

**Leadership Team
Meeting Notes
4 June 2024**

1. Welcome and Check-in
 - a. On 4 June 2024 the following people were at the leadership Pastor Dennis, Kline, Jason and Alice. Remote were Deb and Linda. Karen is the scribe.
2. Kline opened with prayer.
3. Previous Meeting Notes:
 - a. After changing that Anita not Lesa suggested having some flyers for grief and cancer to distribute at the annual Cancer walk Jason moved seconded by Alice to accept the minutes. Motion passed.
4. Church and Team Calendar Review
 - a. From the June newsletter calendar the following changes were made
 - i. 6 June: Church restrooms will be open to the public for KSN tour gathering at the old Mosaic building.
 - ii. 13 June: Honor and Glory Circle will not meet
 - iii. 19 June a 13 week Grief Support Group will begin in Church office building.
 - iv. 20 June a Cancer Support Group will begin in Church office building.
 - v. 24-27 June: EMC responsible for distribution of kid lunches.
 - vi. 8-11 July: EMC responsible for distribution of kid lunches.
 - vii. 1 October 8 AM to 5:30 PM church to be used for medical testing by Lifeline Screening.
5. Church Vision
 - i. Gathering at Kline's for choir(+) picnic went well.
 - ii. Gathering options:
 - a. Have an ice cream party
 - b. Possible movie
 - iii. Jason volunteered to spearhead getting something arranged.
 - iv. Pray for the youth. Group has expressed interest in meeting this summer.

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6. Heartland Provisional Annual Conference & NW Kansas News
Pastor reported on the conference. Said it was very good and they are expecting 85% of churches to meet financial contribution requests. Global goal is to make disciples of Christ.
7. Disassociation Items:
 - a. The signs on the highway were discussed and it was decided to talk with Anita and see if she can come up with some designs to be voted on later.
 - b. Cross and flame need to be removed from the roof of the church.
 - c. Office building sign to be changed
 - d. Church building sign next to front door to be changed.
8. Reports
 - a. Pastor
 - i. Read an article about how grief effects people but in the end God is with you.
 - ii. Annual Conference “Love for God” and Love for Others. Do things in love.
 - b. Congressional Care
 - i. Working with E.D. to get his credentials.
 - c. Education Team: Alice
 - a. High School Sunday School will be meeting this summer.
 - b. VBS going well 120 first day
 - c. Donations, though sent out late, were all filled.
 - d. Ellsworth Methodist Women: Alice
 - i. Hosting a Dessert Garden Party 11 July with Presbyterian ladies
 - e. Finance and Stewardship Team: Linda
 - a. No issues.
 - f. Missions and Evangelism Team: Deb:
 - a. Potential activity is being planned for Nov 9 & 10
 - b. Church pictorial directory is being addressed. Jessie gather several pictures on Sunday.

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- g. Nominations Team: Pastor Dennis
 - a. Working on finding a new Team Leader for the SPPR team.
- h. Trustees: Pastor Dennis
 - a. Removing tree in South lawn before it falls
 - b. Insurance on buildings went up 8% rest remained the same
- i. Worship Team: Lesa via Pastor Dennis
 - a. Muffins for Father's Day
 - b.
- j. Youth: Jason
 - a. Told about the successful youth trip to Kansas City and how the youth. The getting together and working together.
 - b. They visited the Wilderness Park
 - c. How to involve the Youth in church and get them to attend
 - d. Jon has been very helpful in keeping the church van going
 - e. Youth want to meet once or twice during the summer
 - f. How they had fun and was serving God at the same time
 - g. U-Haul donated the trailer for them to use on their trip
- 9. Other Business:
 - a. Kline reported that the Facility Master Plan activity has slowed but is still moving forward.
- 10. Next Meeting:
 - a. Currently there is no plan to meet in July,
 - b. May look at a way to share information across teams when no meeting is planned.
 - c. Next meeting will be August

Pastor closed in prayer.