

## STEWARDSHIP MINUTES

Meetings: mid-October through mid-November, 2020

Present: Darryl Harvey, Roger Collins, Jean Roenfeldt, Donita Harvey, and Pastor Kari Reiquam

The Stewardship Team has been meeting weekly since mid- October. We have also been attending periodic (about one every two weeks) Zoom presentations by GSB (the program we are doing this year). In aid of this year's Stewardship Emphasis, we have done the following:

Specific issues discussed:

1. Our program began actively reaching out to the congregation starting on Oct. 11. We had 4 temple talks from congregants presented at worship or posted to the church website. All of them are available in the Stewardship folder on the member portal.
2. Lori Reagor has been posting a weekly Friday eblast for the stewardship campaign with various letters and stories around the theme of Rise Up - Beginning a Culture of Generosity. Again, these and all other correspondence, etc. will be posted in a special stewardship section in the member's portal on the church website.
3. Church Council committed themselves to the program and the screen shot of them at council in October was included in the materials posted.
4. Commitment Sunday was held on Nov. 1. Full results will not be known until the end of November. However, the \$5,000 challenge fund to given to the church for upgrading church communication, security, and technology has already received the required 20 new and/or increased pledges.
5. Celebration Sunday is Nov. 15. The preliminary results of the stewardship emphasis will be announced.
6. There will be a follow-up to Nov. 1 where people who have not returned a card will be contacted by mail, email and perhaps by phone. This was suggested strongly by the GSB group- 50% of all commitments come in after Intent Sunday.

Submitted-Darryl Harvey