

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING**

October 11, 2022

6:30pm –7:19pm

(In Person)

Opening Prayer: by Pastor Elizabeth

Adoption of the Agenda: On file.

Motion to approve the agenda: Gary Gardner

Seconded: Beth Ellen Walters

Approved

Minutes of Prior Meeting: On file.

Motion to approve Prior Meeting Minutes: John Stoner

Seconded: Cindy Williamson

Approved

Current Business:

Children's Garden: On File.

-Bill A. inquired about the schools onboarding procedure

-Received a \$95,000 workforce grant

Financial Reports On File

Beginning balance – \$ 108,532.44

Ending balance -\$ 106,160.05

*Youth Ministry account has been added to the financial managers duties.

Motion to approve the Financial Managers Report: Gary Gardner

Seconded: John Stoner

Approved

Lead Pastor's Report: On File

- Shared a Thank You from the Synod for hosting the ordination.

Associate Pastor's Report: On File

- Has guest speakers set up for November and December.
- If the position for Director of Youth Ministry is approved at the annual meeting it will go nationwide for 60 days.

Staff Reports:

- Youth Director Reports: No Report
- Cemetery Report: On File

Other Reports:

Old Business:

Council retreat: Decided on January 21st for a retreat and set January 28th as a snow date. Retreat to be at the church. Next meeting November 3.

Renovation Committee: Sue Lassi's brother-in-law was unable to help find a firm to help with the renovation.

New Business:

- † Budget-October 30th during Sunday school will be a discussion about the budget.
- † November Council Opening Prayer person: Julie Crespo
- † Church Directory – we will have a photographer on site November 13, 19 and 20th to take pictures for the directory.

Motion to Adjourn.

Motion: Cindy Williamson

Seconded: Gary Gardner

Approved

Pastor Elizabeth closed the meeting with a prayer.

Council Attendees: Bill Arbogast, Julie Crespo, Cindy Williamson, John Stoner, Sue Lassi, Pastor Sarah Keilholtz, Beth Ellen Walters, Judd Fodness, Pastor Elizabeth and Steve Sloat.

Council Excused: Mary Young

Elder Attendee: Gary Gardner

Non-Council Attendee: Terry Smith, Tracy Baxter, Crissy Switzer

Non-Council Excused:

Respectfully submitted,
Deanna Kendall, Recording Secretary