

## United Evangelical Church Council Meeting Minutes

Held on January 11, 2000

Those present: Cal Gundlach, Clarence Rowell, Stan Huber, Ric Nyborg, John Williams, Baptist Hoffman, Harvey Jacobs, George Nassner, Cass Young, Olga deBloom, John Price, Darlene Waters, and Pastor Baker

- Meeting was opened with prayer by Pastor Baker at 7:40 pm.
- The Pastor directed our attention to the upcoming retreat.

We examined what it meant to be called as a leader. She also handed out material to help us in our mission.

- Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as printed.

### Financial Report

- Cal Gundlach reviewed budget spreadsheets. The books will be audited on schedule.

### Correspondence

- There were no issues

### Committee Reports

- **Property:** John Price discussed the potential for repairing the parsonage and its use as rental property. A motion was passed to paint and carpet the interior.
- **Membership:** Cass discussed letters sent to new members. We reviewed our policy on becoming a member.
- **Alter:** Olga Discussed our new larger bulletin size. We are trying it for one

Sunday for congregation feedback. The Christ candle will be lite every Sunday.

- Fellowship: We discussed ways to help Art set up chairs.
- Spiritual: We will send a thank-you note to Father Joe for his help with Pastor Armstrong's memorial service.
- Music: No report.
- Calendar: Ric will get the schedule of events from Darlene.
- Ushering: No report
- Christian Education: No report

### Pastor Search

- The retreat at St Matthews will kick off our search for the new pastor.

### Pastors Report

- Pastor Baker emphasized keeping in touch with our senior congregation members who are shut-ins. She also stressed welcoming and supporting our new members.

### Old Business

- None

### New Business

- Clarence introduced how the New Zion Church is attracting new members with various programs such as : mailers, children's services, and refreshment fellowship gatherings. We discussed ideas that we could use to help grow our congregation.
- Stan Huber needs help counting money at 9: 00 am.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:40 pm.