

SPC Worship & Music Minutes

March 12, 2019

Committee Members (Present in **BOLD**): David Buchanan, Cynthia Dixon, **Connie Fowler**, April Hamilton, **Doreen Heard**, Kris Kattmann, **Susan Preston**, **Karen Smith**, **Parks Williams**, **Matt Winters**

Staff: **Charlie Lee**, **Bob Overman**

Opening Prayer – Connie Fowler

Worship Support Teams

- **Communion:**

- Next communion on April 7; the class of 2019 will serve.
- Communion on April 18 (Maundy Thursday), (Intinction by loaf); followed by lunch. Parks will contact Jason's Deli for a light lunch.
- Easter Sunrise Service - the staff, Charlie, Kathryn, and Bob, are planning this service.
- Communion on April 21 (Easter Sunday): There will be a need for at least 16 elders.
- Intinction – one loaf per section or a half loaf per section – in the future, when we serve the congregation totally gluten free bread by intinction, three loaves will be made with a half loaf per section and one loaf for the ministers to break as well as use for backup.

- **Worship & Sanctuary Enhancements**

- Replacement of blinds next to audio booth has been referred to B&G.

- **Scripture Readers**

- Readers for April – need at least one

- **Sound & Video**

- Update on Audio & Light equipment install – everything is ready to be streamed to the Fellowship Hall during Bach's Lunch. Bob will test it on Sunday, March 17.
- Ushers will once again start using the microphones during Concerns and Celebrations. The ushers will be asked to try to avoid the popping sound in handing the mics to members. Parks also brought up that the bases on each of the mics are breaking. He will contact the ushers about each issue.

- **Ushers & Acolytes**

- **Flowers**

- **Music**

- Bach's Lunch – March 18-22 – In order to properly tune the piano and organ, Bob will adjust the heat 24-48 hours before the instruments are tuned. The piano will be tuned on March 14 and the organ will be tuned on March 15.
- "Come to the Cross and Remember" by Pepper Choplin – April 18 at Jamestown, April 19 at Starmount. Pepper Choplin will be with the choirs on April 6 for the rehearsal from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. By common consent, the committee approved the cost of \$600 plus travel from Raleigh. Final dress rehearsal will be held on April 17 at Jamestown Church.
- Bob will also be taking pictures at the Spring Festival on April 20.

- **Other Business**

- Baptism and Communion on the same Sunday – Charlie asked if Starmount has celebrated both sacraments on the same Sunday. The committee was told that we have done so in the past. Charlie also told the committee that this would be an excellent time to preach on the sacraments.
- Refugee children during worship – In a meeting with Neil Huffman and Laura Roberson, Charlie stated there is a concern that these children are not supervised during worship. Neil and Laura have tried to supervise them in the worship service, but they need help particularly since one or both may need to be away. It is particularly needed on Communion Sunday when K-2nd grade stays for communion instead of going to Children's Church. It was suggested that the policy of keeping these children in the worship service be revisited with the Faith Formation Committee and Laura. Parks will contact Susan Porter and Laura Roberson.
- Matt brought up from the Committee Chair meeting that each committee needs to establish 2-3 goals for the year. This will be discussed at our next meeting.
- Matt also brought up the need to be more creative in the worship service that we might offer to the community. This, too, will be discussed at the April meeting.

Closing Prayer – Parks Williams

Next Meeting: April 9, 2019

Opening Prayer for April – Matt Winters

Closing Prayer for April – Connie Fowler

Approved Communion Schedule 2019

February 2019 through January 2020:

February 3,

March 3,

April 7,

April 18 (Maundy Thursday), (Intinction by loaf)

April 21 (Easter Sunday),

May 5,

June 2, (Confirmation Sunday), (Intinction pre-cut bread)

July 7,

August 4,

September 1,

October 6, (World Communion Sunday), (Intinction pre-cut bread)

November 3,

December 1,

December 24 (Christmas Eve), (Intinction by loaf)

January 5, 2020.

(Communion will be served "seated" unless otherwise indicated)

Special Services

All-Church Family Retreat.

February Retreat for the Women of the Church (Feb. 22-24)

May Men's Golf event

The Caring Committee will offer communion to sick, homebound, and facility residents.

Each of these observances will have a worship service where Scripture is read, the proclamation is made, prayer is offered, and two elders will be present.