

One In Christ Lutheran Parish Council

Minutes Pending Approval

6:30 pm Tuesday – December 12, 2024

@ Winnebago Lutheran Church, Lake Mills



Present: LeAnn Hagen, Carol Kallberg,

Dennis Kreuscher, Roger Larson,

Becky Martinson, Barb Renshaw,

Kermit Singelstad. Judy Wonsmos, Pastor Bill

I. Devotions: Luke 1:46-55 by Pastor Bill

II. Reports

a. Secretary's Minutes (MSC.)

b. Treasurer's Report (MSC)

III. Announcements

1) Current Bible Study: "Making Sense of Scripture" Wednesday 10:00 am at Salem & "Gomer, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Job" Thursday. at 3:30 pm at Winnebago.

2) Mission Sunday November 24th

Follow-up – Pastor Randy's Farewell – Thank you: Judy Wonsmos (cakes), Brian Abele (gift), Dennis Kreuscher & Vicki Thompson (reflections).

3) Thanksgiving Eve Worship November 27th

IV. Business

A) Administrative Issues

1) Janora Hodges (lay minister) – husband Russ died November 25, graveside/burial May 23rd – One In Christ will send \$100 to Janora.

2) OIC 2005 Budget – Approved by Bethany & Silver Lake

3) Parish Council terms – completion of term (after January 2025 meeting)

2024 – LeAnn Hagen, Becky Martinson, Roger Larson

2025–Dennis Kreuscher, Kermit Singelstad

2026 – Brian Abele, Carol Kallberg, Judy Wonsmos

2027 – Bethany (Becky Martinson), Lunder (Roger Larson), Silver Lake (LeAnn Hagen)

4) Congregational & Council meetings –

Congregational: Bethany January 26,

Lunder January 19, Silver Lake January 19

Winnebago January 19

Council: Since Pastor Bill can't be at all

council meetings, each council needs to

notify him if they need him to attend. Parish

Council Reps can relay any information that

needs to be shared.

5) Transition Conversation

a) Call Committee meets with Rev. Steve Brackett on Wednesday, January 22nd @ Silver Lake.

b) Worship –

1) congregational worship leaders – Need someone from each congregation that will be willing to lead services as needed.

2) Communion – is tentatively set for 1st & 2nd Sundays.

3) Lake Mills Care Center worship – Pastor Bill is at LMCC once a month will check on need at the Northwood Retirement Home

c) Education – Confirmation, Bible Studies. Lay people will help out where needed.

6) Other priorities concerns

B. Worship

1) Christmas Celebration – December 22 – Bethany & Lunder

Christmas Eve Worship – 4:00 pm

Winnebago; 7:00 pm Silver Lake.

Christmas Day Worship – 10:30 am

Winnebago

2) Lent Conversation/ideas – ash Wednesday (3/5), 5 weeks of Lent (3/12 – 4/9),

Maundy Thursday (4/17), Good Friday

(4/18) – Looking for ways to rearrange

times to ease night driving – afternoon or earlier worship (daylight saving time 3/9)

3) Easter Sunday 4/20 – four services with Communion is not possible, so looking at alternatives for worship.

C) Outreach

D) Fellowship

E) Discipleship

F) Youth

G) Vision and Mission – Brainstorming

V) Adjournment and Lord's Prayer. MSC

Next meeting is Tuesday, January 14th at 7:00 pm @ Winnebago