

## Minutes - Outreach Ministry Board Meeting May 8, 2018

In attendance were Linda Humphreys (Chairwoman), Deacon Sally Learned, Frazer Crane, Allen Feezor, Glenn Kinberg, Tink Shelton, Jonathan Richmond, Peter del Sol, Maryann Darzano, and Betty Rupp (communicator). Guests were Shirley Desnoyers and Bob Fuchs

We read our opening prayer as a group.

Minutes from our previous meeting were approved.

Treasures Report – Bob Fuchs give us a run down of our statement. Our balance is \$12,279.13. Peter, Linda and Sally will meet to adjust the categories of our expenditures.

Ministry Reports were as follow:

Shirley gave us a review of what the Belize Ministry has accomplished in the last 5 years. We will continue with the “fill the suitcase” collection and she will complete a grant request form for next year. It was suggested we might get our youth involved in a pen-pal arrangement with some of the youths in Belize. Deacon Sally also suggested looking at ways to ensure the sustainability of the ministry.

Men’s Club – they are only going to be a social club and were looking for help with the lobster sale this year. After much discussion, the board voted to decline to be involved with the lobster sale.

ECW – There will be a presentation in the Sanctuary on 5/17 for all to attend regarding “The Face of Homelessness”. The ladies are invited to have lunch at Indochine on 5/23.

Streetreach – There were 209 pairs of socks collected. However, the original person handling them is no longer involved. Rose will offer them to Streetreach at the 5/17 event.

SOIF – The luncheon is on 6/19 here in the parish hall. Sally, Glenn and Jonathan will all be present. Glenn will have a report from SOIF at our Sept. meeting.

Winter Shelter – The procedure is changing somewhat. Ida Parker will be in charge of food service and Sally will be in charge of case management. They will be looking for more resources to provide assistance to those in need.

Diaper Ministry – Maryann and Frank only had 3 people to help pack up 2500 diapers. They will be raising funds in the month of May.

We will look at Blue Pinwheels to highlight Child Abuse for April 2019.

Allen turned in his summary on immigration. It will go out in 3 parts 5/20, 5/27 and 6/3.

At our next meeting we will discuss the day in “The Social Justice Bible Challenge” that most touched us, either by inspiring or offending.

Linda said our closing prayer.

Please advise if any of my information is incorrect. Our next meeting will be Tuesday June 12, 2018 at 2:00 PM in the parish hall. Please advise if you will be unable to attend.

Faithfully Submitted,

*Betty Rupp*