KAIROS FEBRUARY MEETING MINUTES (Feb 15, 2020)

Attending

Michael Scott, Bill Donoho, Melissa Noble (Kairos Outside), Jeff Sommers, Hugh Johnson, George Fulwider, Rob Roberts, Tim Cornett, Brian McKee, Tim Morganstern, Bill Shepherd, and Jim Hawley

Devotion

Jim Hawley – True Spirituality – Chip Ingram – becoming a Romans 12 person. Great Book, hard hitting – check it out, it will change your life!

January Meeting Minutes

Motion to accept the minutes made by Hugh, seconded by Tim – all approved

Financial Report – Hugh Johnson

Donations in January were $1392.89, so now we have $9066.72 in the bank. Special Donations ~25 came in for Ambers Wilson totaling over $2000.

Ongoing Ministry

Attendance is down due to bad weather, competing programs, not having treats, but the quality is great. Hopefully the one-day retreat will bolster attendance.

One Day Retreat

We have over 60 signed up for Feb 22 retreat. We have the right number of volunteers. Training meeting is Friday the 21st. Need volunteers to go early to the prison - be there at 7:00. Inside team is set up. It will be a low-key event and easy to participate. Brian McKee will pray about being the next Retreat leader in the summer.

Kairos 40

Have 40 team members and 8 clergy. Bill has 6 new people on the team. Conflict with 3rd Sat (both K40 and Council mtg) so we’ll move the Council Mtg to 3-28. Harmony Baptist Church will host the Saturday meeting. We are trying a new fundraiser - donation by selling $5 meal tickets. Send a note to all volunteers to encourage others to sell meal tickets

* Motion made to request $5200 cash advance for K40 – motion passed
* Motion made to send Bethany $500 – motion passed

LCRB meeting

Tim, Rob, George, and Hugh will attend. They’ll make sure to ask the Warden if food and beverages will ever be allowed back in the prison.

Outreach and Recruiting – Bill Shepherd

Bill reminded us that everyone is on the recruiting committee. Michael Scott will write an article to the community encouraging them to recruit

Communications

Mike is building a Kairos Calendar to be present on the Website. He also included Hugh’s “History of Kairos”

Ambers Wilson Memorial

The response of memorials for Ambers passing has been overwhelming! We have received over 25 donations totaling over $2000. The Council has sent thank you cards to all the contributors with special thanks to Bill Shepherd for writing messages on each card. The council suggests purchasing a new sound system for weekends. We are testing a system on K40. It is really a “God Wink” that the cost of this new system is almost exactly what we gained from Amber’s memorials. Praise be to God!

Torch Start-up – Jim Hawley

Unfortunately, the detention center in JC is only a holding facility. Seldom is anyone there more than a day. The director suggested talking with the detention center in Knoxville. Passed this information along to Sandy Hagen in Knoxville.

Ezra directory clean-up

A team has been working on the 13 pages of Ezra directory. Glenn Rannick, Rob Roberts, Jim Hawley, George Fulwider, Hugh Johnson have split up the task and will meet in a few weeks to review and come up with a new directory.

Sound System for the Prison

Tim Cornett did a fabulous job to find an alternative for better hearing of the speakers during the weekend. Through Kates in JC, the recommendation was made to purchase 2 speaker systems at ~$1000 each. We’ll rent a system to test for the 1 day retreat ($160) which can be applied towards the purchase of systems for K40. It is very exciting to have improved sound systems for all attendees.

Old Business

* New leaders – no new recommendations – Melissa suggests forming a sub-committee to find new leaders – Perhaps use clergy to
* New council members – see above

New Business

Council objectives – Top 3

* New Leaders – put this topic on the agenda for K40 – form a committee of pastors to recruit leaders
* Clean up Ezra Directory – see plan above
* Establish 1 day retreat as a biannual event – we’ll make it happen

Prayer Requests

* K40
* New Leaders
* Melissa’s brother is close to end of life and his wife has cancer
* Richard Beets and wife Marti have health concerns – needing our prayers
* Elgin needs a job