

Joint Council Meeting Minutes
Christ the King Lutheran Church
Living Hope Lutheran Church
October 11, 2022, 6:30pm at Living Hope

1. Attendance: Mark Dybdahl, Ellen Smith, Paul Hoffman, Fred Walls, Jen Eason, Gary Myrah, Chris Lear, Joe Georgeson, Brad LeDuc, Shannon Stoker, Pastor Daniel
2. Opening Prayer/Devotion: watched a Ted Talk style video about the cultural shift of the church
3. Church Reports
 - Christ the King
 - Living Hope
4. Holiday Services: discussion about times of holiday services
 - Christmas Eve: 2:00pm at LH and 4:00pm at CTK (Saturday)
 - Christmas Day: 1 service at 9:30 at CTK (Sunday)
 - New Year's Day: 1 service at 9:30 at LH (Sunday)
5. Stronger Together
 - Live Streaming services
 - Explore possibility of alternating weeks at LH (each church will make its own decision based on availability of volunteers to do it, with the goal to live stream every week)
 - Council meetings
 - Meeting together more frequently as a joint council (quarterly)
 - Next joint council meeting will be Wednesday, January 11, at 6:30pm at CTK
 - Meet for ½ hour together as a joint council, then 1 hour as individual councils
 - Pastor Daniel would like to schedule a joint council retreat for January or February, with a Synod representative as facilitator (date TBD)
 - Fellowship opportunities: Luke warm response
6. Next meetings:
 - Joint Council: Wednesday, January 11 at 6:30pm at CTK (meet for ½ hour together as a joint council, then 1 hour as individual councils)
7. Closing Prayer: closed with The Lord's Prayer