

**Prospect United Methodist Church  
Church Council Meeting Minutes  
March 24, 2022**

**Present:** Pastor Lee, Rita Fasci, Lynn Limeburner, Beth Provost, Carol Rivard, Matti Verzino, Christa Zaldivar

**I. Opening Prayer** – Pastor Lee

**II. Committee Updates**

**Middle Agers** – Luisa

- Family Fun Night with karaoke on Sat., Apr. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6-9:30 pm. \$5 per person or \$25 per family cap. Includes pizza..
- Relay for Life, June 4-5. Baking mixes are needed for the bake sale.. Also looking for help with set up and take down.

**Music** – Heidi

- Shoreline Ringers will present a concert at PUMC on June 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Nurture/Care** - Mary

- Craft group recently made Easter cards for shut-ins. Upcoming get-togethers April 12 and April 26.
- The next third-Wednesday luncheon will take place Apr. 20<sup>th</sup>. Soup provided. BYO soup bowl.

**Finance** – Beth

- All outstanding February bills paid.
- We currently received a large oil bill, which will be paid in installments.

**Trustees** – Carol

- Brian's Angels – Due to increasing damages and problems their July 1, 2022 lease renewal will include stricter regulations, which must be agreed to.
- Days for Girls – Our group will affiliate with a DFG group from the Storrs area. Our projects will now be sent to Guyana, and Altrusa Int'l will pay for shipping.

**Education** - Christa

- The Souper Bowl of Caring project earned \$150.
- Sunday Schoolers are currently collecting snack items for baskets to be presented to First Responders.
- Pretzel Sunday – April 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Palm Sunday parade – April 10<sup>th</sup>
- Easter Egg hunt – April 17<sup>th</sup>, after service.
- Children's Day – May 22
- Fun in the Sun beach day – June 18.

**Worship** - Mattie

- Maundy Thursday service – 7:00 pm
- There will be a Good Friday service via Zoom, which will include several area churches.
- Bill King will give the sermon on April 24<sup>th</sup>.

**III. Pastor's Time**

- There are five people in new membership classes. Their membership will be celebrated on Easter Sunday.
- The Bible study has been postponed until after Easter.
- Several baptisms and a reaffirmation of faith are planned for the near future.
- Prayer Partner program. Sign-up is posted on a bulletin board in Sessions Hall. You don't necessarily have to contact your chosen partner—praying for that person works too!!
- We will celebrate Home Coming Sunday on church anniversary Sunday in November.

**IV, Adjourning Prayer** – Pastor Lee

**Next meeting May 19th**