

• ST PAUL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST – COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA  
Tuesday, June 12, 2018 – 7:30 pm

Council Members Present: David Badarak, Kristi Caruso, April Clark, Pastor Geoffrey Drutchas, Allen Gunther, Michael Isaacs, Cheryl Kincaid, David Lange, Pam Lange, Gary Peters, Diane Poet, Dee Salisbury, Barbara Schultz, John Smith

Excused: Mark Ennis Late: Pastor Geoffrey Drutchas

Special Guest – Doreen Thompson – ANTs – Automatic Negative Thoughts. She is hearing a lot of negative things from members of the congregation about members that work for the church. She wants us to be aware of the ANTs and pay attention to negative thoughts.

GUEST OF COUNCIL – All Women's Groups (not invited)

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 7:30PM Prayer offered by Pastor Drutchas

Roll Call of Council Members/Staff – April Clark

Additions/Deletions to Agenda: In regards to the Guest of Council we need to be more diligent about sending cards or emails out 2-3 weeks before the meeting. Pastor Geoffrey Drutchas will talk to Cindy Ramos.

Approval of minutes from meeting of May 8, 2018

Motion by Barbara Schultz seconded by David Lange. Motion Carried.

REPORTS AND UPDATES (STAFF/COUNCIL)

Treasurer Report – Gary Peters provided a written report. Slightly over budget. Heat and Energy envelops are under by \$1100.00. Last year at this time we were \$5600.00 under budget.

Motion by David Lange seconded by Cheryl Kincaid. Motion Carried.

MINISTRY DEPARTMENT

Administrative – Rev. Geoffrey Drutchas provided a written report and discussed the work he has done for the month. Pastor will be off the entire month of August for vacation.

Christian Education – Written report provided.

Health Ministry – Written report provided.

Trustees/Buildings and Grounds – Getting quotes for a digital outdoor sign. Air Conditioner was recharged and working and should be cooler. Security was discussed.

Deacons – Written report provided. Locking office door at the start of each service discussed. Door to Sanctuary should not be locked. Recommended that the office door at the start of each service be locked. Council Reps are needed in July, August and November.

Motion that on Sunday mornings, the west Lobby Office will be locked at the start of service.

Motion by David Lange and seconded by Michael Issacs.

Elders – Written report provided. Membership list is in review.

OLD BUSINESS

Council Fun – Flat Rock Speedway – Date July 7, 2018 at 7PM. Cost \$16.00 adults and \$3.00 ages 6-12. Meet at Flat Rock Speedway. Triple 50's and fireworks. Bring ear plugs.

Church Picnic – Pam Lange – July 29, 2018    Need someone to chair the Basket raffle. Baskets are needed to raffle. We should get them early enough to sell tickets at the Steak Dinner. We will be doing 50/50, Are we having karaoke? Should we play games like 21, bingo and balloon toss? MUCH help is needed. Allen Gunther has helpers. How should the chairs be set up? Facing away from the vendors with a center isle.

NEW BUSINESS

Move Approval of minutes to after Reports and updates and before Treasurer report. Sequence to be Call to Order, Prayer, Guests and Approval of Minutes.

Next Council Meeting is scheduled to be held on Tuesday, September 11, 2018

Motion to adjourn by Diane Poet seconded by David Lange. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:36pm with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,

April Clark