

**IUCC Ministries Board
Meeting August 8, 2016
Minutes**

Attendance:

Officers: Ken Wyant, Chair; Peggy Goetz, Clerk.

Ministries and Committee Chairs: Felicity Figueroa, Mission and Service; August Lobato, Fellowship; Jim Aynes, Adult Programs; Suellen Rowe, Music; Nancy Dreckman, communication; Eric Burley, technology; Tommie Kozlov, New Member Development; Jessie Billings, Young People's Ministry; Barb Carse, Congregational Care.

Staff: Paul Tellstrom, Senior Pastor; Steve Swope, Adult Education; Sarah Fiske-Phillips, Young People.

Visitors: Tricia Aynes, Judy Curry, Howard Emery.

Meeting called to order at 7:02 pm by Ken Wyant in Plumer Hall. He offered a reading from Genesis.

Minutes: Corrected minutes of June 13 meeting approved.

Calendar Review and Highlights: Tommie Kozlov recorded changes and additions and will be given to Michael Spindle.

Creation Justice (Green Faith) Team Report: Howard Emery and Judy Curry reported that in the coming three months presentations to all ministries will be made to explain how Creation Justice issues can affect individual ministries. Congregation should be made aware that Creation Justice falls under Advocacy and that there is a suggestion box in the narthex for green faith ideas.

Reports: Pastor's report, staff reports, moderator's report and ministries reports attached.

New Business

Communication: Ashley Herndon was unanimously approved as new co-chair of Communications Ministry.

Announcements and Other Topics:

- Budget packets will be provided to ministries chairs soon.
- Appreciation extended to Pat Sauter and Tommie Kazlov for work on setting up and cleaning up for events. Ken reminded the group that cleanup is everyone's responsibility.
- Felicity Figueroa announced that the Black Lives Matter Solidarity March Aug 13 will leave from the Los Olivos Shopping Center.
- Steve Swope reported that Eric Handler will speak at the joint Thanksgiving service with University Synagogue to be held at IUCC . He also announced that the second an-

nual Faith and Work Conference will be Sept. 23 and 24 featuring Justin Lee and will focus on the Open and Affirming movement.

- Midweek Salons will begin Sept. 14.

- Eric Burley discussed questions about the web site.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:58 pm. Closing prayer offered by Paul Tellstrom.

Submitted by Peggy Goetz, Clerk