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Council Minutes – August 4, 2020

Present: Harold Ahlers, Wendy Madsen, Jon Hofstad, Faye Berghorst, Mary Lei, Deb Loe, Chris Snyder, Ronda Snyder, Stephanie Monroe, Deanne Kracht, Lorrie Merkwán

Absent: Jason Dykstra

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm by President, Deb Loe
Mission statement read by all

Devotions: Harold Ahlers “The Power of Ordinary Prayer”

Ministry Site Profile Update: Presented by Crystal Aman.
Motion made by Stephanie, second by Faye to accept with recommended changes, motion passed

Council Secretary’s Report: Approved via email

Financial Secretary: Motion made by Faye, second by Harold to approve and place on file, motion passed

Treasurer Report: Motion made by Harold, second by Faye to approve and place on file, motion passed

Pastor’s Report: No report

Committee Reports

Board of Ed:

Continuing with VBS packets
Rally Sunday, September 13: And a Child Shall Lead Them – plan to meet in person
Motion made by Stephanie, second by Harold to approve and place on file, motion passed



Board of Deacons

Pulpit Supply filled through September 13th
Going to try camera to support Facebook Live during worship

Motion made by Chris, second by Harold to approve and place on file, motion passed

Board of Trustees

Will follow up on Audio repair
Youth Gathering moved to 2022
Need to work on PACT scholarship and submitting any needed paperwork
Motion made by Harold, second by Jon to approve and place on file, motion passed

Executive Board

Interim Pastor: continuing process to identify candidates
Youth Group to resume monthly meetings in September
Confirmation will need to start soon – will reach out to Synod for recommendation on curriculum
Motion made by Faye, second by Lorrie to approve and place on file, motion passed

Organizational Reports

WELCA: No Report

Men in Mission: Will resume in September

Suggestion Box:

Request to resume singing
Currently council feels it is in the congregation’s best interest to stick with Synod recommendation of no singing
Suggestion to bring back reverence in our church: wear garments, use pulpit, sing liturgy, etc.
Will provide feedback to call committee

COUNCIL MINUTES

Old Business: None

New Business:

Resuming Funerals: will reach out to Bishop for guidance

Directories have arrived and are in fellowship hall for distribution

Offering Counters

August 9-Stephanie 16-Jon 23-Deanne 30-Deb
Sept 6-Wendy

Logan Harkema will be building a GaGa pit for the youth group as part of his Eagle Scout project

Other Giving Missions:

1.28% of July General Offering was \$163

\$163 to be given to Synod Mission Support

Motion made by Ronda, second by Chris, to use last 3 months of other giving (\$410) to Charis ministries, motion passed

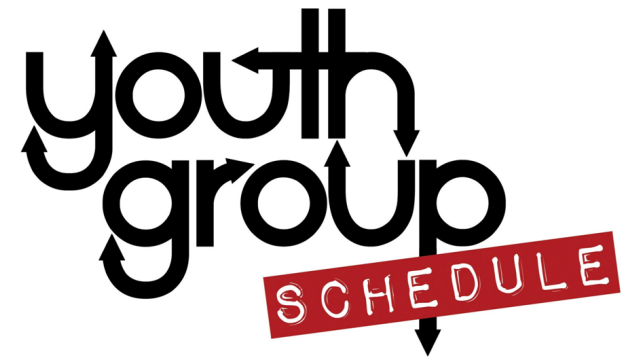
Devotions: Lorrie Merkwon

Serving: Ronda Snyder

Next month's meeting will be Tuesday, September 8th

Meeting Adjourned with Lord's Prayer

Submitted by Council Secretary Ronda Snyder



RLC Youth (grades 6th and above) are invited to join us in the church parking lot for dinner, devotion and outdoor games!

Date: Sunday, September 13th

Time: 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

We hope to see you all there! If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Ronda Snyder (605) 212-7642.

Need HELP?

Call 211

For...community information

...social services recourses

...support groups

...financial assistance

...child care

...a listening ear

...places to volunteer

(250 ways)

...for suicide prevention:

1-800-suicide or

1-800-784-2433

Renner Lutheran Church Financials

MONTHLY FINANCIALS FOR JULY 2020

Total All Giving: \$ 12,766.00 Budget: \$ 12,899.42
YTD Total All Giving: \$134,944.17 Budget: \$ 106,382.23
Expenses: \$ 10,106.39 Budget: \$ 16,118.59
Expenses Year to Date: \$ 98,292.49 Budget: \$ 117,691.81

2020 Line of Credit Limit \$24,000.00

Line of Credit Balance (Interest Rate 5.50%) \$.00 Available: \$ 24,000.00

Checking Account Balance (per Bank statement): \$ 62,797.59

SBA Payroll Protection Plan Loan \$ 20,293.00

Uncleared Transactions \$ 1,099.31

Funds Available (includes remaining Line of Credit) \$105,991.28

Each month, 1.28% of our General Offerings are given to Benevolence.
July \$163.00

Each month, 1.28% of our General Offerings are given to a designated recipient (voted on by council but suggestions are always welcome!)

A detailed report of monthly financials is available for your review in the 3 ring binder located on the table outside the Pastor's office door.

Endowment Fund Balance: \$ 14,560.73

Women of the **ELCA** — Renner Lutheran WELCA News

No meeting held

Mary Knudson for the WELCA




Food to You — Mobile Food Pantry
FOOD of the MONTH for October is
Cereal. Place items in the grocery
basket in the Coffee Area until
October 1.

- 1 - Pastor Jim Steen
- 2 - Steve Hoff
- 3 - Gaylene Powers
- 4 - Staci Schloe Tyler Anderson
- 5 - Sara Pearson Anne Ruppert
- 6 - Scott Harkema Elizabeth Waldner
- 7 - Paul Evenson Deanne Kracht
- 8 - Shilo Anderson
- 9 - Ryker Pedde
- 11- Hayden Ask
- 14 - Blake Myrmoe
- 15 - Phil Knudson
- 17 - Jeff Lindner
- 19 - Jon Hofstad Shelly Ahlers
- 20 - Samantha Huntimer
- 21 - McKenzie Raaen
- 23 - Chris Turnwall Nancy Houlihan
- 24 - Grace Bass
- 25 - Casey Machmiller
- 26 - Jeff Christenson
- 29 - Betty Berg Anita Engel Lauren Brandt
- 30 - Julie Ganter



SUNDAY Sunday School Begins- **And a Child Shall Lead Them-**
 Rally Sunday is September 13th. We are so excited to have the children returning. There will be special guests and treats. We will be meeting in the fellowship hall downstairs. Things will be a bit different this year to begin with. We will be Social Distancing and do encourage masks to be worn. We are concerned about everyone's health and want to follow the CDC guidelines but also we can't wait to see everyone. I think it will be a VERY FUN time!!!! I will be looking for you all!!!!
 See you Soon,
 DeeDee

September 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6 9:30am - Worship w/ Holy Communion	7 	8 6:30pm - Council Committees 7:00pm - Full Council	9	10	11	12
13 9:30am - Worship 10:30am-Sunday School 5:00pm-Youth meeting	14	15	16	17	18	19
20 9:30am - Worship w/ Holy Communion 10:30am-Sunday School	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 9:30am - Worship 10:30am-Sunday School	28	29	30			