

Team Member				Team Member				Guests
	P	A	E		P	A	E	
Dallas Reeve			X					
Therese Blakely	x							
Michael Morefield	x							
Connie Sommer			x					
Chris Schupp	x							

P = Present A = Absent, E = Excused

I. Opening Prayer: Chris opened with Prayer

II. Previous Meeting Minutes: Approved

III. Reports:

- A. Abide – New counter/cabinet will be paid for with help from Worship team budget. Michael looked into the Bunn Coffee Maker for the Ministry Center kitchen. This would benefit Abide and all events in the Ministry Center. Cost is \$850. Maybe use some of the Conversations budget if they are doing ok, and possibly get some help from other budgets. Email to property team to check on the water line. John Wopata confirmed that water line is good and that we should get a filter for it.
- B. The Women’s ministry. Christmas tea will be Dec 4th. Mark Blakley is helping recruit men to serve.
- C. The Men’s ministry Chris Schupp attended and gave a report. Annual retreat is Nov 4th. All congregation work day will be Oct 28th from 9-12. Mark Blakley requested money to get lunch that day – could possibly use leftovers from Fall Fest also. Christmas dinner/movie for the men will be Dec 2nd.
- D. Conversations – Thanksgiving meal will be on Nov 15th. Who talks to Sara about decorations?

IV. Unfinished Business.

- A. Friendship Partners – We aren't ready to do this yet for current class – will plan to do so for the Spring class. There are 7 people in the class right now – 1 couple. Need to follow up with Dallas.

- B. Budget – due at the end of the month. Talked about bumping up Quarterly Socials to \$2500. Need to see if Outreach can help cover the cost of the Sunday morning coffee, since it is supporting Eleos. Michael will talk to Caleb about it. Michael agreed to email the team by the end of the month to confirm the budget.

V. Planned Events/Other:

A. Quarterly Social Events:

1. Fall Fest is planned for Oct 21st. Plan for 100 people. Doing Chili cookoff and also going to have hot dogs, chips, apple cider, water and s'mores. Therese will recruit 3 judges and get a Kate's Kitchen gift card for \$30. We will need 2-3 more firepits and firewood. We could use 1 or 2 people from Helps team for setup and clean up – Therese sent email asking for help. Arrive at 4pm to get things set up.
2. Christmas Caroling and Soup night planned for Dec 13th. We need a list of shut-ins and people that need visiting from the Mercy Team. We will again contact people in advance to see if they will be home and if they want a group to come. Get list from Dave Wiersma. See if Dallas can help get the list together.
3. Outreach team has planned a Drive In movie for Oct 13th. There will not be a Trunk or Treat event this year. Note – Drive In had to be cancelled due to high wind that night.

VI. New Business:

We could use some additional team members – each person think of a name or two and bring to November meeting.

Try to think of a new winter event for 1st quarter.

VII. Announcements:

A. Next Relationships team meeting is scheduled for Nov 8th in the Reception Room at 7:45pm.

VIII. Adjournment: Thersee closed with Prayer