# Trinity Lutheran Church Congregational Council Meeting Minutes

## September 18, 2014

**Members present:** Christina Pillot Lynne Garrison

John Waters Jim Cowan

Judy Lankes Scott Sheaffer

Bill Campbell Peter Weyandt

Megan Orient Bob Musheno

Viki Stumbers Jeff Gonet

**Not present:**  Pastor Miller

**Call to Order:** 7:05 p.m. Christina Pillot

**Opening:** Installation of Megan Orient

**No changes to August minutes**

**Pastor’s report**:

No report

**President’s report:**

Update on “decluttering” progress, website, Splash program and HS Sunday School class

**Vice President’s report:**

Update on ballroom dancing and beer tasting classes

Offered brochure template advertising Trinity activities and worship schedule – discussed various methods of advertising both internally & externally

**Treasurer & Financial Secretary Reports:**

No discussion

**Administrative Support:**

Update and time frame given for roof and doors in fellowship hall

Church sign revised and completed

Peter offered ideas to promote increase in giving; both financial gifts and gifts of time

Update on tree removal and pavilion

**Outreach/social ministry:**

Megan provided information regarding the 50th anniversary celebration committee, which is beginning to plan events and solicit ideas from congregation members

A calendar delineating annual events was requested, for coordination purposes

**TLC Ministries:**

Jeff provided information regarding the 9/28/14 picnic following the 10:45 service

Jeff will solicit information from a portrait service for a new church directory

Details given regarding Thanksgiving dinner and worship service to be held 11/16/14 – discussion ensued with the following consensus: all 3 worship services, and Sunday school, will be held at their regular times; dinner will be held at noon

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Megan presented information pertinent to Nursery staff, including various trainings and costs involved – discussion followed

Motion made by John, and seconded by Bob, that Trinity begin paying the youth members of Trinity to work in the nursery at a rate of $8.00/hour for a 1 ½ hour service

Motion passed with one opposing vote by Megan, who opposed only because she feels the Nursery position should be voluntary

**Closing & Adjournment:**

Meeting closed at 8:50 with The Lord’s Prayer

Submitted by

Judy Lankes