

Stewardship Ministry Team

Wednesday, October 17, 2018

Stewardship Mission Statement: *To help God's people grow in their relationship with Jesus through the use of time, talents, and finances God has entrusted to them.*

Members Present: Sindy Keller, Marie Swanson, Mavis Bennet, Jeff Sretcher and Rachel Clarke. **Staff Present:** Pastor Corey, Missy Froeber and Danelle Kjar

Minutes

1. Opening Prayer by Pastor Corey
2. Review and approve April meeting minutes. Sindy made a motion to approve the minutes, Marie seconded. Minutes were approved.
3. Financial Update was given by Danelle Kjar. Danelle explained the pledge and giving numbers and went over the building accounts.
4. Building Update – Update was given by Pastor Corey
 - a. Chapel has been a huge success with 22 in the columbarium reserved.
 - b. The Nursery is also a success with many compliments
 - c. The outside work has been slowed due to the weather and enclosure will now be February. This may add to the cost. We have a cushion so are prepared.
 - d. Pastor Corey will meet with the Campaign chairs for an audit of costs and the timeline.
5. Tactical Stewardship Plan
 - a. The 3rd Sunday in November is Celebration Sunday:
 - i. Send out gratitude notes before sending pledges
 - ii. Gratitude notes should reflect the new colors
 - iii. Missy will let Stewardship know when the notes are ready to be signed and sent
 - iv. Carry the Pledge theme through January
 - v. Pledges both online and mailed should reflect the theme
 - vi. Theme for Celebration Sunday: “Thanksgiving” or “Be Part of the Team”
 - vii. Have Sunday be a wear your favorite team jersey day with the theme being, “Be a Part of the Team”
 - viii. Staff wear First in Mission t-shirts or maybe design a special jersey?
 - ix. Everyone gets to sign a steel beam that will be used in the new celebration center
 - x. Everyone who signs gets a sticker saying “I signed the Beam”
 - xi. Mission Soup Sunday
 - xii. Show the mission video that was created for First Fest

- b. The Christmas letter will be sent out the week of Advent 1
 - i. Also send a digital copy with a link to the giving page.
 - ii. Send another giving specific letter in the week between Christmas and January.
 - iii. Send constant contact blurbs each week with a link to the giving page
6. Other Business – Pastor Corey asked that we add Stewardship Committee terms and structure to the next meeting in January. Rachel will get Missy the information she has.
7. Adjourn

Upcoming Meetings:

January 16, 2019