

## **Worship Committee Meeting Minutes 9/11/21 @ 9:00am**

**Attendees:** Jennifer Braun-Pixley, Mary Jo Drews, Hank Drews, Merritt Heaney, Nancy Schlagel, Pastor Carol Lundell and Pastor Sam Wolff.

**Devotions:** Nancy read the devotion for today from Christ in Our Home which focused on the 9/11 tragedy.

### **Old Business:**

Merritt presented **Vouchers** for the past month for Christ in Our Home and Portals of Prayer. Motion made, seconded and all in favor of paying for these devotional books.

**Request for Updated Detailed Job Description for the Power Point Clicker** was presented in a step by step procedure which will be placed into the Volunteer booklet and new volunteers to this position. See Volunteer book in Gathering Area for details.

**COVID and Delta Variant:** There was a discussion regarding requiring everyone to wear a mask now that the variant seems to be on the rise. Nancy shared a piece she had given the Fellowship Committee and Pastor Carol shared that the staff at St Andrews has to have a mask on whenever in the building. She also stated that the sign on the church's door stated **Masks Required**. We cannot limit people from entering if they do not want a mask, but we can try our best to encourage them by signs and offering masks. We will ask Kathleen to do some signs for us and the Pastors will address this at next week's service. To eliminate more aerosols that transmit the COVID, we will work with Andy and Karen asking them to do more small group or solo performances. We will also ask the congregation to sing just one verse of hymns and other verses by small groups, piano or organ led by Andy and/or Karen.

## **New Business:**

**Offering Box** was discussed by Pastor Sam in that it is hard to find. We all agreed it is in a good place now, but needs to be mentioned in the bulletin. Pastor Sam will write up something for next week's bulleting and beyond.

**Live Streaming:** It was discussed that the past two weeks the link to add live streaming on Facebook and Web site has not been received until the end of the week. It is posted as soon as it we get it, so it must have been from Corey's end. Merritt will talk to Corey to at least target Tuesday.

**150<sup>th</sup> Sunday Celebration Service on 11/14/2021:** Pastor Carol would like to know the plan for the Sunday church service. The committee asked Pastor Carol and Pastor Sam to get together with the music team to coordinate the service. Discussion on pastors returning for this event and would they be a part of it? Should they be robed? We as a committee will leave it up to the Pastoral Team and then bring back to next meeting.

**Bulletin Waste Each Sunday:** Nancy mentioned that Kathleen recycles at least 50 bulletins each Sunday. Do we keep with the bulletins or just offer the inserts? The committee decided at this present time we should keep up with the bulletins as the Power Point may crash and then we have the bulleting available. Some shorter people like it also as their view sometimes get blocked by tall people.

**Next Meeting:** The next meeting will be on **October 9, at 9:00am**

**November's meeting will be on November 6, instead of the 13<sup>th</sup>.**

**Closing Prayer by Pastor Sam Wolff**