

CGS Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, December 8, 2020, 6:30pm via Zoom

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82222145329?pwd=NnllWnJDc29pYVpYWFRYdEtzZG1PUT09>

Present: Jean Herriges, Michael Flanagin, Bob Blough, Susan Duran, Skye Gordineer, Petra Menard, Rachel Visscher, Jean Hope, Pr. Manda, Joe Shackelford

Additional people present: Matt Byom, Daniel Thomas

Not present: Jerry Clark

Community Time

- Opening Prayer (Pr. Manda)

Current Business

1. Advent plans
 - a. A “gathering” is not an internal meeting when held by employees of the same company.
 - b. Paying attention to the “appearance” of our broadcasts. Are people going to think that we are being irresponsible?
 - c. Pr. Manda, Daniel, Rebecca, and Laura are the only ones in the building during worship.
 - d. Option:
 - i. Thomas’ would be at home, would mean that we would have to change the liturgy.
 - ii. Pr. Manda could have a laptop on pulpit for one angle shot. Others on zoom elsewhere.
 - e. Two more Sunday’s and Christmas eve service from sanctuary. 1st Christmas Sunday service is a video. 2nd Christmas Sunday would be all zoom.
 - f. Michael “Moves that we continue to do worship from the church property through Christmas.” (This is on the assumption that Laura is willing to be in the sanctuary.)
 - i. Vote: 6 for, 2 opposed, 1 abstain - **M/S/C**
 - ii. If Laura is uncomfortable, worship will go back to being from home via zoom.
2. Classroom usage for Synod employee:
 - a. Option:
 - i. Charge them \$750 and make a one time donation of (\$250 x 6 = \$1500).
 - ii. Charge \$500 from the beginning.
 - iii. Move: Offer the synod use of a classroom for \$625 on a month to month basis.
M/S/C

Closing prayer (Pr. Manda)

Notes:

Announcements in worship: Dec. 13: Jean Hope
 Dec. 20: Skye
 Dec. 27: Joe

Upcoming Council activity

Tuesday, January 5: Executive Council Meeting

Tuesday, January 19: Council Meeting