

October 4, 1994

The regular monthly meeting of the Church Council of the United Evangelical Church U.C.C. was held on Tuesday October 4, 1994.

Those in attendance were Ruth Beckwith, Marty Clement George Hammerbacher, Harvey Jacob, George Nassner, James Tallagsen, William Voelker, and Cass Young.

Pastor Armstrong opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes were read and a correction was made.

The Financial report was given by Harvey Jacob.

We are \$647.89 under budget for the month of September. Harvey said we are under budget for the year to date, but our All Church Sour Beef and Dumpling Supper hopefully will bring us closer to our budget for this year.

#### Correspondence:

A letter was received from Marvin Natzke requesting permission from the Council to have Alcoholic Anonymous meetings here on Sunday evening at 7 p.m.

A motion was made by Jim Tallagsen and seconded by Bucky Carrigan to bring this request to the Congregation Meeting in November to let them decide.

A letter was received from M's Gloria Hagen for permission to check record books for her family background.

Council gave her permission to do so.

A letter was received from Roberta Deasel to remove her name from the Altar Committee. We will do this when the committee members are selected for the new year.

#### PROPERTY:

The leak in the roof in the Sunday School building was fixed.

The new smoke detectors have been placed in the Sunday School building.

The State Environmental Protection people were here and we agreed on the plan for lead abatement to meet the state requirements. Bill Myers has offered to complete the lead abatement work and to take a special 6 hour course to qualify him to do this work.

The boiler has a leak in it and Jim will have the plumber to come in to try to find the leak and repair it.

The fire alarm system has been completed and Jim asked to give George Nassner and his friend some compensation for their work.

A round of applause was given to George Nassner for a job well done.

#### MEMBERSHIP:

Membership Sunday will be on October 23, 1994. We have five people who are interested in membership to our Church.

**FELLOWSHIP:**

Preparations will be made for our All Church Sour Beef and Dumpling Supper.

**SPIRITUAL:**

We will have "Miss Ella Day" on Sunday October 30, 1994. She has resigned her position as teacher after 50 years plus. We will honor her at a 9:30 service for the Sunday School children and at our 10:30 service also.

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:**

George Nassner purchased more Christian videos for our Sunday School.

**CALENDAR:**

October 09 & 16	Deacon Max Hoffman preaches.
October 10 - 21	Pastor's Vacation.
October 18	Dance Classes for children begin.
October 23	New Member Sunday.
October 29	Halloween Party
November 20	Memorial Sunday
November 27	Congregation Sunday - Eastern Star Highland Chapter to attend service
December 04	Highland Assembly of God-Music Festival
December 11	Tinsel Sunday

**Old Business:**

George is still trying to get contact Mat Kelsh, insurance agent, to get a record of our past claims.

**New Business:**

Bill Voelker made a motion and Jim Tallagsen seconded that our church will give Thanksgiving and Christmas baskets to our members only and refer the rest to Canton Baptist Church where food is distributed throughout the year. All council members were in favor except one.

A motion was made by Jim Tallagsen and seconded by Ruth Beckwith to accept the program for the Pact (Parents and Teachers Together).

All Council members were in favor of this motion.

Janice Jackson will keep day to day expenses for the Pact program. The payroll will be thru the church's regular account. She will report monthly to the Council. (See attached brochure)

**Pastor's Report:**

Attached.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35.

Pastor Armstrong closed with prayer.