CASTILE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

 CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

 July 24, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Moderator Dennis Miller at 11:00 AM.

There was an opening prayer by TP Tammy Lathan.

There were 26 present.

The minutes of the May 22, 2022 Church Council meeting were read. Motion was made by Marlene Loomis and seconded by Mary Reagan to approve the May 22, 2022 minutes as written. Motion was carried.

The following reports were given:

Temporary Pastor: Tammy Lathan

Church Treasurer: Beth Pond

Financial Secretary: Cindy Feroleto

Board of Elders: Larry Rogers

Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds: Greg VanSlyke

Christian World Missions Committee: Debbie Beeman

Missions Treasurer: Mary Reagan

SERRV Treasurer: Mary Reagan

Food Pantry: Sally Bliss

Women’s Fellowship: Marcy VanZandt

Women’s Fellowship Treasurer: Cindy Feroleto

NY Conference Delegate: Mary Reagan

Motion was made by Larry Rogers, seconded by Steve Meyer to accept all reports as given. Motion was carried.

**Old Business:** none

**New Business:**

**Buildings & Grounds:** Several needed building repairs have been completed by Greg VanSlyke and Jim Loomis.

**Vacation:** TP Tammy will be on vacation the end of September to the beginning of October. She has asked Sue Russell to be the worship leader on October 2.

**Summer Brunches**: Motion was made by TP Tammy Lathan, seconded by Barb Meyer that we do not host a brunch in August 2022 and from here forward do not host brunches in July and August. Motion was carried.

**Decorating Committee**: It is not in the job description of the Administrative Coordinator to do the decorating of the church as the seasons change, therefore we need a committee to be in charge of this church activity in the future. Motion was made by Marlene Loomis, seconded by Dawn Miller to form a Decorating Committee. This committee will hopefully be formed and active by 2023. Motion was carried.

**Sanctuary & Office Carpeting:** Several concerns have been expressed about the sanctuary carpeting. It has been in place almost 40 years and needs replacing. The Trustees feel this is a real need and have looked into the cost of this project. Our first bid is $14,351 which includes removal and disposal of carpet in the sanctuary, installation of new carpet in the sanctuary and the church offices. The trustees will secure a second bid for this project. Motion was made by Mary Reagan, seconded by Barb Meyer that after securing the second bid, the Trustees should make the decision on which supplier to use for this project. Motion was carried.

**Office Hours**: TP Tammy has requested an increase in her office hours. Motion was made by Larry Rogers, seconded by Chuck Klein to increase Tammy’s office hours by 4 hours a week starting September 1. She will work Wednesdays 8-12 along with Tuesdays and Thursdays. Motion was carried.

The next church council meeting will be on October 23, 2022 immediately following the church service.

Motion was made by Steve Meyer, seconded by Marlene Loomis to adjourn. Motion was carried. Meeting adjourned at 11:49 AM with the Lord’s Prayer led by TP Tammy Lathan.

Respectfully submitted,

Cindy Feroleto – Church Clerk