

Augsburg Immanuel Lutheran Church

Quarterly Voters Meeting

January 14, 2024

Chairman Mo Schukar called the meeting to order and Pastor Landskroener led all present in prayer.

Minutes from the October 9, 2023 voters meeting were printed in the church newsletter. There was no further discussion on these minutes. A motion was made to accept the minutes as posted, seconded, and approved.

Members:

Voting members: None
Communicant members: None
Baptisms: None.
Transfers:
 Transfer out: None
 Transfer in: None
 Releases: None

Treasurer's Report:

The 2023 annual treasurer's report was presented by treasurer, Fran Collier. A copy of the report is included with these minutes. A few changes on how balances are reported were requested, and will be changed for the next meeting. A motion was made to accept the report as presented, seconded, and approved.

Elders' Report:

All is going well. Haven't met in the last couple of weeks. The meeting schedule is getting back on track after the holidays. As usual, please contact the elders if you have any questions or concerns.

Pastor's Report:

Funerals:

January 12 - Herman Sachteleben
December 3 - Mary Dierks (non-member interment)

2023 Summary

Sunday Services	53
Average Attendance	60
Average Communed	49
Special Services	14
Average Attendance	30
Average Communed	20 (4 services)

Trustees' Report:

Maintenance repairs have been completed on restroom in the church basement. Projects that have been placed on hold until warmer weather are the concrete work to the church and the parsonage and restroom upgrades for the kindergarten room.

Sunday school:

The Christmas program had 18 children participate. It was enjoyed by all – both the participants and those watching. Thank you to everyone involved in making the program a success again.

Bible Class:

Bible class continues to meet every Sunday at 9:00 AM in the parish hall. As usual, everyone is invited to attend. So please come join us.

Finance Man: No report.

Sexton:

After the accident this fall, the culverts have been replaced in the entrances to the cemetery. The local monument and vault company has been sold. Working on establishing a relationship for graves, headstones, and repairs.

Old Business:

The church officer elections were completed at the last quarterly meeting.

New Business:

Special Collections:

The following special collections were submitted for the first quarter:

- Ash Wednesday – Fort Wayne Seminary
- 2nd Lenten – AbleLight (formerly Bethesda)
- 3rd Lenten – St. Louis Seminary
- 4th Lenten – Lighthouse Pregnancy Center
- 5th Lenten – Lutheran School for the Deaf, Jacksonville
- 6th Lenten – District Deaf Ministry
- Maundy Thursday – Christ Our Rock Lutheran High School

A motion was made to accept the special collections, seconded, and approved.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting, seconded, and approved. The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Submitted by Steven R. Hickerson