

The View

News of the Ministries of Pleasant View Evangelical Lutheran Church

March 2018

**Pleasant View Evangelical Lutheran Church
February Council Meeting Minutes
February 8, 2018**

Members Present: Terry Bunch, Mark Cline, Robyn Dean, Karen Fauber, Mary Garber, Rebecca Perrin, Jim Sheets, Burke Simmons, Rosemary Spell.

Members Absent: Pastor Derek Boggs, Frances Knott

Called to order: Mark called the council meeting to order at 6:35 p.m. with an opening prayer. Discussion of members who currently may need transportation help to church, appointments, etc.

Secretary's Report: Burke Simmons made a motion to accept the January council meeting minutes. Motion seconded by Rebecca Perrin. The minutes were approved.

Pastor's Report: Pastor Derek Boggs absent.

Lay Assistant for Congregation Care Report: Jim Sheets reported Gloria Ward's Memorial Service was held at Pleasant View, there will be a meeting with Salem on Feb. 20 at 7:00 p.m. to discuss upcoming combined events, Chaplain Trost will lead the Ash Wednesday Service on Feb. 14 at 6:30 p.m., congregation has been invited by Salem to attend the Shrove Tuesday Pancake dinner, Feb. 13, donations used to help with medical expenses of FDHS teacher receiving chemo. Trivent will match amount, chili cook-off has been rescheduled to Sunday, Feb. 11 following the congregational meeting, Red Bucket proceeds to be collected for Youth Summer Trip on Feb. 18, March 4 and March 18.

Treasurer's Report: Karen Fauber distributed the January 1, 2018 to January 31, 2018 budget for review. The HVAC Building Fund has a balance of \$31,483.10. Total income of \$11,039.00 exceeded expenditures of \$8,596.91. Monies not used for Pastor fees will be moved to the money market account. Discussed CD investment, with no penalty, better interest rate.

President's Report: Mark Cline thanked everyone for coming. The Trinity Lunch has been moved from February to March.

Committee Reports:

Education: Rosemary Spell reported the need to look at confirmation class age youth and needs, Virginia Synod offers a Lay Leader Skills class, there is a fee for those interested in attending.

Evangelism: Mary Garber reports updates to church Facebook page.

Finance/Stewardship: Burke Simmons, no report.

Hospitality and Social Ministry: Terry Bunch shared the church has been invited to the World Day of Prayer, March 2 at Augusta Street United Methodist Church in Staunton.

Property: Mark Cline will discuss HVAC system under Old Business.

Worship and Music: Rebecca Perrin says the committee has met. There will be special Easter music for worship.

Youth and Recreation: Robyn Dean reported the Chili cook off will be held on Sunday, Feb. 11 following the congregational meeting, Salem Youth will host a Valentines Dinner for the youth trip on Saturday, Feb. 17, Winter Celebration was attended by Laurel Simmons, a possible fundraiser could be spring yard work for members by the youth.

Old Business:

HVAC Update: Mark Cline reported two contracts have been received on the system. Currently funds are available for this project. The new system is a high efficiency Trane heat pump, individually mounted units. The old system will be disconnected from the boiler. This project will be voted on at the Feb. 11 congregational meeting.

New Council Member: Dale Rankin may serve half of the term and be eligible for re-election.

Committee Responsibilities: outlines were distributed.

Congregational Members for Nominating Committee: Debbie Hastert, Stephanie Jetton and Joy Landes.

Shirts for Council: T-shirts will not be available at this time.

Jim's title update: Lay Assistant for Congregational Care

Updated Congregational Meeting Agenda: reviewed agenda for Feb. 11 meeting

New/Used Wheelchair Status: Karen Fauber has a used wheelchair to donate.

Other: Bill and Pat Luders will continue janitorial duties until the end of this year. Jimmy Cox has expressed an interest in picking up these duties.

New Business:

Water softner: Mark Cline discussed the need of a water softner which would greatly help in the maintenance of the ice machine. One may be purchased for \$1,000.00. Rosemary Spell made a motion to approve, seconded by Rebecca Perrin. This expense was approved by council.

Door to second floor: Mark Cline discussed a door being installed to the second floor to help with heating and cooling. Council approved this project.

Employee contracts: Pastor, church secretary, organist, choir directory, sexton and custodian contracts will be updated.

Senior Sunday School Class Location: Rosemary Spell discussed pros and cons of location of classroom.

Recording service for shut-ins: Rebecca Perrin will check on this item.

Announcements

Next Council Meeting: Thursday, March 8, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Congregational Meeting: Sunday, Feb 11 after church service

Adjournment: The meeting was concluded with prayer with Mark Cline and adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

WORSHIP WORKSHEET

March 2018

Assisting Minister – Betty Cox

Ushers – Dale and Lisa Rankin, Phil Dixon

Communion Preparation – Dale and Lisa Rankin

Sunday, March 4 - Lay Reader – Michael Vayvada

Acolyte – Lisa Rankin Communion Assistant – Sarah Dabney

Sunday, March 11 - Lay Reader – Frances Knott

Acolyte – Gottfried Pikel Communion Assistant – Laurel Simmons

Sunday, March 18 – Lay Reader – Mark Cline

Acolyte – Laurel Simmons Communion Assistant – Zane Simmons

Sunday, March 25 - Lay Reader – Mary King

Acolyte – Sibbie Jetton Communion Assistant – Frances Knott

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Congregational Meeting Minutes

February 11, 2018

Distributions: meeting agenda, November 12, 2017 Congregational Meeting minutes, budget, 2017 Yearbook includes committee reports.

Called to Order: A quorum was confirmed and the meeting was called to order by Mark Cline at 12:21 p.m.

Opening Prayer: The meeting began in prayer.

Approval of November 12, 2017 Congregational Meeting Minutes: Larry Landes made a motion to accept the meeting minutes, seconded by Forrester Wright. Minutes were approved by the congregation.

Treasurer's Report: Karen Fauber reported that 2017 was the ninth year in a row that income exceeded expenses. The Change for Hope produced an annual income of \$8,903.00. This included fundraisers, play proceeds, red bucket contributions. These funds were dispersed to Weekday Religious Education, Valley Mission, Verona Food Pantry, SACRA, Disaster Relief, church members and local needs. There was a stock donation request received in late 2017 from a church member. A brokerage account was set up with Scott and Stringfellow to receive these funds. This account has a balance of \$37,386.05.

Committee Reports for 2017: Distributed in 2017 Yearbook.

Approval of Pastoral Search Committee: A motion was made by Larry Landes and seconded by Frances Knott to approve the following for the Pastoral Search Committee: Council President (2017) Gary Flavin, Jim Sheets, Judy Shuey and Rebecca Perrin. The motion was approved by the congregation.

Approval of Funds and Discussion of HVAC Project: Mark Cline has obtained two contracts for the Trane heat pump HVAC system. Both projected project expenses are \$35,000. Time frame for the project will be less than two weeks. The church has adequate funds to cover this expense by using the Stock Donation account which has a balance of \$37,386.05. These units will be wall mounted in each individual space – classrooms, office, hallway, social hall and kitchen. These are quiet and efficient heating and cooling units. The old system will be disconnected from boiler. The boiler in the sanctuary will remain as is, at this time. Motion was made by Doug Painter to use the funds as discussed, seconded by Duane Perrin. Congregation approved use of funds and approved the installation of this HVAC system.

Approval of Nominating Committee Members for 2019: Jim Cox made a motion to accept the following names for approval, Doug Painter seconded the motion. Robyn Dean, Rebecca Perrin, Joy Lanes, Stephanie Jetton and Debbie Hastert. Congregation approved the motion.

Other Business from Council Members: Frances Knott, Evangelism Committee, discussed business cards donated by her and her husband, John, to help promote our church. The church contact information is printed on one side, and the other side blank for personal information to be added as needed. The cards have been placed in the annex for members to take as needed to distribute.

Jim Sheets ask those listed as ushers to ask someone if needed to fill four spots each Sunday. Altar Guild individuals still needed, see Jim or Judy Shuey.

Closing: Meeting was adjourned with prayer at 12:38 p.m.

News from the Evangelism Committee

Pleasant View Facebook Page

Did you know Pleasant View has a Facebook page? Pleasant View Evangelical Lutheran Church Youth Group is listed on Facebook and we would love for more people to “like” and visit this page. This is a great communication tool, to promote services, activities and let others know about our church and what we are doing.

Welcome Cards

Welcome cards with church information have been donated by Frances and John Knott. These business card size handouts are available in the annex. Please feel free to distribute and share. One side is left blank to add your personal contact information, if needed. The Evangelism Committee hopes this will help promote our church with those in the community. Many thanks to Frances and John for this donation.

Looking Ahead

You will want to plan to attend our Lenten **Wednesday programs** from now until Wednesday, March 21. We begin with soup and sandwiches at 6:00 (See the bulletin board to sign up to bring something) and continue around the table with a brief meditation and worship service. We begin Holy Week on **Palm Sunday** with a the procession of palms and a cantata, "On to the Cross" at the 11:00 service. Then on Thursday, March 29, we will share a **Maundy Thursday** meal and communion service in the social hall, beginning at 6:00. On **Good Friday**, March 30, our service will be in the sanctuary beginning at 6:30 and ending as we leave the church in darkness. The **Sunrise Service** will be on Easter morning at 7:00 followed by a light breakfast, and we celebrate communion at 11:00 on **Easter Sunday**. You are invited to attend all of these services and to bring a friend.

Members of our congregation are invited to join Salem Lutheran at their **talent show** on March 10 at 7:00. Acts are still needed, and audience participants are welcome. See Jim Sheets for details.

Tryouts for the **spring play** will be held this Saturday, March 3, beginning at 9:00 a.m. at Verona Community Center. All are welcome to try out. There may be a part for you!

WELCA will meet on March 13 at 10:00 a.m. at Rowe's. Betty Cox will present a program on "Healthcare in the Home." All ladies are invited.

The **Men's Fellowship** will meet on Saturday, March 10, at Gary Flavin's home, 127 Greenwood Road. Pastor Price will lead the program, and there is a signup sheet on the bulletin board so there will be enough food.

Youth will go snow tubing on March 1 from 5:30 to 7:00. Meet at the Waynesboro Park at 4:30 to car pool. Bring \$10 plus money for dinner. Also, on March 18 at 12:30 youth will meet to collect trash. All youth are invited.

Pleasant Memories will not meet during Lent but will resume on April 17. **This is a new meeting date, so mark your calendars.** The April meeting will be at the church, and Jimmy Cox will cater the meal at the cost of \$12. Jimmy always provides a delicious meal, and there will be a signup sheet on the bulletin board so he will know how much food to prepare. Joe Price will lead the program. The May meeting will be Tuesday, May 15, and will be a covered dish meal. Those attending are asked to bring several dishes to share. Bill and Janet Braithwaite and Kenneth and Joe Price are in charge of all arrangements. Mark these dates on your calendar; all ages are welcome to attend.

Personals

Dick Zullig continues his recovery at Augusta Rehab. **Joy Campbell** spent a few days at Augusta Health but has now returned home. **Earl Cline** has left RMH and is now at Virginia Mennonite Retirement Community. We continue to remember all of our sick in our prayers.

Our Christian sympathy is extended to **Roger and Goldie Shiflett** at the death of Roger's father, Hansford Shiflett.

March Birthdays



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| Greg Campbell | 3-6 |
| Pam Briehl | 3-6 |
| Erin Dixon | 3-11 |
| Chip Lilly | 3-12 |
| Janet Braithwaite | 3-13 |
| Tammy Lilly | 3-15 |
| Austin Bowers | 3-17 |
| John Bowers | 3-26 |
| Timothy Lihos | 3-26 |
| Bill Coffin | 3-29 |
| Jasmine Cook | 3-29 |
| Gavyen Hensley | 3-30 |

March Anniversaries



Chip & Tammy Lilly 3-19-2010

Are you a detail person? Are you proud when things runs smoothly? Do you have a few extra minutes on Sunday mornings?

Then the altar guild needs you! We need one or several people who will make sure that all is ready for worship on Sunday mornings? Are the flowers in place? Paraments on? Acolyte and communion assistant here? All the details ready to go? If several will volunteer, your turn will only come around every few weeks. Please see Judy Shuey or Jim Sheets if you can help with this vital ministry.

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Happening at Pleasant View in March

| ◀ February | | March 2018 | | | | | April ▶ |
|---|--|------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|---|---------|
| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | |
| | | | | 1 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 5:30 Youth Snow Tubing | 2 | 3 9:00 Play Try-outs | |
| 4 9:30 Worship and Music 10:00 Sunday School 11:00 Worship | 5 8:30 Staff Food Pantry | 6 | 7 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 6:00 Soup and Sandwiches 6:30 Lenten Worship 7:00 Choir | 8 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 6:30 Council | 9 | 10 8:00 Men's Fellowship Breakfast at Gary Flavin's 7:00 Salem Talent Show | |
| 11 10:00 Sunday School 11:00 Worship | 12 8:30 Staff Food Pantry | 13 10:00 WELCA at Rowe's | 14 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 6:00 Soup and Sandwiches 6:30 Lenten Worship 7:00 Choir | 15 8:30 Staff Food Pantry | 16 | 17 | |
| 18 10:00 Sunday School 11:00 Worship 12:30 Youth Trash Pickup | 19 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 12:00 Trinity Lunch | 20 | 21 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 6:00 Soup and Sandwiches 6:30 Lenten Worship 7:00 Choir | 22 8:30 Staff Food Pantry | 23 | 24 | |
| 25 10:00 Sunday School 11:00 Palm Sunday Worship with cantata | 26 8:30 Staff Food Pantry | 27 | 28 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 7:00 Choir | 29 8:30 Staff Food Pantry 6:00 Maundy Thursday Meal and Communion | 30 6:30 Good Friday Service | 31 | |