## Trinity Lutheran Church Council Meeting 7:00 Wednesday, April 10, 2024

Call to order- Josh Tonkin

President- Josh Tonkin Vice-President- Dan Klassen Secretary- Report- Kathy Wilkening Financial Administrator- Nikki Smith

**Members Present:** Kathy Wilkening Dan Klassen Cathy Sorenson Nikki Smith Ashley Parrish Mark Durkee Margaret Durkee Judy Doble Josh Tonkin

Devotion by Josh Tonkin

Secretary Report-Kathy Wilkening Nikki motioned to accept as read and Cathy second.

Treasurer Report- The income through March is down \$5,095.23 from the 2024 budget. Margaret motioned to accept as read and Judy second.

Stewardship-Margaret Durkee None

Lay Ministry/Evangelism-Judy Doble LeAnn Maloney has joined the committee with Judy Doble and Donna Kotewa. More help would be appreciated. They have been looking at the bylaws for updates. Served donuts and coffee after Maundy Thursday service.

Church Properties-Mark Durkee Replaced the lights in the sign out front. A new ballast is needed. Also looking to replace some lights in the fellowship hall.

Youth- GIFT Ashley Parish and Nikki Smith GIFT met twice in March. Pastor gave ideas for next year's confirmation curriculum. Deep Roots Confirmation by Rev. Breen Marie Sipes was chosen for next year. GIFT will meet 2 times in April as well as do the April 14th worship service. Youth are planning to arrange flowers on May 1st. The confirmation retreat for April was full so they decided to go to Shetek November retreat with the current students as well as the new

confirmands. On March 20 Camp representatives from Shetek and Green Lake visited with the GIFT kids. They sang songs, played games, and talked about camp. Kids were given camp brochures to take home. The last GIFT, on May 15th, the kids will have a talent show to showcase the gifts God has given them. Meal to follow. All are welcome.

Pastors Report: Prepared for Affirmation of Baptism for Confirmands. Continued with home and assisted living with many phone calls, emails and cards. Visited with Pastor Sipes about the confirmation program for next year. Pastor will be on vacation May 14 to May 30. Pastor is thinking of having a Eccumentical service at Graf Park during Truman Days.

Old Business: Cathy looked at the by-laws and it is OK to be on more than one committee.

New Business: Received a thank you from the Synod for donation.

Mark motioned to adjourn at 7:55 and Nikki second.

Submitted by Secretary

Kathy Wilkening