

LIVING WORD LUTHERAN CHURCH  
YOUTH CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING  
MAY 19, 2016

Members present: Cassie Baas, Diana Waltzing, MaKayla Waltzing, Kay Elvehjem (Council Liaison), Pastor AJ, Jan Ferguson and Angie Anderson

The meeting was opened with devotions given by Pastor AJ.

The Minutes from the April 12, 2016, meeting were approved as written.

Expenses incurred in April are as follows:

KREW: \$55 for the indoor banner

Confirmation: \$14.50 for the 2015 Confirmation picture

Dedicated Fund balance is \$295

**CONFIRMATION:**

Confirmation students will be taking their final test of the year by June 15.

**KREW:**

The final KREW was held Wednesday, May 18. The Committee had a brief year- end review of Sunday and Wednesday KREW. More discussion will be held in July/August when the Committee begins preparations for the new year.

**LCMC YOUTH EVENT:**

An update was given on fund raising for the upcoming youth gathering in Iowa July 19-22. Our youth held a bake sale Sunday, May 15, with a total amount raised of \$510.50. One more bake sale will be held on Sunday, May 22. Discussion was held concerning the upcoming "Envelope Tree" which begins Sunday, June 12.

**YOUTH GROUP MONTHLY ACTIVITY:**

\*May 25, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

\*Theme: Self Control. Children will finish their "Fruits of the Spirit" yard signs along with a lesson and activity. The meal, lesson and activity will be held outside, weather permitting!!

\*Meal: Hamburgers on the grill, beans, chips and s'mores

\*Summer youth group activities will be held Wednesday, June 22, and Wednesday, July 27.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:**

The VBS letter, registration form and postcard were given to Committee members. The VBS crafts have arrived. A brief discussion was held concerning the sign for VBS.

**SENIOR SUNDAY:**

The Committee continued preparing for Senior Sunday which will be held on June 5. Jan reported that the quilts are ready. Angie will order the cake and flowers for the table. Jan gave MaKayla and Cassie information forms that are to be completed by the graduates and returned to Living Word prior to Senior Sunday.

**GOALS:**

The Committee reviewed the Youth Christian Education goals. June 22 and July 27 are the two dates the Committee set to connect with our youth during the summer. One of these evenings will be spent “off site”, possibly at one of the parks. Ideas were discussed for our goal of having our Church family out in the community doing service work.

**NEXT MEETING:**

\*June 16, 2016 – 6:30 p.m.

\*Jan Ferguson will give devotions

The meeting was closed with The Lord’s Prayer

Respectfully submitted,

Angie Anderson, Secretary