

River Table Minutes 1/19/2020

Members present were Pastor Janine, Scott Gross Sand, Kris Hartman, John Paulsen, Leah Pollmann, Sara Shorter and Portia Brandsoy.

Pastor Janine opened the meeting with prayer.

John Paulsen made a motion that Kris Hartman serve as Vice President and Portia Brandsoy serve as Secretary of the River Table. Sara Shorter seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Scott gave an update on the work of the Transition Team. There was a good response to the survey with valuable information collected. Synod staff will assist with completion of the profile to ensure that it gives an accurate description of River of Hope.

Discussion was held on the need for a Chair of the Call Committee as well as members. Each River Table member should suggest 4 or 5 names to serve on the Call Committee at our next meeting.

A date has been set in August for Camp Amnicon and a chaperone is needed. Pastor Janine reported that Lake Shetek Camp has a service learning component in Milwaukee that could be looked into. The camp counselors go with the students as chaperones. River of Hope has had difficulty finding its own chaperones for the Urban Immersion experience in the Twin Cities. The question was raised whether there is a need for River of Hope to have a Faith Development Table.

Pastor Janine reported that the Finance Committee suggested the Lent Offering go to Erin's Kids. We will receive a financial report via email.

Scott invited the River Table members to his home for a Retreat on Sunday, February 23, from 1-4 pm.

In the future, River Table will meet on the second Monday of the month at 6 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Portia Brandsoy