

Hospitality and Membership Ministry Meeting Notes

February 22, 2021

Present: Harold Hight, Barb Hanniford, Tracey Lohman, Linda Morris, Linnea Stafford, Gayle Wall, and Eileen West

Opening

Eileen opened the meeting at 7 pm. Morris gave an opening prayer written by Maria Shriver. We welcomed Harold Hight to our group.

Old Business

- Prayer shawls. Eileen delivered two prayer shawls in February and explained to Harold that Sandy Roeger and Sherry Gedeon have been making them. We should let Eileen know of any members who could use a prayer shawl.
- Committee member suggestions. Gayle will follow up with Scott Mackall to see if he would like to rejoin our ministry.
- Birthday postcards. Harold volunteered to send the March and April cards (with Mary's help!). Barb will do the May and June cards. Gayle has the monthly address labels, and Eileen will communicate with Leah about producing the next batch of cards.
- Mystery members. We look forward to the March *Messenger*, when we'll see the design that Linnea created to introduce our three mystery members. Prospective April mystery members are Bob Carlson, Amanda Nagy, and William Moody.
- Name that Tune. Scott Baughman has agreed to do a virtual version (via Zoom) of Name that Tune on **Saturday, April 10**, but would like one of us to be the MC. Harold volunteered to talk with Scott and potentially be the MC. We agreed to have 3-4 songs per decade, with an answer check between decades. We'll create an answer sheet that participants can download and print. We can encourage participants to wear attire that fits their favorite decade. We may repeat this activity outdoors in the summer with a "Name that TV theme song" focus.
- Heritage/Family history activity. Linnea was unsuccessful in finding anything online that would work for members to identify their heritage. We agreed to table this idea until we are back in person. At that point, we could post a large map with push pins members could use to share their backgrounds.
- Game groups, Truth or Lie social zoom. We decided to postpone these ideas for now.

New Business

- Future connection ideas. We may do a trivia contest for Founders Day.
- Possible Easter activities. Eileen shared that two possible activities are being considered for Easter. Pastor Kim is getting feedback from families currently about either an Easter scavenger hunt or an Easter egg hunt (outdoors). If a scavenger hunt is chosen, we may be asked to participate by having a basket of goodies at our homes for kids to take. Stay tuned!

Our next meeting is **Monday, March 22 at 7:00 p.m.**

Respectfully submitted,
Barb Hanniford