

ULC Worship Ministry Minutes

January 3, 6:30 p.m.

Present: Jill Granlund, Claire Granlund, Sara Bryan, Allen Keniston, Pastor Lori Ruge-Jones, Andrea Gapko, Suzie Slota

1. Carol Rudd, Jill Granlund, and Pastor Lori spent a couple hours cleaning the choir room this past week. Found several boxes of unused hymnals (of various kinds) in the sacristy closet – these have been moved to the choir room for now; this ministry will decide the fate of these hymnals at next month's meeting [Feb 7 at 6:30pm]. [Julie: please include hymnal decision on the February agenda.]
 - Further inventory in choir room is needed: of all the music, particularly. Andrea volunteered to help Jill with that project.
 - We all walked over to the choir room so Jill could show us what had been done so far.
 - Andrea will compare the hymn index in WOV with the one in ELW to help determine if there's any reason to keep all our (100 or more) copies of WOV. Yes, in past summers that's the book we've used, but perhaps we could use ELW in the summer.
2. Pastor Lori requested permission to purchase the copyright for some music she'd like to use. Permission granted by the ministry members.
3. Preliminary discussion of Lent and Holy Week services. We have combined services with Newman Parish on Ash Wednesday at 12:10, 5pm, and 6pm; on Good Friday at 12:10pm.
4. The Eau Claire Marathon will be held on Sunday, May 7th, this year. The route will go right in front of the ERC. We were given advanced notice, and Newman has chosen not to hold services here that day. Shall we do the same? Join in with another congregation that day? Meet elsewhere? This is another item for our February agenda.

Submitted by Sara Bryan