

Paynesville Lutheran Church Council  
Meeting Minutes  
June 12, 2016

Members Present: Pastor Paul Shumaker, President Dave Mutschelknaus, Marlene Theel, Viola Bengtson, Mel Evans, Lindsey Albright

Members Absent: Pastor Adam Butler, Dave Ampe, and Janell Moburg

President Dave Mutschelknaus called the June council meeting to order

- Approval of the May council meeting minutes were reviewed and approved as written. m/s/p Marlene Theel/Lindsey Albright
- Approval of the May financial report was reviewed and approved. m/s/p Marlene Theel/Viola Bengtson

**Staff Reports:**

Oral report from Pastor Paul Shumaker was presented and discussed

**Board Reports:**

- Trustees: Representative not present – no action items to be discussed as full council
- Youth and Family: No action items to be discussed as full council
- Deacons: No action items to be discussed as full council
- Executive: No action items to be discussed as full council

**Old Business:**

- The Capital Improvements Committee will be meeting at a further date, and we will continue our conversation as a council.
- We will also continue the conversation of our mortgage overage at an executive meeting to be held June 22, 2016

**New Business:**

- The July Calendar was reviewed and approved
- As a church council we have agreed to move \$2,000.00 from the Building use fee to the operating fund. m/s/p Pastor Paul Shumaker/Mel Evans
- An Executive council meeting is set for Wednesday June 22, 2016 to better discuss the options we have at paying off the mortgage, and updates that need to be done to the building.
- Following the Stewardship Conference Pastor Paul and Kari had attended we had discussed what stewardship means and how it is perceived. With intentions of showing others the many meanings that stewardship can have to the congregation.

**Upcoming Dates:**

- Mission Trip: June 12<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>
- God's Work our Hands: Sunday September 11, 2016

**Next Meetings:**

- Board/Executive Boards will meet as determined by each board
- Church Council will meet on Sunday July 17, 2016 following worship at 9:30

The meeting was adjourned by President Dave Mutschelknaus and followed by the Lord's Prayer

Respectfully Submitted by,  
Lindsey Albright  
Paynesville Lutheran Church Council Secretary