

Lakeview United Methodist Church

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ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

The meeting was called to order by Wayne Kersey and opened with prayer. Those present in addition to Wayne were Karen Kersey, Linda Thompson, Newbrough, Marilyn Colby, Dave Koontz, Pastor Richie and Don & Marilyn Morton. Motion (Bud/Karen) carried to accept the May minutes as printed.

Treasurer's Report – Treasurer's report for May was accepted (Don/Linda) as printed.

Finance - As requested by some members, and because we have a few extra dollars available in our budget, we invited Jeff Taylor from the United Methodist Foundation of West Virginia, Inc. to our church to advise us of the offerings available to the church if we placed some of our money with them. The committee will meet and discuss this and make a

recommendation at the next Council meeting.

PS/PRC - The committee has completed the evaluation of our pastor/ministry as requested by our District Superintendent.

Chong has advised PS/PRC that she will be leaving Lakeview at the end of June -June 30th will be her last Sunday with us. PPR will seek a replacement and work on this transition. We plan to place an ad in the local papers regarding the Music Director position, and are looking options for interim/temporary help if that is needed.

The church's CD's of the United Methodist Hymnal songs have been found and are available for use if we need them.

Outreach – There is a fishing tournament at the lake sponsored by Riverlake Residents - coffee-donuts-juice will be served - and Outreach will pass out information on Lakeview's Bible School.

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Nurture - Nurture will sponsor a reception for Chong on Sunday, June 30th following the Worship Service.

Trustees – Dick Thompson has overhauled the Church's lawnmower – purchased a new battery, fixed the wheel, etc.

Byron Bowman has helped secure two loads of mulch for use around our flower beds.

Bill Casto has worked over our outdoor sign and made some improvements.

The fire department has inspected our fire extinguishers and they have passed inspection.

The pads on our defibrillator have passed expiration date and Linda Martin has ordered replacements.

Dick Thompson purchased and installed programmable thermometers for all parts of the church in order to allow us to reduce costs when no one is in the building. Please call Dick if you need the building to be cooled (or heated) for a special event and he would be happy to handle this for you.

The trustees have two items still on their "to do list" – striping the parking lot and trimming one of the trees near the railroad tracks – and volunteers are in place to handle both of these.

Pastor's Report – Pastor will be at Conference Thursday through Sunday, June 6-9.

Bible School will be held the week of June 23.

Pastor will be on vacation July 14 thru 18.

Miscellaneous - Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 6.

Wayne closed the meeting with prayer.

NOTES FROM THE UNKNOWN REPORTER

It's June! And here comes Vacation Bible School. Bible School will start Sunday, June 23 and continue until Thursday, June 27. Amy Humphreys is in charge this year and we thank for her leadership. VBS is always a big week at Lakeview and we look forward to sharing the Jesus story with all the children of the neighborhood. So round up the little ones and make time for Bible School this year. I know Amy will appreciate any help one can offer.

Congratulations to Mary Carr, who has been named Kanawha County Belle of the Continuing Education Outreach Services. Mary will be a guest at the Glenville State Folk Festival held on June 21 through June 23. So be sure to let her know you support her in this effort.

We send big time congratulations to our Ashley Wilson, daughter of Karen and Don Wilson, who has completed her Master's Degree in Occupational Therapy. Ashley is looking forward to taking her board examinations and will be working in the Baltimore, MD area. We're proud of you, Ashley!

We continue to ask for prayer for Fred and Georgeann McKinney, who are pretty much housebound. Stop by for a moment or two to wish them well.

Many thanks to Bill Casto who provided the sermon this Sunday while Pastor Richie and Lay Delegate Bud Newbrough attended the West Virginia Annual Conference in Buckhannon. Bud told me that former pastor David Erenrich served him communion one day this week.

Have a happy summer, Folks.

June and July Anniversaries

BLACK	6/3
MORTON	6/4
MCCORMICK	6/7
WILSON	6/7
NOBLE	6/9
FRY	6/10
KELLY	6/13
THOMPSON	6/17
BACCHUS	7/1
KOONT7	7/5

June and July Birthdays

MARY CARR	6/6
BILL CUMBERLEDGE	6/8
SALLY CARPENTER	6/10
CAMERON ASHLEY	6/14
AMI IDDINGS	6/18
CAMERON STRAWDERMAN	6/18
ADAM PENNINGTON	6/19
JANET PAINTER	6/29
LOGAN PENNINGTON	7/3
BARB THAXTON	7/4
KENNY PENNINGTON	7/4
CHARLIE FRY	7/14
DORIS HERSHER	7/19
MEGAN KERSEY BAUCOM	7/22
RUTH ANDERSON	7/25

If your birthday or anniversary is missing, please send an email to:

<u>Donaldp.wilson@yahoo.com</u> and I will add you to the list.

FINANCE CORNER

Income needed for Budget \$7,438.00 Income for April \$4,995.00

All bills are paid and our Conference Fair Share is paid in full.

Our church earned \$2,300.00 at our last Yard Sale. Last month we announced that we donated \$1,100.00 to the Jericho House. Since then the Church Administrative Council voted to donate \$500.00 from our Yard Sale profits to Christ's Kitchen. We are blessed and we are a blessing to others.

For the Finance Committee Bud Newbrough