

Executive Council Meeting
June 14, 2016
Immanuel Lutheran Church

Attendees: Beth Hansen, Pat Hammer, Mike Lindahl, Scott Belseth, Brenda Tonjes

Beth called the meeting to order at 5:50.

Scott gave devotions.

Secretary's report: Minutes presented. Beth moved to accept, Brenda seconded, passed.

Financial reports: Scott reported +2.5% YTD in giving, attendance was down by 362 as of the end of May. Mike remarked that expenses were running a little high, probably because of font repairs and the council retreat, also senior high graduation. Discussed restructuring a section of the financial summary to make capital fund status clearer in the report. We have started receiving money for the Opening Doors fund, and have made a payment for sanctuary projection.

Old business: Baptismal font is under repair at this point.

Opening Doors: \$685,000 has been pledged thus far, more pledges are in the works. We discussed our options, in view of the amount pledged coming in at less than the \$1,000,000 we were asking for. Discussion moved to the council at large meeting. There is a building committee which has met once already.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM.