

Summary of CCG Council Meeting Thursday, October 21, 2021

Below are the highlights from our Zoom Council Meeting:

- We were saddened to receive David Soy's resignation letter in which he resigned from Council as both the Anglican Synod Representative and the Social/Fun liaison contact. We wish him luck with the projects he is involved with and will be looking for someone to replace him on Council.
- Council approved the reopening of the CCG building subject to the following contingencies:
 - Plan for hybrid worship
 - Implementation of COVID protocols
 - Workable cleaning/disinfection procedures
 - Formation of an ad hoc committee to develop and implement the contingencies; volunteers to include Mona (WC), Karen, Loretta (B&G), Personnel Committee (cleaner)
- With the reopening of the church we will be contacting Dave Tychrob from the Arts Council and the McConnell family re future plans to use the church.
- The Anglican Diocese has requested that all parish priests receive a week of paid leave and Council approved this for Karen. A similar request was received for respite for wardens considering the demands of the pandemic. It was decided that after Christmas, Council take a month off from their monthly meetings.
- The Christmas Bazaar is a "go!" Council approved funds raised from the Christmas Bazaar to be distributed as follows: 80% to PHC, and 20% to the Gabriola Elementary School P.A.C.
- Lisa gave us a detailed analysis of the future financial picture of CCG, and reiterated the Finance Committee's call for urgency regarding the need for a stewardship campaign.
- The Worship committee would like to especially thank Gar, Loretta, Don M and Jacqui for installing the cabling which improves the sound system.
- Karen informed Council of her decision to move to Nanaimo/Parksville area in February or June of 2022, and her commitment to continuing to be our CCG minister.
- Major upgrades to the building are completed; some exterior painting re window trim is slated to occur in the spring of 2022.
- Hilary and Loretta are to consider social media postings to draw attention to our Zoom Worship services.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Schultze
Rotating Chairperson.