

## **Program Cabinet Agenda**

**May 19, 2014**

**Attendees:** Prill Zobel, Cherie Reynolds, Lauri Morris, Mary Fredericks, Linda Stinson, Dawn Lasater.

**Call to Order:** The meeting began at 7:04.

**Devotion:** Lauri read a poem called **Clear Direction** which refers to getting direction from Our Lord.

**Review of Last Month's Minutes:** The only correction is the spelling of Lauri's name.

Lauri is the correct spelling.

### **Evaluations:**

**Global Mission:** The May 18th Cultural Lunch, was CANCELED due to lack of resources. Matt suggested that we try it later in the year in conjunction with help from the Program Cabinet.

### **Future Planning:**

**Advertising:** There was discussion about whether to have ads about our services in the Gazette Times each Saturday. It was decided that we would only advertise before Easter and Christmas services. The ads would \$90 for each holiday. If we don't have funds for this when the time comes, Linda would be willing to personally ask people if they would donate money for the ads.

**Promotion Sunday:** This is on June 8<sup>th</sup>. Do bibles or anything need to be bought?

**Fathers Day Chili Cook Off and Car Show:** This is June 15<sup>th</sup>. There will be ¼ page flyers as an insert in the church bulletin for the next 2 weeks so people can take them with them to recruit cars. Lauri will also talk about these in front of the church. Some of our members said they would ask different people if they will enter their cars in the car show. Cherie will ask John Myers, Lauri will ask Christy, Matt will ask his friend, and Linda will ask Les Wheeler.

There will be a donation basket at the Chili Cook Off; the money will be designated for Mission Outreach. It was decided that we need 500 cups for the chili (100 people needing 5 cups each); Linda will check the price for these at Costco. We will also need 150 paper cups for drinks. We'll also need paper plates, napkins, spoons, and forks. Linda will make a sign-up sheet for these items, for chili and any other food items needed. We will ask Neil and Bob to take care of electricity, and will need 6 to volunteer for set up and 6 for take down. Lauri will purchase gifts for participation and one for 1<sup>st</sup> prize.

**Family Camp:** This will be June 26-29.

**Summer Dispatch and Summer Office Hours:** We will wait to hear from the staff about these.

**Picnics in the Park:** These will start the first Wednesday after Fathers Day which is June 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Otter Beach Party:** This is August 24<sup>th</sup>. Lauri will be sending a flyer to the Albany Christian Church. They have agreed to pay half the cost of the event.

**Van Repairs:** It will cost approximately \$500 to fix the van. We agreed we need to get the repairs done and propose that we use Mission Outreach funds for this.

**Additional:**

**Sunday School /Youth Program:** We will ask for an email report of this.

**Disciples House:** Cherie and Meggie interviewed 4 present residents who are reapplying to come back next year. They also interviewed a new prospective resident. At this point, Meggie has been making sure there is a meal for the residents each Sunday when they have their meeting. There is hope that church members will volunteer to contribute a meal each week. There was some discussion about why church members have not been volunteering and some discussion about why it might work out to use some of the Disciples House funds for these meals. The DH residents have done a lot of their community service hours working at Stone Soup.

At this point, Neil and Cherie Reynolds and Leah and Mike Gordon are serving as the church support group for DH. They need more people to be in that group. Stu & Pat Eide, Emily and Steve Herb, and John Evans were mentioned as possible people to be asked.

**Stone Soup:** No report.

**CDDC:** The meeting was postponed to May 21<sup>st</sup> so there is no report at this time.

**West M:** Lauri is on the board; they meet monthly. The board has talked a lot about sustainability and capital campaigns. West M is there as a place for ecumenical groups rather than just one specific religious group. There is a lot of student involvement. Some of the activities planned are a rafting retreat, a winter retreat, a donor appreciation dinner, and the students help with Stone Soup once a month.

**Global Missions:** Lauri will be going to Ecuador this summer and will work with our Sunday School students to do a project for her to take to children in Ecuador.

**Craft Fair:** The next meeting is June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 11:00AM. There will be discussion about what the funds will go toward. There will be a recommendation to Program Cabinet at the June 16<sup>th</sup> meeting. Program Cabinet will make a recommendation to Finance Cabinet. Prill wants to add repair of some glass stained windows and a new sound system to the list of possibilities.

**Hospitality:**

**Wedding Policy and Procedures:** This is on the back burner.

**Miscellaneous:** We will have name tags for Car Show Sunday which is June 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Next Meeting:** June 16, 2014.

**Meeting Adjourned:** 8:08.

Respectfully submitted by:

Dawn Lasater