

Elder meeting 040621

Present Pastor Cory, Pastor Brandon, Dave H. Taylor O., Colin R., & Jeff H.

Prayer- Jeff

Taylor made a motion for additional agenda item, labeled Volunteer oversight for SS children and nursery workers to be able to rotate in order to be able to hear the messages. cory 2nd Carries.

Pastor Reports:

Pastor Cory- 60 people at Good Friday Worship.
Written report was emailed to us.

Talked about children and theology of appropriate participation in worship services

Pastor Brandon:

Written report was made available. He went through that report and added to the information re: his work on finding curriculum and methodology for teaching and reaching youth today.

Talked about Brandon going to a couple of shadowing events to see how different ministries do their ministry to youth, all are okay with Brandon taking the time to do these.

April 11th - Brandon has EQUIP training obligation to fulfill - has Colin covering Sunday School. Will attend services in Vermillion one last time on the 25th as a send off.

Had one on one with student today. Brandon indicated that his excitement for ministry at Discovery has grown since having more time to spend with students. He will be here on Monday's and Tuesdays. Full time first week in May

Looking at Crystal Springs for doing middle school and older camps. Possibly a family camp.

Summer- Making connections with youth, meals, fun times, hang out with kids especially those who don't come on Sunday. Sunday mornings, lessons on evangelism. Looking at using Gospel Centered Life for youth.

Talked about circulating the youth on Sun mornings, experience multigenerational life.

Potential for small groups in 17-18 yo group

He has a passion to start a parent blog, part of website once weekly.

Member/attender contacts discussed and prayer for them.

Dave: Sex offender list No one seen that had attended our church.

Jeff to meet with BOD next Tuesday in April.

Amanda and Mary transition is going well. April 28th is Secretary's day.

Taylor- nursery and children's church. Volunteer schedule needing Elder oversight. Brandon indicated that he would be willing to help with that project.

Confidential Benevolence discussion

Coffee shop- Cynthia Z and Robin N. have been trying to determine how many volunteers we need and continue to recruit.

Summer activities- planning alternatives to adults only Bible study on Wednesday through summer; possibly backyard bbq with inviting neighbors and those from church or small groups. Pastors will talk about that and come back with some template ideas.

April 20th next meeting

Dave motion to adjourn 2nd by Taylor. Carries

Respectively submitted,
Recorder
Jeff Herron