

## Living Hope Lutheran Church

Minutes from Annual Budget Meeting February 13, 2022

- Meeting called to order
- Joe Georgeson presided over the meeting
- Emphasis on “Stronger Together”
- “Where are we as a church”?
- Prayer
- Alex Pieper approved Minutes from last meeting, Susan S seconded
- Synod Assembly 2022 @ Italian Community Center- Marge Pfeifer and Susan Schiller will attend
- Updates on Family Promise, Hearts to Hands, Lighthouse, Stone soup
- A lot to be proud of – Teamwork in the planning of Lenten services, Streaming and obstacles with technology, alternating of services w/ CTK, Adopting to loss of both Pastor Kelly, and then Pastor Clare. Pastor Clare helped get us through Lent
- Shannon holds church together, and we are grateful for her work
- Council members – Jerry Baganz coming on board, Joe will be stepping down
- Briefly went over financials, Joe provided handout of the numbers
- Jerry Baganz moved to approve budget, Alex seconded it
- Jerry Baganz informed us of an opportunity to sell off 3 parcels of church owned land in exchange for the hook up of city water (huge expense for the church) and having the parking lot rerouted and basically rebuilt, also the possibility of new lighting in the parking lot. Jerry and Chris Lear are working with a Developer and negotiating for this opportunity. We will need an attorney. This sounds like a win-win for our church.
- **Wish List- Pandemic Gone! More people in church! New Parking lot!**

