

**MT. LEBANON CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
BOARD MEETING minutes July 15, 2025**

Attendance via Zoom: Jane & John McCarty, Rev **Cindy McClung, Kathy & Tom Spray, Janet Bowers, Chuck Sargent, Cathy Snyder, Mary Jane Webb, Ed Persinger**. Those in bold are Officers whose votes are counted for this meeting.

Meeting opened with prayer by Rev Cindy.

Chuck emailed May Board Minutes to all before this meeting. The minutes were approved.

**Minister's Report:**

- Cindy thanked everybody for our prayers for her since she had been feeling bad
- We had a memorial service for Joy Pajak – June 21<sup>st</sup> and there was one for Duane Ready in Hopwood
- Abby to have baby Thursday. Crawford will be the baby's name.

**Church Clerk:** Cathy Snyder. Membership decreased of 2. (Joy and Duane)

**Financial Secretary:** Kathy Spray – sent income and expenses in email to the board. Some significant donors have passed away. Need to set a balance or think about expenses for the next 6 months. Through end of June Income of \$59,920. Expenses of \$77,975 \$18,054 deficit so far this year and project deficit of over \$29,279 for the whole year.

**Treasurer's Report:** Janet – income and expenses this year is similar to last year with some increase in expenses.

The Officers' reports were approved.

## **Team Reports**

**Christian Education:** Cindy

- Dining Disciples luncheons and dinners will start back up in the fall.

**Diaconate Report: Cindy – need to meet**

Mary Jane, Carol, Bonnie & Laurie continue taking turns setting up communion trays each Sunday.

**Elders – Chuck**

- Meeting delayed until next week
- Mentioned to the board that there are lots of greeting/sympathy cards in the library that anyone can use.

**Ministry & Program Team Report – Cindy, John, Tom as chairman**

- Have not met yet for July 2025-2026 church year
- Need volunteers
- Team will come up with projects or events and get other people to help with projects/events
- Overview so far
  - No plans for fall yet
  - Cathy/Mary Jane did flowers and notes to Kane

- Outreach – collecting food for SHIM
- Pentecost and Anniversary Sunday went well. Butterfly release, lunch and brass band

**Personnel:** With new constitution now includes Cindy, board chair and two Trustees (Dan & Jeff)

- Chuck turned off church PC Sunday and is going to have Edna turn it off when she leaves Fridays since she is not in until Tuesday.
- Having Edna turn off printers every night

**Pastoral Relations Committee:** Will now be 3-year team with one rotating off each year. Tom & Cindy will ask who to have on team.

**Trustees:** Ed Persinger

- Prescott coming for roof repairs next week
- Getting Parsonage ready for sale.
  - Ed contacted agent. We may sell ASIS as much as possible. Ed is reaching out to Howard Hanna Real Estate agent. Is going to drive by house and get back to Ed.
  - Cindy hoping to get all things out this weekend and end of the month for sure.
  - We can start to put it on the market.
  - Our cleaning company is willing to go in and clean.
  - Might want to have carpets cleaned. Tom said he will see what agent says.
  - New gas meter was put in so yard is dug up some. Needs grass planted.
  - They are supposed to pave the street.
  - Cindy giving the refrigerator and stand-up full-size freezer to the church. Guy coming this weekend could move it. We decided to leave them at the parsonage for now. Mower too.
  - Two small freezers need disposed of that are on the side of the church.

**Worship – Cindy**  
No report.

**Old Business:**

- **Constitution & By-Law suggested changes** – approved unanimously
- **Nominating Team** – all nominations were approved unanimously

**New Business** – need to adjust PNC accounts. Regular and Samaritan.

- Regular – Janet and any of the trustees
- Samaritan Fund – Rev Cindy and any of the 6 trustees
- Janet needs to take minutes to PNC along with having each trustee and Cindy go to PNC to sign the forms. Chuck will email short version of the minutes for her to take to PNC.

Rev Cindy closed in prayer.

Respectfully Submitted by Chuck Sargent, Recording Secretary