

Emanuel UCC Elders meeting notes
December 27, 2022 via ZOOM

PRESENT: Becky Kindel (Chair), Pastor Gaye Santoro, Art Holden (Secretary), Ernie Lyons, Julie Weyand, Vaughn Daniels, Greg Foster, Helen Tritt

Pastor Gaye opened the meeting with a prayer.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

SERVICES and EVENTS

PAST:

- Christmas Eve service
- Christmas Day service (9 a.m. ring sing)

UPCOMING:

- Epiphany Celebration 1/8 (Star words and King's cake)
- Hand in your baptism/holy water bottles on 1/8
- Soup Kitchen 1/24
- Annual Meeting 1/29/2023

BUSINESS FOLLOW-UP:

- Church Membership was discussed. Elders agreed to go ahead with the proposed "Missing You" letter, with the addition of the possibility of emailing contact information as well as mailing the information. A few minor edits were also suggested.
- Elders membership was discussed. Becky, Helen, and Art will ask 3 church members if they'd be interested in being an Elder.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Julie Weyand and family will be the January greeters.
- Julie Weyand will aid Pastor Gaye on Jan. 15 for Brooklyn Poetter's baptism.

COMMUNION UPDATE:

- Jan. 1, 2023 – Ernie Lyons is liturgist and Helen will bring bread and set up, Becky will help set up and will bring juice.
- February Communion, Feb. 5 Vaughn will be liturgist.
- March Communion, March 5 Julie will be liturgist.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, Jan. 31 at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Elders secretary Art Holden