

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church LCMC

January 2019
Newsletter

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Zion Lutheran Church Council
Meeting Minutes
December 5, 2018

Steve Cook from WISign and Graphics presented two estimates for the sign outside. They were \$4,186.00 for one color and \$8,957.00 for two colors.

1. Call to order

Meeting was called to order at 6:56 PM by Council President, Mike Thyssen.

2. Role Call

The meeting was opened with prayer. Council members present were: Matt Buchholz; Esther Schmidt, Dan Froding, Mike Thyssen, Jake Ferg and Betty Piotter.. Absent: Steve Pethke. Also present: Bill Piotter, Donne Knudsen, Ashleigh Ferg and Faye Wohlrabe.

3. Approval of Agenda

A Motion was made by Matt to approve the agenda. The Motion was seconded by Betty. Motion carried.

4. Secretary's Report

A Motion was made by Jake to approve the Secretary's report. The Motion was seconded by Dan. Motion carried.

5. Open Forum

Nothing at this time.

6. Old Business:

- a. Budget: A Motion was made by Esther to table the proposed 2019 budget until the salaries of the church employees can be reviewed and funds are available. The Motion was seconded by Dan. Motion carried.
- b. Annual Review: Annual reviews of the church employees will be conducted individually at a future date.
- c. Snow Plowing: Jim Hass will be plowing the parking lot again this year. \
- d. Call Committee: Nothing at this time.
- e. Treasurer: see 5.a.

7. New Business:

- a. New Members: The Council approved Jerry and Jane Suehs as members of Zion. Welcome Back! .
- b. Annual Meeting: The annual meeting will be held January 27, 2019 in the church basement after Sunday Service.

8. Committee Report

- a. SCRIP: There is \$111.89 in the account. Faye sold 54 cards in November. She is holding 6 cards valued at \$300.00 for a total of \$411.89..
- b. Building & Grounds: Bill reported that he has one storm window to put on. Everything

else to winterize the church has been completed..

c. Sunday School: No report received.

9. Treasurer's Report

A Motion was made by Betty to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. The Motion was seconded by Dan. Motion carried.

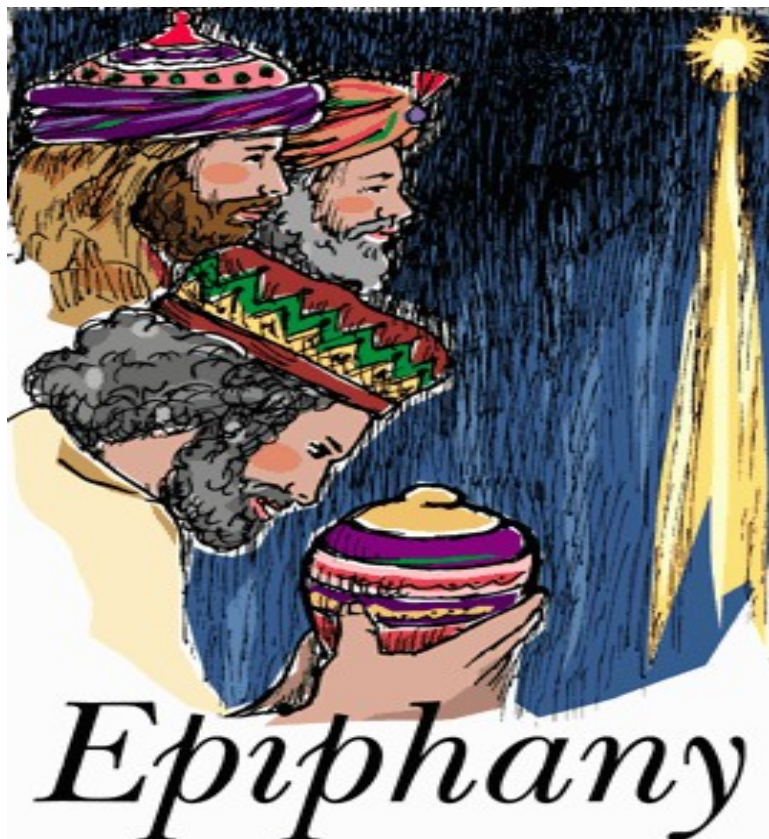
10. Adjournment w/prayer

A Motion was made by Matt to adjourn the meeting. The Motion was seconded by Esther. Motion carried. The meeting closed with a prayer. Meeting adjourned at 7:55 PM.

11. Next Meeting

The next meeting will be January 2nd, 2019 at 6:30 PM. All members of Zion are welcome to attend.

Minutes submitted by: Betty Piotter, Secretary



CHURCH HELPERS FOR JANUARY 2019

Readers:

Jan. 6th – Harriett Klemm
Jan. 13th – Cindy Levezow
Jan. 20th – Buzz Jossie
Jan. 27th – Megan Pethke

Greeters:

Jan. 6th – Peggy Dallman
Jan. 13th – Bill & Betty Piotter
Jan. 20th – Buzz & Mary Ann Jossie
Jan. 27th – Darla Graichen

Ushers:

Jan. 6th – Clint Beyer & Ross Beyer
Jan. 13th – Bill & Betty Piotter
Jan. 20th – Buzz & Mary Ann Josie
Jan. 27th – Mike Prill & Zack Pethke

Organists:

Jan. 6th - Carol Brown
Jan. 13th – Carol Brown
Jan. 20th – Jamie Buschke
Jan. 27th - Jamie Buschke

Money Counters

Steve Pethke
Tammy Pethke

Altar Guild

Ashleigh Ferg
Harriett Klemm

Acolytes

Jan. 6th – Bella Ferg & Lexi Ferg
Jan. 13th – Olivia Ogle & Kate Ogle
Jan. 20th – Alex Marks & Parker Wohlrabe
Jan. 27th – Hunter Suehs & Carl Suehs





Please keep the following people in your prayers: Alice Roehl, Forest Kreklow, Brenda Thyssen, Jake Ferg, Faye Wohlrabe, Donna Knudsen, Jana Peterson (relative to several members), Todd Klemm (son of Bill & Harriett Klemm), Dolores Roloff, Cory Anderson (brother to Terry Levezow), Gail Haag (friend of Donna), Jean Winterberg (Betty Piotter's Sister), Luke & Nicole Seeger and Family, Randy Hass, Ken Niemuth, Beth Brendemuehl, Derek and Rhonda Wilz, Darla Grachien, Tracie Carrick, (daughter of Elaine Zuge); Dale Marcott; Betty Ball; Allen (Butch) Wegener; Jim Ferg, (friend to several members); Nancy Wendt; Ruby Piotter; Renee Graichen, (sister to Darla Graichen); Eileen Mittelstaedt; Bill Klemm; Moose Strebe, Danielle Davis, (daughter of Dan Froding); and Robert Schmidt.



I would like to Thank everyone that has helped with our Country Valentines Dinner show. We are now celebrating our 5th year this year. We have 2 great bands coming 1st we have our Home Town girl Megan Pethke and her band that will start the night then we will have the Led West band. They play a little of everything. We want to let everyone know we have decided to pull it from the church and call it the Community Country Dinner Show, I felt that there was not a lot of support from the church so we donated \$3800.00 to the church from the last dinner show and we kept \$1000.00 that was what was in the fund to begin the event. We have decided that each year we are going to donate the money to a area charity this year we have chosen the Veterans Park and we will also be donating to the food pantry.

People are still welcome to help if they wish to just have chosen a different route to donate to and hopefully help area charities as well as have a great time with friends and family the night of the event. Everyone is welcome to attend February 16, 2019.

Started the fund with \$4800.00

Donated \$3800.00

started the new fund of Community Country dinner Show with \$1000.00

We bought new banners for \$500.00 and we have put a down payment on the band for this year coming of \$500.00.

Thank you again

Tammy Pethke & Buzz Jossie

December 26th, 2018

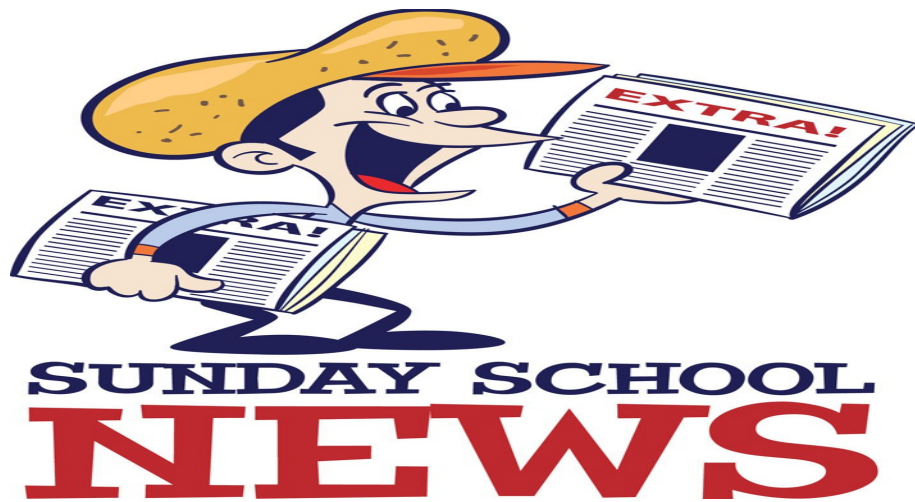


St. Mark Annual Polka Service and Chili Luncheon on Sunday, January 27th, 2019
Polka Church Service at 10:15 AM with Gene Lettau and II Edition Band.

Chili Luncheon 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM. Adults - \$7.00; Children 5-12 - \$3.00 and
Children Under 5 – Free. Serving: All-you-can-eat homemade chili, rye bread, cheese,
homemade pies & beverages. St. Mark Lutheran Church – Symco, N7534 Church
Street, Manawa, WI 54949. Carry outs are available.



Zion's Annual Meeting will be held on January 27th, 2019 in the church basement,
following the worship service. Please plan on attending. We will be voting on the
revisions to our Constitution, besides other things. We will be electing three council
members as terms are up for – Mike Thyssen, Dan Froding and Steve Pethke.



Happy New Year Everyone!

I hope you enjoyed the Christmas season and celebrated the birth of Jesus. What a wonderful time of the year. Thanks so much to all who attended our Sunday School Program on Sunday, December 23rd. It went very well (and pretty quick) and I am so proud of all the students and their dedication to the performance! I appreciate the additional help of congregation members as well as the Sunday School teachers to make it such a success.

We are looking forward to starting the New Year teaching the kids about the life of our Savior, Jesus Christ!

Holly Wohlrabe
Sunday School Superintendent

Week Thirteen – Class Cancelled

Week Fourteen – Christmas Program Practice – 17 Students

December 14th – Christmas Program Dress Rehearsal and Pizza Party – 19 Students

Week Fifteen – Christmas Program Practice – 9 Students

Week Sixteen – Christmas Program Performance – 19 Students

Week Seventeen – No Sunday School

ZWIC MEETING
DECEMBER 16, 2018

Meeting was called to order by President Donna Knudsen.

Secretary's Report read. Secretary absent. No minutes.

Treasurer's Report - Treasurer Cookie had given information to Donna. A report was handed out.

Motion by Harriett and second by Faye. Motion carried.

Sunshine Report Betty reported cards were sent out.

Old Business:

Holiday Fair: There were 550 paying people at the fair. We sold \$311.00 minus \$25.00 for the booth next year. Faye purchased towels and jars. Faye gave ZWIC \$266.00. Thank you to Carol Brown for the beautifully decorated to sell at the fair.

Shut-In Gifts; A few painted rocks for the shut-ins. (Allyce, Diane, Brenda & Donna painted the rocks which said Jesus is My Rock.) Faye ordered Guide Post Subscriptions for the shut-ins. We also gave the shut-ins Peanut Butter Balls. There were 12 shut-ins.

We made peanut butter balls on December 11th for all orders received and for shut-ins.. We have peanut butter balls started for the Community Valentine Dinner.

New Business:

Rosettes – we have plenty of supplies and we want to empty out the sugar bowls and refill when needed. We have orders for 100 dozen to be made on December 17th.

Next meeting will be New Business: January 20th, 2019.

Motion by Elaine to adjourn, second by Cookie, Motion carried.

Closed with the Lord's Prayer

Respectively submitted by Brenda Thyssen, Secretary

Zion Lutheran Books December 2018 - Bills

	<u>Bills</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Balance</u>
12/1 balance forward			\$4547.64
12/2 Pastor Lees	\$300.00		
12/2 Offering		\$570.00	
12/5 Telephone	\$95.35		
12/5 Ch card	\$101.70		
12/9 Offering		\$895.50	
12/9 Pastor Lees	\$300.00		
12/9 Secretary	\$455.00(SSMC\$34.81)		
12/9 janitor	\$194.00(SSMC\$14.84)		
12/9 Carol	\$145.50(SSMC\$11.13)		
12/9 Jamie	\$ 97.00(SSMC\$7.42)		
12/9 Treas	\$160.35(SSMC\$12.30)		
12/10 Grounds	\$129.63		
12/10 Christ gifts/missions	\$300.00		
12/14 Alliant	\$717.30		
12/16 Offering		\$2062.00	
12/16 Pastor Lees	\$300.00		
12/16 Bulletins	\$109.83		
12/16 Menards (elect)	\$ 62.36		
12/17 Gift-Sturms		\$5,000.00	
12/17 transfers to savings	\$5025.00		
12/17 Food Pantry	\$ 130.00		
12/23 Pastor Lees	\$ 400.00		
12/23 Offering		\$1847.05	
12/24 Offering		\$ 799.00	
12/25 Offering		\$ 232.00	
12/30 Offering		\$906.00	
12/30 Pastor Lees	\$300.00		
12/31 Bethany	\$125.00		
12/31 LCMC	\$100.00		
12/31 Project Backpack	\$ 25.00		
12/31 Food Pantry	\$100.00		
12/31 Interest		\$.45	\$7267.09

**5th Annual
COMMUNITY VALENTINE'S DAY
DINNER & COUNTRY SHOW**

February 16, 2019

Manawa Masonic Center, Manawa

Music Starts at 4:00 pm – Dinner 5:00 pm

Main Show 7:00 pm

**Featuring Led West and
Maggie Marie and High Lonesome Country
Band**

**AUCTION – RAFFLE – FUN
\$35.00 PER PERSON**

**For Tickets: Call Tammy at 715-281-4312
Reserve Seating Only**

