

# Immanuel Church Council

*Minutes Pending Approval*

**May 19, 2020**

Present: Martin Bernau, Ellyn Harmon, Marti Lee, Steve Nordskog, Korin Peterson, Pastor Randy

Pastor Randy opened the meeting with a devotion.

Pastor Randy shared the One in Christ report; which included: Future Staffing Task Force on hold, VBS on Hold, Council decided to pay Videographer and Organists for recorded worship services, Noisy offering in July will be Lake Mills Food Bank, a Task Force has been created to put together a plan for Council and Congregational Councils to determine when and how to open up our congregations. Parish Council on advice from ELCA, Synod Leaders, Iowa Religious Leaders, Iowa Department of Health and Doctors and CDC voted not to have in-person worship until July.

Reports: Pastor Randy shared his report of activities. The Secretary report was reviewed. Korin presented her Treasurer's report and it was moved and seconded and approved.

Old Business:

- Articles of Incorporation – waiting to see how things turn out with Lawyer John Greve in Silver Lake's Re-incorporation.
- Parsonage Sump Pump - Korin will contact Dan Kirshbaum again.
- New Boiler – Martin talked to Young Brothers and parts have been ordered. When they are received they will begin to put in the new boiler.

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- Air conditioners – decided to apply for grant for next spring for the conditioners. If it gets too warm, will consider worshipping in Basement.
- Paving the Church parking lot. It was moved and seconded to approve the bid of \$6,944 to pave the parking lot to the south and east of the church building when they pave the streets in Scarville. If a representative comes around to take bids on the driveways, the Council will consider a bid for the parsonage driveway.

New Business

- Pastor Randy asked for someone to help re-caulk the bathtub-shower as the caulking has dried up and shriveled away from the shower doors causing some leaking. Steve Nordskog volunteered to take care of the problem.
- Next meeting will be Tuesday, June 16, beginning at 7:00 pm. at Silver Lake.

Meeting adjourned and we joined in the Lord's Prayer.