

Grace Lutheran Church Council
Actions and Highlights
January 21, 2016

MISSION:

God's purpose for Grace Lutheran Church is for us to be servant leaders in mission by loving and inspiring all people to experience the transforming grace of a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Pr. Aanonson Don Ager Ramona Allenbaugh
Mike Allenbaugh Cindy Edgmond JoAnne Fisher
Connor Lawhead Kim Thompson

MEMBERS EXCUSED: John Simmons Jim Edgmond Shirlee Staley

GUEST: Jeanette Billingsley

OPENING PRAYER by Don Ager

HAPPY TIME PRESCHOOL OF MUSCATINE

The Indoor Air Quality/Mold Assessment Report revealed that *"the types and/or levels of mold spores detected in the air samples...are not considered to represent an indoor air quality concern."* Since there is no mold problem, Happy Time reopened for classes on 1.19.16.

ROOF CONDITION REPORT

The Executive Committee voted to have D.C. Taylor Co. of Cedar Rapids repair the roof ASAP. Cost will be \$2,185. The signed contract was sent to D.C. Taylor Co. and we will be placed on their schedule.

DATE CHANGE

Council discussed changing the monthly meeting date to the 4th Thursday of every month in order to accommodate work conflicts of some council members. This will be on the February agenda for a vote.

SIGN REQUEST FROM MENNONITE CHURCH

Council approved the sign request from the Mennonite Church. Their sign will be 2' x 3' and will be inserted into the ground on the opposite side of the driveway from the Grace Lutheran Church sign. It will be inserted around 2 p.m. and removed after their services.

CALL COMMITTEE UPDATE:

The Committee will meet and interview a candidate Friday, January 22nd, and will reconvene on Sunday, January 31st to make a decision and possible recommendation to Council and the Congregation.

RECOMMENDATION FROM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

REINSERT "LUTHERAN" ON THE WEB PAGE AND GLC LETTERHEAD.

Per Council minutes dated 03.21.2013: *The history behind the current logo (see above) is that the Church council in 2008 felt it was time to update the church logo... which was adopted in November 2008.* Current Council members agreed that "Lutheran" needs to be reinserted "because that is what we are." Therefore, Council approved the recommendation from the Executive Committee to reinsert "Lutheran" on the web page and update the letterhead accordingly.

ACTION ITEM: Mike Allenbaugh agreed to rebuild the web page logo graphics to include "Lutheran."

MEETING ADJOURNED 7:03 p.m. (33 minutes)