

Vestry meeting Minutes 7/18/16

Members Present: Hannah Hooker, Blake Coe (Sr. Warden), Perry Moses (Jr. Warden), Carol Neves, Deb McInturff, Phillip Poston, Amanda Wheeler, Steve Thompson, Scott Darwin, Ryan Smith, Jesse Perkins

Absent: Ryker Robinson, Lise Cater, Erik Gilbert

Book Study: *Twelve Keys to an Effective Church*, Chapter 2-
Pastoral and Lay Visitation

- What are some ways we can reach out to members, visitors, etc. (Facebook, Men's Club, various gatherings)
- Who could join in with the Pastoral Care Group (Susie, Jesse, and Hannah)?

Minutes: Blake called to approve May minutes were approved. (Phillip moved, Amanda second) Approved. Moses moved to approve June minutes, Ryan second. Approved.

Finance: We are doing well considering low attendance.

Old Business:

Garden is not aesthetically pleasing so the suggestion is to remove it. Jesse would like to sod it and make it look better. We don't have a better spot (cannot use the infant house backyard because of the zoning). Phillip suggested that we encourage the gardening group to join the community gardening group on Fisher St. Blake made a motion to remove the garden, Deb second. Approved

Sr. Warden Report: \$5500 is needed to repair the roof in Narthex to keep it from leaking. Should be completed within the next month.

Jr. Warden Report: AC went out in Infant House. 1st estimate was \$7000, the 2nd estimate the guy found a loose wire. Fixed. The fire suppression system 1st estimate was \$15,000, the 2nd was \$5000. Perry would like to have a clean up day before Shrimp boil. It was mentioned that we need an additional handicap spot.

Curate Report: Jesse has two grants in the works for Two Saints.

New Business:

Shrimp Boil- Funds usually have gone to Helping Neighbors Food Pantry and Church Health but Jesse suggested that we consider using the funds for the Fire Suppression System so that we can continue to use our kitchen.

Silent Auction: Mindy Shields to head it up with funds to go to Two Saints

Curate Housing Allowance: Amanda motioned to approve \$12,000 go to Hannah's Housing, Amanda second. Approved.

Katie

Brandon May is in discernment committee to be ordained.

John Pucik will be headed soon to Seattle for Episcopal Priest Corp.

New soda machine... Coca Cola-

Two Saints Kitchen is now non-profit.

Vacation Bible School coming up.

Next meeting: August 15, 2016