

Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church LCMC

July 2018
Newsletter

Table of Contents
June Council Meeting Minutes
Sunday School Newsletter
Picnic Report
ZWIC Meeting Minutes
July Church Helpers
Church and Area Happenings
Monthly Income & Expense Report

Come visit us on the web!



<http://www.lutheranonline.com/zionmanawalcmc/newsletters>

Zion Lutheran Church Council
Meeting Minutes
June 6, 2018

1. Call to order

Meeting was called to order at 6:49 PM by President, Mike Thyssen.

2. Role Call

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

3. Approval of Agenda

A Motion was made by Steve to approve the agenda with the addition of 6 New Business e. Camp. The Motion was seconded by Dan. Motion carried.

4. Secretary's Report

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

5. Open Forum

Nothing.

6. Old Business:

- a. Call Comittee: Held a meeting on June 6.
- b. Voting Meeting Change: A Special Congregation meeting was held on May 20, 2018 to vote on the amendment change to Bylaw C9.02. The vote to add the amendment lost by one.
- c. Constitution: The Council will hold a separate meeting(s) to review the changes presented. The first meeting will be June 20 @ 6:00 P.M.
- d. Morgage Celebration: A "mortgage burning" celebration will be held in Veterans Freedom Memorial Park on June 23, 2018 @ 4:00 P.M. A potluck dinner will be provided followed by music from High Lonesome Country.
- e. Monthly To Do List: Nothing was added to the current list.

7. New Business:

- a. Sunday School Report: Mike will contact Tammy regarding a report for the end of the Sunday School Year.
- b. Vacation Bible School: There will be no VBS this year. It will resume next year when we have a new superintendent.
- c. Rodeo Parade: Zion will be represented in the parade with a tractor and manure spreader with some of the Sunday School class as riders. Zack Pethke will also drive a tractor to promote "Bring Your Tractor To Church" which will be held in September.
- d. Thresheree Food Booth: Workers will be needed for this event on July 28th. Please let Faye know if you would like to volunteer.
- e. Camp: There will be a camp August 20-21 at the Amherst Lutheran Camp for all Sunday School children in 5th grade and up. A Motion was made by Esther to take the cost of the

camp from the donation received from Thrivent last year. The Motion was seconded by Steve. Motion carried. Please see Faye if you are interested in helping out.

8. Committee Report

- a. SCRIP: Nothing for May.
- b. Building & Grounds: Bill reported that the cracks in the parking lot are half done. There is a leak in the roof on the North entry. Nothing was decided on this at this time.

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 Betty to adjourn the meeting. The Motion was seconded by Esther. Motion carried. The meeting closed with a prayer. Meeting adjourned at 7:59 PM.

11. Next Meeting

Due to the 4th of July holiday, a Motion was made by Esther to hold the next meeting July 11th @ 6:30 P.M. The Motion was seconded by Betty. Motion carried. All members of Zion are welcome to attend.

Minutes submitted by: Betty Piotter, Secretary



Sunday School News

Hello to all

This Year the Sunday School went fast we had a lot of fun with the kids. Want to thank the teachers that helped out this year they are Dan Froding and Faye Wohlrabe, Diane Beyer, Megan Pethke and Lesley Wilz and myself Tammy. We cannot have a Sunday School without the help of these teachers and also we had subs want to thank also they are Brenda Thyssen and Holly Wohlrabe.

We had a Christmas program on Christmas Eve, we did not do Easter Breakfast this year. The last Sunday we did a Mother's Day fun Day we made cards and pictures for their mom's and had a flower for each mom also.

Also want to let all know as of the last day of Sunday School I have resigned as Superintendent. I want to thank everyone for their support for the last number of years. Hope everyone has a great Summer!

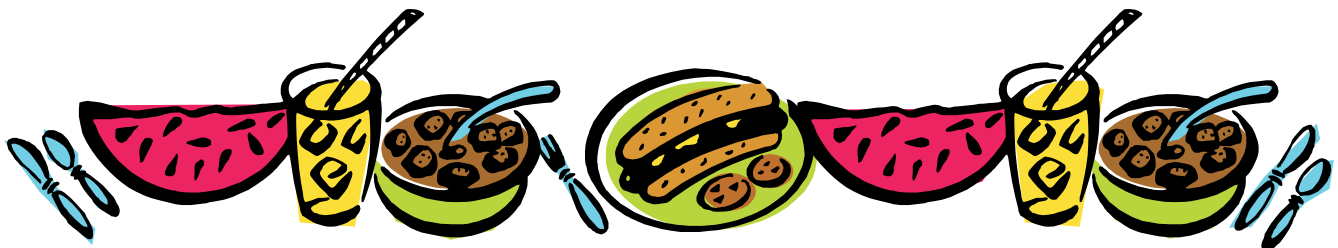
Thank again
Tammy Pethke



Our Mortgage Burning Picnic was held on June 23rd, 2018 at the Veterans Freedom Park Shelter House. We had a wonderful turnout. Fifty-four persons attended the picnic. A big “Thank You” to the council members for handling the arrangements. “Thank you” to Mike for preparing all the meats for the picnic. “Thank You” to Mark Suehs for getting us the Slushi machine to use. The kids and some grown-ups really enjoyed that. And “Thank You” to everyone for the wide variety of delicious foods for the picnic. A “Huge Thank You” to Buzz, Danny and Megan (High Lonesome Country) for providing the wonderful music. “Thank You” to everyone who attended the picnic and made it a great success.

We celebrated two birthdays at the picnic – Diane Beyer and Mike Thyssen. Hope you had a great birthday and we were all happy to spend the time with you.

So very proud of our congregation for getting our mortgage paid off 3 1/2 years early. What a great achievement!



**ZWIC MEETING
JUNE 13, 2018**

Meeting called to order by Vice President, Faye. Agenda was presented. Motion by Mary Ann and seconded by Brenda to accept. Carried.

Secretary report given, motion by Mary Ann and second by Elaine. Carried.

Treasurer report given with a balance on hand of \$3,406.82. Motion by Esther and second by Elaine. Carried. We received \$150.00 from the Jon Rohde family for doing the luncheon.

Sunshine committee: Beth would like to have another person take this duty over. Faye will talk to Beth and find out what she has left for cards, stamps, etc. Until another person would like to do this, Faye will take care of sending out the cards. Faye will get back to us at our next meeting in July.

Old business: Candles and oil are ordered. The church will pay for the oil and ZWIC Women will pay for the candles.

Faye reported on the rhubarb fest and we made \$131.00 after we paid for the registration. Some things that went good were the microwave bowls, towels, can goods and we also had a new item that was a microwave plate mat. We will have more of these available next year.

Kitchen faucet has been replaced in the kitchen. Thanks, Mike, for installing the faucet.

New business: Mortgage Burning will be June 23, 2018. Informaiton is in the Sunday bulletin. Rodeo Parade is June 30th, 2018 and the children will be riding on the float. Workers are needed for working at the Thresheree again the last weekend in July.

A cookbook is missing from the desk in the entry way.

Thank you Faye for providing the lunch for this evening.

Faye gave a reading from Mornings With Jesus, Ezekiel. It was very nice and Thank You, Faye.

Next meeting after worship service July 15, 2018. Motion to adjourn by Mary Ann, second by Esther. Carried. Closed with a prayer from Faye.

Secretary, Esther M. Schmidt

CHURCH HELPERS FOR JULY 2018

Readers:

July 1st - Buzz Jossie
July 8th - Harriett Klemm
July 15th - Megan Pethke
July 22nd - Cindy Levezow
July 29th - Steve Pethke

Organists:

July 1st - Carol Brown
July 8th - Jamie Buschke
July 15th - Carol Brown
July 22nd - Jamie Buschke
July 29th - Carol Brown

Greeters:

July 1st - Buzz & Mary Ann Jossie
July 8th - Mark & Kay Suehs
July 15th - Bill & Betty Piotter
July 22nd - Darla Graichen
July 29th - Steve & Tammy Pethke

Ushers:

July 1st - Buzz & Mary Ann Jossie
July 8th - Jeff Suehs & Mark Suehs
July 15th - Bill & Betty Piotter
July 22nd - Clint Beyer & Ross Beyer
July 29th - Steve & Tammy Pethke

Money Counters:

Walter & Elizabeth Strebe
Faye Wohlrabe

Altar Guild

Mary Ann Jossie
Tammy Pethke





Please keep the following people in your prayers: Jake Ferg, Jana Peterson (relative to several members), Todd Klemm (son of Bill & Harriett Klemm), Forest and Arla Kreklow, Dolores Roloff, Cory Anderson (brother to Terry Levezow), Gail Haag (friend of Donna), Jean Winterberg (Betty Piotter's Sister), Luke & Nicole Seeger and Family, Alice Roehl, 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.



Mark your calendars.....September 9th, 2018 will be “Bring Your Tractor to Church” Sunday. Services will be held at the Veteran's Park. Watch your bulletins and newsletters for further information.



Thank you everyone for all of your calls, cards, and prayers for Jon and family during Jon's hospitalization and passing. Although not the outcome we were praying for, Jon is safely “home” with his Lord and Savior. Thank you also to the ZWIC for preparing and serving a wonderful lunch. Your love and support is very much appreciated. Judy Rohde, Susan Hein and Kathie Adler.

Zion Lutheran Books June 2018 - Bills

	<u>Bills</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Balance</u>
forward funding			\$2328.05
6/1 telephone	\$ 95.83		
6/3 Offering		\$1070.00	
6/3 Pastor Carole	\$ 211.20		
6/3 Sound System	\$2500.00		
6/5 Va. Cty Show		\$2800.00	
6/5 charge card	\$551.93		
6/5 Lawn/tar	\$278.74		
6/10 Offering		\$ 805.00	
6/10 Pastor Carole	\$211.20		
6/10 Secre.	\$455.00 (SSMC\$34.81)		
6/10 Janitor	\$194.00 (SSMC \$14.84)		
6/10 Carol	\$194.00 (SSMC \$14.84)		
6/10 Jamie			
6/10 Treas.	\$160.35 (SSMC \$12.80)		
6/13 piano tuning	\$ 89.30		
6/13 to savings	\$610.00		
6/17Offering		\$985.00	
6/17 Pastor Carole	\$211.20		
6/17 Insurance	\$309.26		
6/17 Alliant	\$357.42		
6/18 Bulletins	\$106.54		\$1528.84
6/21 alum cans		\$ 50.00	
6?24 ice	\$19.90		
6/24 Offering		\$825.00	
6/24 Pastor Carole	\$211.20		
6/28 stamps	\$100.00		
6/28 funeral Bulletins	\$ 59.12		\$2018.62

