

Living Hope Lutheran Church

Council Meeting Minutes

January 21, 2022

- Zoom meeting attended by Joe Georgeson, Shannon Stoker, Jen Eason, Julie Irish, Susan Schiller, Jerry Baganz, Chris Lear, and Pastor Jerry
- Jerry Baganz has volunteered to be on the Church Council
- Pastor Jerry lead the opening prayer
- We began with discussing the budget / financials
- We decided to put some of what would have been Trinny's pay toward an "Accompanist" in the new budget
- Chris Lear's salary goes back into budget also
- Proposed budget was approved, as motioned by Joe
- We discussed when the annual budget meeting for the Congregation would take place
- Joe agreed to present the budget on February 13th
- Pastor Jerry added to the meeting that Lighthouse needs a "clear purpose", and needs to include teens from both churches as well as the community. He also advised that our church readers be better prepared by practicing the reading beforehand. He also stated that the Greeter's need to be available to assist people during and after the church service. He feels that we as a council should contact absent members again in 2-3 months
- The approval of December Financials needs to be done before the February 13th Budget meeting
- Our next meeting is February 15th, hopefully in person
- Joe concluded with the Lord's Prayer