

MUSIC & WORSHIP MINISTRY TEAM

March 11, 2014 – MEETING MINUTES

Attendance: Carrol Blevins, Brad Class, Pat Felhauer, Florence Hamilton, Bill Kuyper, Wayne Maley, Greg Sherman, Howard Smolleck, Norm Story,

Not present: Gena Breck, David Klement, Jacque Parks,

The meeting was opened at 7:00 PM by Greg with a devotion to “Fear Not.”

It was voted to accept as distributed the Minutes for the February 11 meeting. The moderator reviewed budget items. He will confirm with the Director of Music the accuracy of three negative line items.

The new hymnal committee confirmed that contributions received to date will cover the cost for the new Glory to God hymnals and a storage book cart. Bill described the response as “inspirational” Dedication book plates will be printed. It was agreed that March 30 will be the last date donations will be accepted to include a book plate. It was the consensus of the Team that last use of the old hymnals would be May 4 and that new books would be used May 11. David is developing plans for introduction of the hymnals.

Greg is pursuing the preparation of a Lenten/Holy Week brochure is being prepared. He will ask Team members to review the draft.

Communion report: Communion was served on March 2 to 198 worshipers and 25 at the Faith and Fellowship service on March 1 for a total of 223.

Brad reported that sometime prior to last Sunday the communion trays had been used and left with spilled juice, crumbs, sugars and sticky substances. It took considerable effort to clean. Locks for the communion service cabinet have now been installed and are to be opened only by the responsible parties.

For the Maundy Thursday communion it was agreed to serve by intinction. Brad will find elders to serve, preferably for the south section with East side and West side sections roped off. Pastor Norm explained the service will include lessons and carols. Bill is to schedule readers.

Liturgists, sound operators, and Young Disciples presenters have been scheduled. Dr. Story said he will be gone in conjunction with youth activities the last three Sundays in June. Florence will obtain pastor supply from the list that was discussed. Howard explained that the organ and pianos will be tuned prior to Easter. Jacque (and Linda) have ordered Easter flowers and palms for Palm Sunday.

The Bells of Praise played an outstanding number last Sunday. All agreed with Bill’s recommendation that Florence write a note of appreciation for the bells contribution to our services. Decorations for the Sundays in Lent have been placed by Janice Sherman. The purple flowers and new wreaths add to our worship time. A photo inventory of the flowers in storage boxes is now filed in the office and in the book of photos of our sanctuary that is kept in Norm’s coffee table.

It was noted that the choir will sing for the last Sunday this spring on May 18. There was a question about Faith and Fellowship schedule. Greg is to confirm summer plans.

Upcoming Team responsibilities:

March 16 – Host after-church fellowship. Pat and Gracia Class will help set up. Others to bring goodies.

April 4 – Communion

April 17 – Maundy Thursday communion by intinction

It was voted to adjourn. Carol closed with prayer at 8:10 PM.