

Parish Life Ministry Board 1-24-2018 Meeting

Attendees at our meeting in the Parish Hall were: Sarah Pettus, Barbara Edwards, Carol Parnell, Michelle Barkalow, Ray Barkalow and Pam Hayes

Sarah opened the meeting with a prayer.

DOK: Pam Hayes has been appointed chaplain. DOK continues to meet with no action required.

Bereavement: The Grief Share program will no longer be used. Bill Eberle will be developing/looking for a program to be used at St. Philip's. No action required.

ECW: The ECW will have a meeting on January 28, 2018. No action required.

Hospitality: A sign-up sheet has been posted in the Narthex for coffee hours. The 8:00 coffee hour is complete for the whole year with the help of Lorraine Richardson. The 10:30 has many sign-ups but year is not complete. Ernie and Nancy Cordes will plan another Christmas trip for St. Philip's. ACTION: Ask members of last year's social fellowship teams to help with hospitality this year. Discuss with Faith Formation Ministry the possibility of an Easter Egg Hunt.

Health Care Equipment Library: 6 members of St Philip's have volunteered to lend 21 articles to the library. Action: None required.

Neighborhood Care Support: We discussed what we wanted this ministry to do. No conclusions were drawn. This is something the board wants to continue to think about and discuss.

Stephen Ministry: The new leaders were trained in January 2018. No action required.

Communications: Sarah and board members discussed the wonderful job Ray had done on the new member tri-fold brochure. We are hoping the brochure will help St. Philip's to receive more new members. No action required.

New Comers/New Members Assimilation: After much discussion, the board decided to have new members "meet and greet" after 10:30 service in the Parish Hall. February 18 was selected as the date for the meet and greet however, the Parish Hall will be available Sunday March 11 for the meet and greet. ACTION: Continue plans for March new members meet and greet.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday February 28. At that time, we will share our reports electronically with each other.

We closed our meeting with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Parnell