

Silver Lake 2022 Annual Meeting Minutes

Minutes Pending Approval

January 16, 2022

- † A call to order was made by Larry Johnson, church council president, at 10:00 AM on January 16, 2022.
- † Pastor Randy Baldwin read the Litany.
- † Pastor Randy gave an overview of his Annual Report. He presented to the congregation the best way to bring new members into the congregation was “Friends inviting Friends”.
- † Carol Bergo gave an overview of the 2021 Annual Congregational Meeting. Motion Made/Motion Seconded/Motion Carried to accept the report.
- † Larry Johnson gave a sort overview of the Treasurer’s Report. Motion Made/Motion Seconded/Motion Carried to accept the report.
- † Dennis Reyerson presented the Cemetery report to those attending brunch afterwards.
- † New Business:
 - Dennis Kreuscher brought up the need for some of the Silver Lake congregational women to participate with the “One In Christ” council to develop a guide book for Silver Lake on funeral preparations. This would be used to hand out to those planning a funeral at Silver Lake. Please contact Dennis Kreuscher and/or LeAnn Hagen if you wish to contribute.
- † The 2022 Silver Lake Budget proposal was discussed. Motion Made/Motion Seconded/ Motion Carried to accept the proposed 2022 budget proposal.
- † Bonnie Maher gave the Silver Lake Lutheran Church Endowment Fund financial report. With input from Dennis Kreuscher. The approximate dollar amounts are as follows. At the inception of the fund the balance was \$20,000, approximate dollar amounts of gifts given is \$30000, and approximate current balance is \$60,000.
- † The Silver Lake congregation would like to recognize and thank Larry Johnson, Carol Bergo, and Stephen Allison for their service on the Silver Lake Church council along with Bonnie Maher’s service on the “One In Christ” council The whole congregation appreciates their time and dedication.
- † Church Council Election:
 - Bonnie Maher, Scott Thompson, and Clair Hengesteg accepted nomination for a 2-year term on the church council. All present voted to accept the nominations. (Joan Vorland, Orval Quam, and Dennis Reyerson have another year to serve on the Silver Lake Council).
 - LeAnn Hagen accepted nomination for a 3-year term on the “One In Christ” parish council. (Dennis Kreuscher has another year to serve on the “One In Christ” council)
 - Brian Nelson was nominated to be the Lutheran Retirement Representative. Proposal to accept the nomination was made and seconded. All present voted for Brian Nelson to be the Lutheran Retirement Home Representative.
- † Larry Johnson asked for volunteers to be delegates for the Synod Assembly. There were no volunteers at this time. A motion was made to table the vote at this time, motion was seconded, and motion carried. Council will seek delegates to be presented to the congregation at a future time.
- † Motion made/Motion Seconded/ Motion Carried to adjourn the meeting

Respectfully submitted by Council Secretary,
Carol Bergo