

Starmount Fellowship Committee Meeting Minutes

March 5, 2017 / 7PM

Fellowship's Objective: Provide opportunities for people to build community with each other and God

Present were: Richard Porter, Matt Winters, Karen Smith, Carollynn, and Rev. Dr. Katheryn Campbell as staff liaison.

Opening Prayer: Matt Winters

- **Old Business:** It was decided that installing a 220 outlet in the fellowship Hall/Dining room would be too expensive at this time. We will continue to utilize the warming closet as before.
- **2019 Goals:** The Executive Committee is asking each committee to develop two to three measurable goals for 2019.
 - Fellowship's goal is to build relationships within the church. One of our 2019 measurable goals will be: Including a "getting to know your neighbor" activity at >75% of remaining 2019 events. We will assess as a group the effectiveness the activity during the following month's meeting. Long term, we will assess effectiveness through repetitive attendance and growth of diversity.
 - A second 2019 goal of the Fellowship committee is to identify and cultivate talents of Starmount folks through fellowship events to potentially be shared in future church events including worship.
- **Monthly budget review:** A new form was developed detailing responsibilities of volunteers and costs per event. Attendance has been up for the past three events for this year.
- **Upcoming events:**
 - **Spring Wonderful Wednesday Series:**
 - **March 27:** First of Starmount Celebrities series. The meal will be 3 Soups, chili, potato and chicken noodle with salad and rolls (Chicken Nuggets and Fries for children). Program will be two speakers on how their faith has influenced their careers.
 - **April 3:** Second of Starmount has Stars series. The meal will be a potato bar, with toppings. Chicken nuggets and Fries for children. With two more guest speakers.
 - **April 10:** Last of the Starmount has Stars Series. The meal will be a Taco bar. There will be two guest speakers.

- Fun Fridays: Due to the Wonderful Wednesday Series there will be no Fun Friday event for April.
- **May 3;** Fun Friday- Grasshoppers Baseball Game
- **Summer events will be announced later.** Plans are being made for Lawn movie/picnic, barbeque, wine tasting/education, and a possible scavenger hunt.

Closing prayer

Next Meeting: Scheduled for April 2 at 7PM

Fellowships goal: to provide year-around, intergenerational and multicultural opportunities for socializing, play, and building Christ-like relationships with in a safe and nurturing environment.

Respectfully submitted,
Carollynn Campbell