

DRAFT M&M MEETING
MAY 18, 2021 – ZOOM CALL

Our Mission: The Congregation of Kincardine United Church seeks to foster a journey of spiritual growth through hospitality, service, fellowship and study, and, in community, to build up the ministry of every person and together experience God's abundant love and grace.

PRESENT: LouAnne Dudman, Liz Dillman, Krista Ritchie, Melinda Smegal, Charles Ludlow

REGRETS: Bernd Portz, Ursula Portz, Gord Dunbar

CHAIR – LouAnne Dudman

SECRETARY – Liz Dillman

CALL TO ORDER at 7:00 pm

OPENING PRAYER - Krista Ritchie

ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA with one addition – by consensus

ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES OF April 20, 2021 by consensus

CHECK IN FOR ALL MEMBERS – How is everyone coping during the pandemic?

BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

1. Affirming Committee – on hold
2. Interfaith Dialogue – on hold
3. Blanket Exercise at High School – on hold
4. Consent and Capacity Info Night – on hold
5. Church Photo Directory – set for Oct 4 – 11, 2021
 - discussed considering postponing this to spring of 2022
 - concern people may not be ready to commit to making appointments in August – may want more time to see how the pandemic is
 - we will decide at our June meeting
6. Card Group – on hold
7. Calls to Congregation – status quo
8. Update on Now Playing
9. Daily Bread
 - Melinda spoke to Shirley Marie Harris who has been looking after distributing these
 - there is only one package of these to be handed out
 - Melinda volunteered to look after this going forward
 - we hope Gord will continue to deliver them to Trillium Court and Don Eyre
10. Funds for Doors at Cape Croker
 - a cheque for \$1,000 was sent for the replacement of doors at the Cape Croker United Church
 - these funds were matched by the Presbyterian Church
11. M&S Sunday – Sept 19
 - decided M&M would use sharing time to talk about its work
 - decided to ask the Women's House to present during the meditation and funds raised would go to the Women's House
 - Krista will speak to Women's House and request a speaker

NEW BUSINESS

1. Report from Council
 - Charles had nothing to bring forward
2. Returned mail from most recent mailout
 - M&M will ask MART (through Gord) to contact as many people as possible on the returned letters list to see if they wish to have addresses updated and stay on the mailing list
3. Non-resident members

- M&M will ask MART (through Gord) to contact individuals listed as Non- Resident in the database and actually live in Kincardine and obtain current contact information and then change their status to Resident Member if they now live within the community of Kincardine. If they have no current contact information they can also be removed from Power Church
4. Community Person in Need
- Krista advised us of a single mother in the community who has suffered a stroke and will have to rehab in Owen Sound – she has a teenaged son
 - the Lighthouse Unit is purchasing a \$50 gift card for Sobeys to assist
 - decided to re-visit this in June when more may be known about her needs

FUTURE POSSIBLE FORUMS

Women in Poverty
Reconciliation Events
Play re Nawash
Round Table with Community Partners

COUNCIL REP FOR NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

Next meeting is June 8, 2021 at 7:00 pm by Zoom
Attendee: Charles Ludlow
Note if the attendee is unable to be at the meeting please notify the committee so someone else can attend as the M&M rep

NEXT M&M MEETING

June 15, 2021 at 7:00 pm by zoom
Chair - Liz Dillman
Secretary – Melinda Smegal

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 pm.

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