

## **Community Church of PK Monthly Members Meeting November 20, 2022**

The November Business Meeting was called to order by Council Moderator Tammy Marsh at 12:42 pm on Sunday, November 20, 2022. Opening prayer was given by Pastor Jack Thomas. There were 23 members present.

October Business Meeting Minutes and Financials were approved as posted.

### Old Business

There are 3 council spots open and we have 4 nominations. Gio, Andy, Ralph and Rebecca have all put their names in. We will vote at the business meeting in December and they will start in January.

We still need Christmas cards donated for the Jail Ministry bags. December 3<sup>rd</sup> will be the work day that we decorate the church for Christmas and put together the Jail Ministry bags.

### New Business

Christmas Day Service, Tammy asked for a show of hands on who would like to have a service versus who did not. The split was 50/50 so this will be taken back and decided upon by the council.

Student ministries and adult bible studies have been cancelled for the week due to Thanksgiving. Student ministries will be following the school calendar so when they break for Christmas so will the church to give all the volunteers a break.

Everyone needs to please be thinking about the missionaries that the church sponsors. If you have any suggestions for any please let a council member or Pastor Jack know as we will be reviewing this in January for the July disbursements.

### Blanket Ministry

We didn't have one in November because everyone forgot, and we are cancelling the meeting for December due to the holidays. We will resume in January. We have a lot of fabric still and if anyone has anywhere that they need blankets for please let Kay or Gayle know.

### Building/Grounds Committee

Kay needs a can opener installed in the kitchen please when someone has time. The parts for the broken gym door have been ordered and arrived Friday so that door can be repaired.

### Student Ministry

Athena has the preteens. Those already in youth will stay there unless they ask to go to Athena's class. No one can be moved up to youth until they are suppose to. Amy is working with the children's ministry on a Christmas program. Student ministries is evolving. Gio and Jack are stepping up and helping Tammy and it has been really good.

### Music Ministry

We have a new guitar player, Ralph has joined the praise team and has been such a blessing. Andy is trying to not overwhelm Ralph to much. Feedback on having the guitar being played during the hymns has been really nice.

### Women's Ministry

The Church will be holding a Women's Conference on August 12, 2023, the contract with the speaker has been signed along with a deposit sent so we are confirmed. The speaker's name is Shannon Perry and we will be charging \$25 a ticket for this event which will help cover the speaker fees and we will be providing lunch.

Women's bible study may change either day its held, and/or time due to lack of women coming. More to come in January.

Still have a group going to the auxiliary and volunteering once a month. We are cancelling the month of December due to the holidays and will resume in January on a Friday instead of Saturday to see about having the youth come and help us as well.

We are doing gifts for the shut ins at Charlies Angels like we normally do. The auxiliary donated 80 Christmas themed coffee mugs and tins for us to use for this. We are going to have hot chocolate packs in the cup and either candy and/or cookies in the tin. If anyone wants to help or has any ideas for this please see Rebecca.

### Pastor Report

Pastor missed the ministerial alliance meeting this month but he met with Terry and Darlene and got caught up on. There isn't anything other then the Thanksgiving service later tonight. We are starting Advent next Sunday. Still doing updates around the church. Door mechanism for gym door came in Friday. Gio and Jack are working on scenarios for security during service, more information to come at a later date.

Gayle made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Gene, none opposed. Closing prayer was given by Pastor Jack Thomas, meeting was adjourned at 1:28 pm.

### Important Dates:

Every Wednesday @ 6pm- Student Ministry  
Every Thursday @ 5pm- Adult Bible Study  
Every Sunday Morning @9:30am- Adult Sunday School Class  
Every Sunday @ 10:45- Kids Church

December 12<sup>th</sup>- Council Meeting @ 10  
December 18<sup>th</sup>- Children's Christmas Program  
December 18<sup>th</sup>- Business Meeting and Fellowship Luncheon  
December 24<sup>th</sup>-Candlelight Service @ 5pm

December 25<sup>th</sup> Christmas Day (Sunday)  
Cancelled for December- Volunteer at Ladies Auxiliary  
Cancelled for December-Blanket Ministry

Respectfully Submitted,  
Rebecca Lightner