

Worship Committee Meeting 10/31/23

Attending: Enno Limvere, Ann Russ, Bruce Tyler, Jenny Delfs (we missed you, Linda Noble)

Assign Recorder -Delfs

Notes from Last Meeting – available on website/in office

Ongoing Activities:

1. Sound System/Recording for zoom broadcast and recording Sundays is going well. Nice to have Nina join so there are more people available to do these tasks on any given Sunday. Thanks to Kileen for pitching in on camera last Sunday. One Sunday the main mike got turned off but recording okish through camera.
2. Music
 - a. Choir – good song selection, participation, choir magic
 - b. Special Music- Musician John Kern who provided music for worship in Oct will return January 21st.
 - c. Doxology- Linda will head up when we change up the tune and will communicate tune to the musicians.
3. Sign-ups of Lay Leadership – still not as robust as hoped. Some Sundays have no sign ups but last-minute people on hand pitch in. Paper clipboard sign up and web-based sign up available.
 - a. Discuss moving sign-up survey monkey to an easier place to find on the web site and keeping the next date up top. Some folk struggling with the online sign up.
 - b. Discussed having clip board up front at Sunday announcement time and passing it round.
 - c. Consider a set rotation of willing folks instead of current system – Item to discuss at annual meeting.
4. Worship Planning
 - a. Special Services/Holidays/Lifting Up
 - i. Nov 20 Day of Transgender Remembrance Service
6pm
 - ii. Nov 5 All Saints Day will add candle lighting time to service.
 - iii. Advent
 1. Jenny will prepare the Advent wreath/candles for sanctuary/banners.
 2. Building and Grounds will create outdoor wreath – need signs to identify each tree: Hope. Love. Joy. Peace. Christ - to show what it is Plan to light in order this year.
 3. Plan just one service for Xmas Eve (falls on a Sunday) – Evening preferred. Think about a morning social time or other activity ...

4. Blue Xmas 12/17 afternoon

5. New Business:

1. Music for November 5th – no keyboard musician available. Enno has a last request out to Scott? (organist playing with Borealis) - no answer yet. Ann will fill in if he isn't available.
2. Jenny and Bruce will set up communion 11/12

Adjourn Meeting