, Dan Zuber

Treasurer, Clay Rose Fellowship, Sri Kar

Finance, Randy Luikart Mission, Judy Kuck

Christian Ed, Mandy Ebersole Music, Lynn Rose

Stewardship, Eric Williams Pastoral Care, Andrea Niewiesk

Personnel, Candy Kennedy Worship, Corrine Evans

MEETING MINUTES

A quorum was established and the Call to Order was at 7:00pm by Moderator, Neil Butler. Rev. Lisa Bowersock offered an opening prayer.

Senior Minister Report: Rev. Lisa Bowersock

Report submitted in writing.

Associate Minister Report: Rev. Becky Sunday

Report submitted in writing. Rev. Lisa noted Rev. Becky was with Adrian at the James and unable to attend this evening.

Minutes: Diane van Deusen

Minutes to the February 2025 meeting were made available prior to the meeting for Council members to review. A Motion to approve the Minutes was made by D. Zuber and seconded by C. Rose. The vote was affirmative.

Moderator Report: Neil Butler

Report submitted in writing. Neil reiterated there are numerous great efforts underway at DCC. The Moderator stated with accordance to the Bylaws, a new Executive Committee needs to be established for the 2025 Council. Moderator moved the Executive Committee will consist of Moderator- Neil Butler, Vice Moderator-Judy Hoover, Personnel Chair-Candy Kennedy and Finance Chair-Randy Luikart. The motion was seconded by E. Williams. Motion affirmative.

The Moderator noted a discrepancy in the numbers presented to Council last month by Cheryl Yeack, VP DCC Foundation which had been corrected to match those presented to the congregation by Andy Jakes (and printed in the Sunday 3/16/2025 bulletin). This was noted and the corrected amounts were submitted to the February Google Drive by the Foundation.

Vice Moderator Report: Judy Hoover

Report submitted in writing. Vice Moderator not in attendance.

Treasurer's Report: Clay Rose

Reports submitted in writing (January and February). Motion to approve made by D. Zuber and seconded by J. Kuck. Vote was affirmative. The Treasurer noted steps need to be taken to have the new Treasurer authorized to sign checks and remove the past moderator. Motion made by D. Zuber and seconded by R. Luikart to take the necessary steps for this. The vote was affirmative.

Finance Committee: Randy Luikart

Report submitted in writing. It was noted we are in good financial shape. Randy noted there was a typo in the Net Cash Flow-Year to Date number of 19 should be 38. Correction made.

Randy gave an overview of GIVEBUTTER – a free fundraising tool that many nonprofit organizations use for fundraising purposes. Several Council members were very familiar with the program. The Finance Committee agreed to move forward and pilot this program for the upcoming Piano concert in April. Randy and Diane will work together to set this platform up.

Christian Education Committee: Mandy Ebersol

Report submitted in writing.

Stewardship Committee: Eric Williams

No report submitted in writing. Eric presented an exercise for Council members to participate in: DCC Mosaic of Comm. Life. He will report back with the results at a later meeting.

Buildings & Grounds: Bob Redfield (added 4/25/25 - correction)

Report submitted in writing. Bob gave an overview and update of ongoing projects.

Personnel Committee: Candy Kennedy

Report submitted in writing. Candy reported replacement efforts are continuing to secure an appropriate replacement for Bianca. Replacement for the Chr. Ed. position will be made available to the Congregation members.

Mission Committee: Judy Kuck

Report submitted in writing. Noted, \$783.00 was collected from the Heartland Outdoor Ministry.

Church Growth & Rolls Committee: Dan Zuber

Report submitted in writing. New member luncheon will be April 6, after service. Please attend if possible. In spite of the weather, the St. Patrick's Day parade generated many good ideas for future like events.....more signage needed out front?.....TShirts for DCC members to be more visible for help.....participation in the July 4th parade??

Fellowship Committee: Sri Kar

Report submitted in writing.

Music Committee: Lynn Rose

Report submitted in writing.

Pastoral Care Committee: Andrea Niewiesk

Report submitted in writing.

Worship Committee: Corrine Evans

Report submitted in writing

Rev. Bowersock led us in the Lord's prayer to conclude the meeting.

Motion to Adjourn made by D. Zuber, seconded by C. Rose.

Moderator Neil Butler adjourned the meeting at 8:22pm.

Respectfully submitted by Diane van Deusen, Clerk



Diane van Deusen

DCC, Clerk