

Church Council Meeting  
Thursday, February 9, 2017

In attendance: Mark Waggoner, John Paul Crawford, John Duarte, Carol Gaskamp, Dave Smith, Randi Ladolcetta, Pastor Skip (joined during New Business)

- Call to order and opening prayer – 6:34
  - Vice President Mark Waggoner
- Devotional – John Duarte
  - Reflection on Matthew 10, and traveling light
- Review of previous meeting's minutes
- Dwelling in the Word – Ephesians 4:25-32
  - Discussion centered around “Be angry, and do not sin”, it's ok to be angry with God, but it can be done in a respectful manner. The Lord will not give us more than we can handle.
- Discerning Prayer
  - Ministry Team Leads: Evangelism & Outreach, Stewardship, and Youth
  - Council Officers: President, Vice President, and Secretary
  - Direction of New Council, Guidance
  - God's Vision for Lord of Life, working in His name
- Getting to know new council members
  - Carol Gaskamp – excited to be part of a Council as she hasn't in the past to avoid conflict of interest. She excited to introduce Lord of Life to outreach opportunities within the community
  - Dave Smith – felt called to serve even before he was approached. He is excited for the direction of Lord of Life and feels called to be a part of following God's plans as he been working on this in all parts of his life
- Old Business
  - Communication Cluster Leads
    - The meeting will be held February 26<sup>th</sup>, after the late service. We will discuss the role of the lead. Mark will contact the leaders
    - Job Description
      - Needs to have internet
      - Willing to contact and setup meetings
      - Active at LoL
      - Needs to be willing to follow up
      - Open to the possibility of the position growing
    - Leads (about the same number of households are in each group, even if more than one zip code is under that lead)
      - Julia Neeley – 78717
      - Marge Kretschmar – 78727, 78729
      - Jennifer Rosas – 78613

- Mike & Pam Kamensky – 78730, 78731, 78750, 78757, 78758, 78759
    - Monica Kaloustian – 78628, 78641
    - Courtney Warnsman – 78664, 78681
  - Reconciled in Christ Informational Meeting
    - The meeting will be a chance to clarify what being Reconciled in Christ means. Meeting will be March 5, after the late service. Randi will email Kelley a blurb to be put in the communications.
- New Business
  - Growing Men’s breakfast – some ideas brought forth by John Duarte. These ideas will be discussed on 2/11, to gauge interest
  - Sunday School concerns
    - There are attendance concerns. How do we encourage parents to bring their kids and get everyone to come, even when they don’t have an active role that Sunday? We may need to get some professional advice.
  - Resignation of Mindy Penland from Evangelism and Outreach Team Lead
    - John Duarte made a motion to accept
    - Dave Smith seconded the motion
    - All in favor
  - Accept transfer of Kaye Oberg
    - Carol made a motion to accept
    - John Duarte seconded the motion
    - Group consensus
  - Council officers
    - New officers as follows
      - President- John Duarte
      - Vice President – Dave Smith
      - Secretary – Randi Ladolcetta
    - Carol made a motion to accept new officers
    - Mark seconded the motion
    - All in favor
    - Randi to notify Kelley
  - John Paul brought forth a concern from Rex Schroeder. The concern was discussed, noted, and will be prayed upon.
- Closing Prayer – Pastor Skip
- Meeting Adjourned – 9:40pm