

April 5, 1994

The regular monthly meeting of the Church Council was held on Tuesday, April, 5, 1994.

Those in attendance were Pastor Armstrong, Bucky Carrigan, Marty Clement, George Finnerty, George Hammerbacher, Harvey Jacob, Wayne Schaefer, William Voelker, and Ruth Beckwith.

Pastor Armstrong opened with prayer.

The minutes and the financial report were accepted as presented. We are \$2750.00 under budget for the month of March.

PROPERTY

A motion was made by Bill Voelker and seconded by George Finnerty to have the necessary repairs done in the Parsonage. They are as follows: hot water heater, ceiling in the kitchen repaired and painted, floor tiles replaced, and the bathroom tiles replaced.

✓The city will repair pavements in front of the church.

MEMBERSHIP

We will receive five new members on April 10, 1994.

SPIRITUAL

The new Worship Booklet will be purchased for \$175.00 for five-hundred books. They will be put in the pews to be used during the services. Council were all in agreement with the purchase of this booklet.

The Baptism folder, to be given out to new parents at the time of Baptism, was approved by the Council.

MUSIC

It was suggested we eliminate the Patriotic Hymn in our services. It was also suggested we eliminate the Prayer List.

CALENDAR

The Sour Beef and Dumpling Supper will be held on April 13, 1994. We will need all the help we can get to make this a success.

It was suggested to try to space our Church fund raisers instead of having them one after the other.

OLD BUSINESS

The consolidation with Bethel is moving along. Bill Voelker gave definition of our mission thru this consolidation.

George Hammerbacher, will meet with Sam Poole, president of Bethel's Consistory, to discuss a writing up of a "Call" for Pastor Rodgers. This meeting will be held on April 20, 1994.

NEW BUSINESS

It was decided that United will not participate in the Make a Difference Campaign.

Marty Clement made a motion and Ruth Beckwith seconded the motion to have The World Day of Prayer at our church this year.

The Council approved to retain Pat Kelly for 1995. They also suggested he shorten the service.

The Council gave permission for us to have Red Cross instruction classes here sometime in the near future.

The letter about the Baby Boost program is attached. It will be held on April 21, 1994 at 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Council approved Pastor's vacation for May 15 and June 5, 1994. Deacon Max Hoffman has agreed to preach on these two Sundays.

A thank you letter will be sent to Ernie Young, and Karen Foster for their help in making the Cross for Easter Sunday to be decorated with flowers to make a Living Cross.

A discussion to shorten the services for the summer will be discussed at our next meeting.

PASTOR'S REPORT

Attached.

Meeting adjourned.