

Attendees: Beth Bouwens, Eric Coons, Kathy Force, Don & Joan Haussener, Rev. Fred Kelsey, Bob Lord, Mort Gridley, Emma Mosch, Rev. Rukera and Shirley Smith. Jim and Myrna vacation.

Rev. Rukera opened with prayer.

Minutes from the May meeting were read, corrected and approved. Joan will correct and then notify all that they are on the web.

Don Haussener agreed to be recording secretary.

Missions (Mort Gridley, Jr.)

Chicken Bar-B-Q being held June 20. Will need help for the upcoming chicken Bar-B-Q on September 19. May not be able to attend so will need a person to chair.

Youth (Eric Coons)

Sixteen children attending youth group. Will be meeting during the summer. They meet from 6:30-8:00. Need help with the Safe Sanctuary policy.

SPRC (Kathy Force)

Nothing new to report.

UMW (Emma Mosch)

Received \$10 more for Caton Days. Need to have rest of items removed. Joan will contact the home in Elkland to pick up items. Good turn out for our luncheon.

Outreach (Bob Lord)

Food Pantry – need to get the word out - make people aware of the need.

Highway cleanup was done in May

July 13 – Blood Drive 1:30-7:00

September 20 – Salvation Army dinner will cook extra chicken on September 19 to serve.

Pastor (Beth Bouwens)

June 22 – Newsletter deadline

June 23 –session for Safe Sanctuary – 25 attended first session

June 30 – Rev. Rukera to speak on Christian-Muslim relations in Nigeria at Corning First at 7:00 PM

July 1 – Prayer & Praise Band at Corning Grace at 7:00 pm

July 20-24 Vacation Church School

Red Bird Mission – discussed to take \$1,000.00 from Welch Fund. Motion made by Don and seconded by Bob Lord – all approved.

Campership – 14 attending camps this summer. 12 scholarships given. Total amount \$3,716.25.

“What If” brochure distributed by the United Methodist communications. Will discuss more in January 2010.

Worship (Shirley Smith)

Meeting July 16 at 6:00 PM. Invited Rev. Kelsey.

Finance (Don)

Audit done. Jim and Don to go over some of the issues. Total cost was \$200.00

Income into general fund was \$40,445 at the end of May.

Trustees (Beth reported)

Working on floor plan for music. Lighting for sign. Need a work party to refinish the pews during the fall. Discussing plan for parking lot improvement.

Beth thanked Don for mowing the bank.

Date for next Council Meetings: July 16 – 7:00 PM
No meeting in August
September 10 – 7:00 PM