

DEACON'S MEETING 04-14-09

The April meeting of Deacons was called to order by chairperson, Teresa Gowler

Devotions were given by Jenny Bromley.

Members present: Laurinda Pool, Bob Boyce, Nancy Shinn, Joy Frazier, Maurice Hibbard, Jenny Bromley, Gary Dillon, Debbie Brown, Eef Fontanez.

New members, Sherry Lemaster and Tom Frazier were welcomed to the group and thanked for their willingness to serve. Another new member, Nora Ruth Jenkins was unable to attend. Tom will be on the membership Comm. Sherry and Nora Ruth on Nurture and Care. Jenny will add new members to the Google list.

March minutes were approved as presented. We are in need of two more members. Hopefully all will be praying and looking for new members.

Committee reports were given:

Nurture and Care had some concerns:

Many to be kept in our prayers—Hamby Kemp, Dorothy Tredinnick, Bob Berger is to have knee surgery soon, Jean Huffman will soon be leaving The Terrace and going to another facility and may need transportation to church. Maurice is making arrangements for transportation from other facilities and possibly this can be incorporated into that service. Kent gave a report on John Courter who is doing well and doesn't need assistance presently.

April's potluck will be on the 26th. Debbie is in charge with assistance from Maurice, Eef & Bob.

The subject of a Parrish Life Committee was discussed with the possibility of dividing deacons into 2 groups:

One group might be responsible for potlucks/kitchen management/lemonade on the porch Also congregational life.

Getting new people to join the church would remain with deacons.

Teresa will bring it up to Gen. Comm. which meets 4/20/09.

Wednesday Night Live and nursery staffing may have to be altered as to what committee will be handling them.

This would probably be on a 1yr. trial basis, and would not start until August or September.

All should give it careful consideration before next meeting.

Debbie reported that the earphones for taping are sometimes missing on Sun mornings. It was Suggested that they be locked up. She will ask Joan to order some new cassettes.

Respectfully submitted,

Joy Frazier

