

Immanuel Youth and Family Board

Thursday February 6, 2020

Present: Michelle Gerth, Kim McDonald, Sue VanHooser, Carol DeMars, Melissa Saterbak, Pam Zentner

Devotions: Melissa

Finances:

Old Business:

1. **Getting Started workshop update:** Attendees gave feedback on the workshop. Sue has a book, **Growing Young**, Powel Malder Griffin, that she will borrow or purchase for those who are interested.
2. **Youth director position-survey:** Congregational survey to begin on 2-9-2020. Melissa to give a temple talk on 2-9, and Pam on 2-16. There will be one of us working at the Welcome Center to catch members before and after church.
3. **Youth directors' position-Catherine's visit 2/16:** The Synod Youth Coordinator will be speaking after church service on Feb 16. Encourage members to grab coffee and return to sanctuary to learn more.
4. **Heart to Heart:** Youth and Family board members to prepare the desserts on Saturday, Feb 8th.
5. **Annual meeting kids activities:** Sue is coordinating activities and a movie for children in the Fellowship Hall during the Annual Meeting.
6. **School pantry offering-buying needs on March 1:** The Sunday School offering of approximately \$700 was collected for the Student Pantry. There was discussion on purchasing and how to involve the children in concluding this project.

New Business:

1. **Spring/summer Sunday school offering-chicks:** Beginning February 23, Sunday School offering will be for purchasing chicks for God's Global Barnyard. Sue will discuss with children during the Children's Sermon on Feb 23.
2. **Tubing:** There are some children signed up.
3. **First communion instruction-5<sup>th</sup> grade:** Children will be going to Abby Lingle Pottery on March 25 to make a chalice. On April 8, they will make bread to prepare for their First Communion on Maunday Thursday.
4. **Easter breakfast-proceeds?** Confirmation kids will assist with preparation, serving, and clean-up. A free-will offering will be designated to the Summer Stretch program. Menu discussed was French-Toast Bake, fruit, and sausage.
5. Princeton parade? Youth and Family decided against promoting Immanuel in the Rum River Festival parade in June.
6. **Soup supper 4/1:** Youth and Family Board will provide and serve the supper. Proceeds to Idaho Mission Trip.

7. Youth and Family to purchase frozen cookie pucks for use for confirmation and youth activities.

Next meeting March 5, 2020 at 6:30

Devotions: Pam

The Lord's Prayer