



Church Council

Highlights

Meeting of February 3rd

Chairman: Jim Danner received an update on the Cookbook. Volunteers will begin meeting in March to compile the recipes. Discussion took place regarding the need and cost of cleaning the church steeple and keeping it clean.

Treasurer's Report: The written report was reviewed. Income over expenses at the end of January 31, 2019 was -583.11. Discussion took place regarding the final payment for the parking lot and the use of CDs that were coming due at the end of February. (A brief financial report is located elsewhere in this newsletter. Members may view a detailed financial report by contacting the Treasurer or the Church Office.)

Financial Secretary: Judi Jopling reviewed the written report. The weekly average for offerings during the month of January was 1,935.54. (Our weekly needs are: \$2,720.96).

Elders: The Board continues to address themselves to members who have absented themselves from the Divine Service for some time.

Trustees: Bill Jopling reported that parking lot reconstruction was nearly completed. Sheetrock has been installed in the new storage building. A work day will be held in the upcoming months to clean out/move items from the old storage building. Several trees were trimmed, with two of them being oak trees where the limbs were brushing up against the Fellowship Hall and Sanctuary roofs.

Evangelism: Doug Weir reported that the Board continues to plan the installation of a church sign for HWY 173N when entering Devine.

Stewardship: No report.

Human Care: No report.

Fellowship: Marla Cappella reported that Lent meals will be served with the congregation's help each Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. during Lent.

Christian Education: Ethel Martin reported that Sunday School classes are making use of the WiFi that now reaches out to the Sunday School rooms.

Gift of Hope: Robert Cappella reported on the upcoming Gift of Hope. The main event will be held on Saturday, April 27, at the Church. Due to conflicts with other golf tournaments, the Gift of Hope Golf Tournament will be held in Hondo on Saturday, June 22.

Pastor: Pastor Wehmeyer reviewed his written report which included Family Care, Official Acts, and the latest Church Statistics. Ash Wednesday/Lent begins on March 6. Pastor Wehmeyer suggested that the Council and Voters Assembly consider whether or not to hold a special celebration in the year 2020 for the 55th/30th (Grace/Divine Savior) Anniversary of the congregation. The April Voters Assembly will discuss this matter.