

# Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Church Council Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, September 14, 2021 – 7 PM via Online Zoom

## **CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (GSLC) Council was called to order via Zoom at 7:08 PM on September 14, 2021, by Kristi Buchholz, Council President.

**Present:** Pastor Jeremy Serrano, Candace Bradley, Kristi Buchholz, Scott Etzel, John Mott, Laura Mott, Renee Reis

**Absent:** Mike Henry, Sue Hertless, Jay Neyenhouse (excused)

**DEVOTIONS AND OPENING PRAYER** – Pastor Jeremy

## **RECOGNITIONS**

- Scott Etzel recognized Dana Deniston and the Friends Feeding Friends (FFF) volunteers for their ongoing service to the community with FFF programs distributing food, clothing, and furnishings to those in need (taken from August 2021 report).
- Mike Henry recognized Glen Bradley for relighting the pilot light for the oven in the kitchen.
- Mike Henry recognized Glen Bradley and Greg Buchholz for repairing the lawn mower.

**CORRESPONDENCE** – Note received from Rosemary Fassel addressed to GSLC Support Team, thanking everyone for the time with Pastor Christian. Rosemary hopes that Pastor Jeremy is well again soon.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- **Approval of Minutes**

**MOTION** made by Scott Etzel to accept the August 10, 2021 Council Minutes; seconded by Kristi Buchholz; motion passed.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Pastor's Report**

- Pastor Jeremy reported he has a funeral planned for the weekend of October 3, so he will arrange pulpit supply; the week before, he will be in Nebraska for his friend's funeral.
- Pastor Jeremy reported the pole on the left coming up the driveway with the sign "Peace Be With You" was knocked over – he hopes the Property Team can fix it.
- Pastor Jeremy announced Wednesday will now be his day off.

## **President's Report**

Kristi reported things seemed to go well with pulpit supply on the Sundays Pastor Jeremy was away.

## **Committee Reports**

*Please see the individual committee reports; if any questions, see Council Secretary. Some additional discussion occurred on the following topics:*

### **Social Ministry – Scott Etzel**

- Scott reported the Red Cross blood drive was a success, with 24 donors. He is thinking about setting up another donation in December.
- Scott reported he emailed his draft “Good Shepherd Social Ministry Program” details to Council, and will be looking for feedback on this draft.
- Scott reported he made a note that the air conditioning in the sanctuary needs to be checked again.

### **Youth - Renee Reis**

- Renee reported she has not received any responses from youth for the retreat in Minnesota in 2022.

**Coffee Hour:** Laura asked if we should create a schedule of those people who would like to participate hosting coffee hour. Kristi asked if anyone has responded, then suggested making a schedule of those people who want to participate. Pastor Jeremy said he will pick up the donuts and put them on a tray, and hopes someone else would finish with serving.

**Janitor:** Laura reported some people in the congregation have not been happy with our janitor, and have gone directly to the janitor with their upsetness. Laura said if anyone has any questions, complaints, or issues, please do not contact the janitor directly – Pastor Jeremy suggested those people talk with a Council member.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION** made by Kristi Buchholz to adjourn; seconded by Renee Reis; motion passed, and meeting was adjourned at 7:35 PM.

Date of next regular Council meeting – October 12, 2021, 7 PM.

Minutes respectfully submitted by,

Candace Bradley, Council Secretary  
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church