

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF LAKE TRAVIS
MINUTES OF REGULAR SESSION MEETING
MARCH 27, 2022

Location: PLCT 12:15pm

Attending: Jack Barden, Moderator, Larry Foster, Treasurer, Chrystie Thrasher, Terry McKetta and Steve Gottlieb.

Excused: Mary Margaret MacMillan and Lynn Fisher

Opened with Prayer

Review of Minutes: Minutes from February 20, 2022 (with correction of date) and minutes from the Congregational Meeting February 27, 2022 were approved. **Motion to approve** by Steve Gottlieb and seconded by Terry McKetta.

Moderator's Report:

Vacation Dates:

Sunday, April 3-Rev. Jim Currie preaching/presiding

Sunday April 24- Rev. Dr. Krysta Leedy preaching/presiding

Sunday May 29- Kimbol Soques preaching (no communion)

Covid Updates: Friday March 25th the City of Austin removed all restrictions on mask. It was decided that we would have Fellowship, Communion, and Passing of the Peace starting Palm Sunday. Jack will use small bits of bread or crackers on a plate for individuals to pick up and have individual cups, also. Sunday School and Bible Study will be up to each group to decide "in person or Zoom".

Committee Reports:

Outreach: Minutes attached

- Lynn Fisher reported via email about her conversations with marketing consultants. She will schedule another conversation with on soon.
- They are putting together New Member and Visitor Packets.
- Chrystie will contact JR to put New Member information sheets online.
- Helen is in charge of banners and as gotten a permit for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday which can stay up 15 days and was at the cost of \$55. She is looking into applying for a fee waiver.

- Steve G. brought up the possibility of putting up another permanent sign on other end of our property which could be seen better by those driving north.

Christian Education: Minutes attached

- There will be no Sunday School Easter Sunday.
- Sunday School can meet again in person after Easter.
- WBS will be studying “Flawed Family of God” and will have a Zoom introduction from the authors.

Hospitality: Minutes attached

- Austin Bradley’s recital will be Sunday April 24th. We agreed to have a “donation” box in narthex for any event that were not paying for use of building.
- Terry will revisit plans for Easter since we can have in person fellowship.

Financial: minutes attached

- We currently have \$136k in bank, and \$150-160 in pledges. Revenues will not match expense this year but expect they will next year. We need 7-8 more members.
- Bob Carstensen was hired for Quick Books entries. His fee will be \$300 to review and clean-up as necessary. His monthly fee has not been decided but should be \$100-200 per month.

Mission: no meeting

- Chrystie updated on Hudson Bend Project and Chick fil a deliveries.
- Session approved One Great Hour of sharing this Easter.

Old Business:

- Terry McKetta reported on last Presbytery Meeting. They approved several new ministers and approved an overture to GA requesting to change the word AIDS to HIV.
- Next Presbytery Meeting will be in June.
- *Chili Cook-off:* We will pass on it this year.

New Business:

Holy Week Services:

Good Friday will be community service at Lakeway Church at 7:30pm. PCLT will participate along with Lakeway and LT Methodist in the choir.

Maunday Thursday Service will be at 4:30pm

Steve Gottlieb asked that we join the Bee Cave Chamber of Commerce at an annual fee of \$125 for non-profits. **Motion to join:** Larry Foster, Steve Gottlieb seconded, **Approved.**


Summer Intern:

It was agreed that we would move forward with inviting Rabert Sheppard as our summer intern. His internship is post-graduation, as he begins the candidacy process in the PCUSA. It was agreed that we pay him \$250 per wee (10 or 12 weeks).

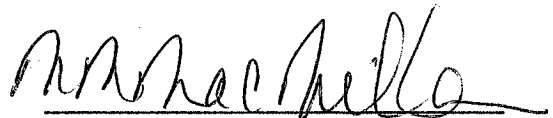
Next Meeting: To be determined. Jack will take another Doodle vote for next meeting at 10am either Tuesday or Thursday, (April 26 or 28)

Closed with Prayer

Prepared by Chrystie Thrasher



Jack Barden, Moderator



Mary Margaret MacMillan, Clerk