

Financial Stewardship Minutes

Present: Sue Benson, Ruth Hamlow, Sue Peters

What intrigued you in scripture lately?

Financial Update

- Cash flow down for June '18 although remains positive for year-to-date, due to two large one-time contributions.
- Overall giving slightly down from June '17; expenses up, due mainly to timing of camp payments.
- Total of \$1190 given for the new microphone.
- Laundry Love giving is falling short of the \$200 monthly commitment we have made to Vineyard. Discussed need to promote giving to Laundry Love and reminding folks they can do this but putting money in Children's Offering/watering can or designating gift on check or on envelope.
- Sue B. will have a summary of camp payments/income in August.

Quarterly Report

- Sue B. will get the report to Table and to Sara in office when it is complete.
- We discussed other ways of presenting the information besides having the report available at Connect Table. Maybe an "Ask the Treasurer" session before or after church?

PCI DSS Compliance paperwork

- Signature sheets will be available in the office for people to sign.
- In the future, this needs to be done by July. Sue B. did not get the notice because PCI had wrong email. That has been fixed.
- Ruth will put the paperwork on the annual Financial Stewardship calendar.

Donations for microphone

- More money was donated for the microphone than the \$600 that was asked for.
- Jim Nelson has suggested using the money to purchase a used drum set from John Beck.
- The table thought drums were a good idea, but wondered if the money could go to a better quality microphone or other sound needs first.
- Ruth will talk to Jim about other needs and the drums purchase.

Credit Card reader

- The last time anyone can recall someone using the reader was at Easter and it did not work.
- Sue B. received info about an updated system, but it is more expensive.
- We will discuss at a later meeting.

God's Work, Our Hands

- Bev Mueller and Keri Thoreson are working lining up projects for God's Work, Our Hands.
- We haven't received any suggestions for projects.
- Discussed how to promote more. Mailing? Email?
- Ruth will get an event on the Facebook page and a post asking for more ideas.

Counting

August Rob (may be gone some)

Sept. Sue P.

We'll revisit at next meeting

Next meeting

Possibly week of August 13. Ruth will send a separate email asking what days work for everyone.