

Orchard Valley United

Pastoral Care Committee – May 13, 2019

Opening reading and candle lighting: Joy lit the candle and shared a reading; Let Me Walk in Beauty.

Attendance: Vera Burke, Peter Dekker, Linda Draper, Allyson and George Dundee, Vange Leslie, Jean Millett, Noreen MacGregor, Rev Don Sellsted, Joy Waterbury. Regrets: Edna Roach

Minutes & Correspondence & Budget: Minutes of the April meeting were approved as circulated. Email from Gail Gordon in new business. At the April 24 Council meeting, reported PC has spent \$307.00 year to date, with \$693.00 remaining.

Minister's report: Recovered from sickness, Rev Don has returned to hospital and home visits. Busy Lent and Easter season, and now visiting people who have health issues unable to come to church and parents with young families. Participated in the Sri Lanka vigil in Wolfville.

Old Business

Cards sent: 17 cards sent. Rev Don would like the opportunity to send a note in cards sent out before mailing. Joy will speak to Edna

Review of visitation list: Shared updates on folks we visit and reviewed the list.

You've Got a Friend: Report next meeting

KP2P Schedule: May 19 – Peter, May 26- Linda, June 2 – Jean, June 9 – Joy, June 16 – Peter to be confirmed, June 23 – Linda, June 30 – Joy

Shawl Ministry: 7 given out

Spirit Yoga: No report

Visit Sheets: Passed in

New Business

Senior Worship: Peter and Joy led the Shannex service. Vera attended the Kings Riverside service. Wonderful when Rev Don writes the service.

Death Cafe Request: Gail Gordon sent an email requesting the committee include in our palliative booklets, a checklist on estate planning and management. In our June meeting, we will attempt to have Gail and Garth Gordon clarify this subject before making a decision.

Prayer Circle: Rev Don led us in a closing prayer

Next Meeting and Adjournment: Next meeting will be one week earlier – June 3, 2019 at 9:00. Meeting adjourned at 10:00.

Respectfully submitted, Noreen MacGregor