

## Stewardship/Discipleship Committee Meeting

5:30 pm – 6:30 pm, February 4, 2020

First Lutheran Church

**Attendance:** Michael Wicklund, Darren Krein, Jennifer Woore, Jennifer Frank, and Pastor Gretchen. Absent: Rick West, Larry Dorn, Leonard Hatzenbuhler, Dawn Danielson, Steve Guttormson, and Jeani Trosvig

**Opening Remarks:** Pastor Gretchen agreed to lead the meeting so that Michael could observe and learn about what the committee has been discussing for the past year.

**Discussion:** The committee expressed a desire to really hit the ground running this year. We brainstormed a variety of ideas for fundraising events we could hold throughout the year such as a steak or rib dinner. We also discussed ways to improve year-round giving such as encouraging and assisting people with the credit card kiosk or placing a basket at the front of the sanctuary for people to come forward and put their offering in during the sharing of the peace. (Pastor Gretchen said she would bring this up with the Worship Committee.) We discussed having another Generosity Sunday in the spring before summer attendance drops. We also decided we would take turns doing Temple Talks once a month during announcements. Pastor Gretchen agreed to do the first Temple Talk, and Michael agreed to do the second. Pastor Gretchen reminded us of our Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> meeting at 11:00 with Pastor Jon Olson and the retreat at the church Friday March 6<sup>th</sup> and Saturday March 7<sup>th</sup>. We scheduled our next regular meeting for Tuesday March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30pm and decided we would meet the first Tuesday of every month at 5:30.