Agenda: Mission Council and Budget Team

Monday May 20, 2019

6:30 PM Parlor

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(Starred items on the Weebly site linked above)

Attendees: Susan Wilkins, Richard Taiwo, Dave Ivaska, Younan Shiba, Cam Traut, Dick Warnecke (Elder), Peter Steffen (excused), Sharyn Wilson-Woods (Elder),

David Tilson (chair), Ron Ehresman, Caryl Weinberg (staff).

6:00-7:30 Dinner and Conversation with Jamil

7:30:50 -Update Items (Caryl)

* New Mission Statement: (Brief Discussion on its intersection for mission)

*First Presbyterian Church of Evanston exists to know Jesus Christ and to grow in him as we serve and make disciples in Evanston, the Chicago area, and around the world*.

* Themes for next seasons:
  + Summer: Growing Community in Christ
  + Fall: Rooted and Reaching
  + Advent: Hope for a World that Hurts?
* Suggestions for Group Service Projects
* June 30th: Holy Land Trip Class/Presentation
* July 21: First Friends will combine with all church picnic/Vespers
* Summer Schedule for a party. Lets discuss dates to consider

7:50: Budget Team Update items:\*\*\*\* Financial Review (Ron or Susan?)

8;00: -8:15: Pick a Date for Lemonade on the Lawn: and What do we want to communicate and with what? (pamplets, posterboards, pop ups)

8:15-8:30: Lets discuss new ways we can enhance Communications/Engagement

Current Priorities:

* Adult Education/curriculum:
* Communication/Congregation Engagement
* Mission Partner Care:
* Community Outreach (Evanston):
* Mission Trips:
* Refugees/First Friends