

M&P Meeting Minutes

April 13, 2020 – 5:30 p.m.

The M&P Committee held its first Zoom meeting. Present were:
Cathie Banks, Tara Pegg, Lorraine Jardine, Marion Hearn, Michael Cottam, Mike Melville
Marion Hearn is today's recording secretary

John McFall was thanked for setting up the Zoom site for our meeting and also for his work assisting with the virtual church services. John purchased 2 Zoom licenses. Thank you also to Mallory for assisting with Zoom meetings.

A discussion was had on recognition of the dedicated work by Paul Stewart and the invaluable volunteerism of Glen Pearson over the last 6 months. Cathie will purchase a gift certificate from a Port Elgin nursery centre for Paul. She will also send sympathy cards to Paul and Cindy and to Ruth Rushton for the passing of John.

With the committee's approval, Cathie will send a note to LC to recommend a donation to CAS as a thank you to Glen.

We discussed the roles our staff members are playing in keeping the church as vibrant as possible. Rev. Pirie has jumped in with both feet planning virtual services and making pastoral care phone calls.

Bill has had his scooter stolen; he's looking for a bicycle to ride to work.

The custodial job description will be reviewed to see if changes are needed.

Re: the phone system, Arlene can call in a Bell technician to reset the system.

Tara reported on the March LC meeting, it went well.

Cathie contacted Calvary UC to see if there was any interest in sharing supply OA and Custodial staff during vacations or absence. They are not interested. Cathie has a few names of W-K members who have offered with OA and she will again contact JD Brophy for custodial work. Cathie announced that the Search Committee is working on finding a Youth Ministry person.

Mike Melville led a review on an updated staff annual performance form. Some good suggestions were made. Mike can now rewrite the questions and send them to us for a final review.

Meeting adjourned 7:45 p.m., next meeting TBA