

Worship Committee
January 8, 2015

Members Present: Gretchen Nelson, Jim Nelson, Louie Seesz, Dan Haglin, DiAnn Zimmerman, Pastor A.J. Kluver, Laurie Kluver (Altar Guild)

Members Absent: Connie Berghuis, Carolyn Moeller (Music Guild) Doyle Polson (Ushers)

The meeting began with Chair Dan Haglin leading us in prayer.

Praise Band Binder: The binder has been reviewed by members of the Worship Committee. Louie Seesz made the recommendation to submit the Praise Band Binder to the Church Council for approval. Seconded by Jim Nelson. Passed-unanimous.

Duties of the Music Guild: The duties were again reviewed and revised as follows:

1. Under the direction of the Worship Committee, the Music Guild will:
 - a. Assist the pastor in worship planning.
 - b. Assist in planning all special and festive worship services.
 - c. Coordinate special music for worship services.
 - d. Give direction to the choir ministries of the congregation. Form new choirs as needed.
 - e. Coordinate tuning and maintenance of the congregation's musical instruments.
 - f. Assist in the selection and purchase of music.
 - g. Work in close cooperation with the Worship Committee, reporting monthly expenses, etc.
 - h. Submit a proposed annual budget to the Worship Committee.
 - i. Accept additional assignments from the Worship Committee.
2. One or more of the Coordinators will attend the Worship Committee meetings.

Membership – LWLC musicians representing choir, Praise Band, Chordsmen, and pianists with a minimum of two Coordinators will be recommended annually by members of the Music Guild and approved by the Worship Committee.

Meetings – On call as determined by the Coordinators or at the request of the pastor.

Members of the 2015 Worship Committee:

Gretchen Nelson has completed 3 years on the Worship Committee. Thank you, Gretchen, for your input and dedication to the committee.

Dan Haglin was serving one year to replace Terri Elsey. Dan has agreed to continue as a member of the Worship Committee. Thank you to Dan for chairing the committee this past year. The Worship Committee will add one new member for 2015.

Altar Guild:

Laurie Kløver submitted the following expenses:

Communion Supply – 2 boxes of cups - \$41.98

Total purchases for 2014 - \$358.00

Worship Supply – Candle drip protectors - \$15.00

Cleaning of the large green banner - \$19.65

Total expense for 2014 - \$338.28

It was suggested by the Altar Guild that Communion Prep and Altar Set-up be listed separately on next year's Time and Talent sheets.

Usher Report: It was requested that there is a second lighter available for the candles. There may be an extra lighter in the office area, if not an extra lighter will be purchased.

Jim Nelson reported that with the cold weather ice particles fall down when the bell is rung.

Communion flow: Two stations are used when there are 150 people or less. The side aisles will be used with the center communicants coming forward using the side aisle and returning by the center aisle. The servers will move to accommodate the sections and 4 baskets will be used.

Next meeting: February 12, 2015 at 6:30 PM.

Jim Nelson made a motion for adjournment. Seconded by Gretchen Nelson.