Worship & Music Committee meeting online: via Zoom Oct. 4, 2022

Present: Sherry Scheider, Pastor Scott, Carolyn Ciaccio, Linda Longardner, and Susie Smalley

Pastor opened the meeting with a reading from 1John and a prayer.

Old Business:

† <u>flower chart</u>:

The flower chart was filled in with names/sponsors every Sunday in September, and so far, has three Sundays in October filled and all but the last Sunday in November filled.

Sherry wonders if we should continue as is (to only order flowers if people have signed up for that particular day), to go back to just providing flowers on certain festival Sundays, or go to ordering *every* Sunday (regardless of whether someone has signed up, and ask the Finance Committee if the church would cover it).

Pastor suggested we continue to put up the flower chart (that includes every Sunday), like we have been as of late, and simply <mark>highlight</mark> the special festival Sundays, hoping to draw attention to those Sundays.

It was decided to do what Pastor suggested.

- † substitute accompanist: Marti Bein will substitute again for Linda on Oct. 23
- † <u>Journey to Baptism</u>: Ainsley Nitz, Kevin and Vicki's granddaughter, began her journey to baptism on Sept. 25. She will be baptized on All Saints Sunday.

New Business:

† <u>setting changes</u>:

We will continue with the same setting as we used in Season of Creation, minus the Kyrie, through Nov. 20, 2022. We will then switch to setting 7 starting Nov. 27 (1st Advent) and continue with this setting through Transfiguration Sunday (Feb. 19, 2023).

* Reformation Sunday (Oct. 30, 2022) & All Saints Sunday (Nov. 6, 2022):

Sherry will order a cake for both Reformation and All Saints Sunday.

Reformation Sunday: Luther's Seal banner, red paraments, and gold swags will be put up in the sanctuary

There will be a baptism on All Saints Sunday: Ainsley Janet Nitz. Sherry will put Ainsley's name on the baptism banner and hang that up in the sanctuary, Susie will fill in the Baptismal Certificate in calligraphy for Ainsley.

† <u>Thanksgiving Eve (Nov. 23, 2022)</u>: Pastors Scott and Dan (from Alpine Lutheran) decided to again do a combined Thanksgiving Eve service. This year, the service will be at 7pm at Alpine Lutheran. Susie will contact Richard Dowling regarding combined choir/bell choir opportunities.

Meeting was closed with prayer.

Next meeting: Tuesday, Nov. 1, 2022 at 1pm, via Zoom

Respectfully Submitted, Susie Smalley