

**Minutes of
Dixboro UMC Leadership Council Zoom Meeting
Wednesday, September 16, 2020 7:00 to 8:30 PM**

Present: Pastor Jeanne Garza, Reverend Mary, Barbara Scheffer (chair), Kenn Scheffer (Trustees), Charles Engle (Financial Sec.), Mary Turfe (Lay Leader), Brent Howlett (Rep to Annual Conf.), Jayne Worthy-Howlett (Pres. DUMW), Harold Tuckett (VCI Coord.), Marilyn Pobanz (SPRC), Mary Ellen Miller (secretary), Cathy Freeman (Caring Ministry), Briana Murphy (Social Justice Coordinator), Randy Hucks (Treasurer), Patty Burns (Faith Community/Fellowship).

Missing: Youth member, Carl Johns, Tom Little (Future Chair), Harold needed to leave

Devotional time: Cathy Freeman

Minutes of August 12, 2020 approved after two changes 1) changing crop walk leaders 2) fix Briana's name
Business:

New Business

Discussion of the first draft of a potential DUMC Social Justice statement was distributed to Council members prior to meeting. After opportunities for dialogue with multiple diverse views it was agreed that this is a work on progress and will be addressed at future meetings after draft preparers (Rev. Mary, Harold Tuckett, and Briana Murphy) have had a chance to meet again.

Other Business items

1. Pastor Jeanne will continue outdoor services as long as it is not cold.
2. Charge conference only includes leadership council. October 13, 2020 7 pm for SPRC and 7:45 for the Leadership Council. It is on ZOOM.
3. Stewardship is middle three weeks of November. Rev Jeanne is looking at different programs.
4. Trustees – Kenn ordered Culligan company to put in a new water system. Part goes in basement of parsonage the other part in the church basement. Randy was informed that it is going to be about \$4k.

Closing reading: Brent Howlett

Devotional from Ephesians

Prayers sought for Judy Keller (Harold's sister-in-law), Carl (pacemaker surgery), and Superior Township

Next meeting date and agenda

October 7th at 7 pm is next meeting (See ZOOM connection below)

Agenda: 1. Approval of minutes

2. Opening devotional- Patty

3. Prepare for Charge Conference on Oct. 13, 2020

4. Other business

Decision on how to move forward with Social Justice statement

Set next meeting date

5. Closing reading- Briana

Meeting adjourned,

Respectfully submitted, Mary Ellen Miller/Barbara Scheffer

ZOOM link to next meeting October 7th at 7 pm is next meeting
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