

Sunne Evangelical Lutheran Church Council Minutes

Date May 19, 2010

Closed with Prayer

Roll Call

Present were Pastor Paul, Karen Ryberg, Richard Hausauer, John Schneider, Eric Schauer, and Crystal Teetz. Absent were Kari Cutting and Dale Hurt.

Secretary's Report

Given by Crystal Teetz – MSC To approve the April 15 minutes with correction that the minutes read that the May 16th 2010 special meeting was for the voting to support the sabbatical guidelines.

Treasures Report

Given by Pastor Paul: Note April general offerings were down 30% and overall April giving was down 4 % compared to April 2009. Year to date general offerings are up 4% and overall giving is up 26%.

Pastors Report

April average attendance : 180 compares to 197 in 2009 which is a 9 % decrease

Guidance requested on October weddings – one is an out-of-state wedding and one is in Fargo

Guidance requested on June 20th Communion – Communion moved to June 13th, Wayne Granfor will cover on June 20th

Weddings: Jeremy Hrubby and Toni Schmid on May 15th, Chris Haluzak and Jessica Hepker on May 22nd

Funerals: Laura Mae Jiras on May 21

Old Business:

Sabbatical Guidelines MSC

MSC to approve Pastor Paul's request for a sabbatical

Sabbatical Dates: Start June 27, 2011. End September 24, 2011

Application for The Lilly Endowment Inc., National Clergy Renewal Grant – MSC

Parsonage committee received two bids for parsonage floor – MSC to approve \$3,100 for parsonage floor

Camp of the Cross Sunday Feast - Council decided to postpone until the summer of the sabbatical

New Business:

Synod Assembly-June 4-5

Ministry:

Church- No report

Stewardship - No report

Worship - No report

Cemetery - No report

Education - No report

Evangelism - One new person and two new families

Youth - Food Sales wrapped up, Pancake feed June 6th

WELCA - Funeral policy still to be finalized

Parsonage walk through was completed by council members.

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