

Women of Trinity's March Board Meeting Report to Church Council

World Day of Prayer, sponsored locally by Church Women United (CWU) was on March 6, 2009. The service was held at the Camp Hill Presbyterian Church, six of our members attended. CWU said they would include us on their mailings.

Elizabeth Winters reported on the preparation for the Lower Susquehanna Synodical Women's Organization of the ELCA Convention being held at Trinity June 26 and 27, 2009. Housing may be needed for those out-of-town attendees. The cost to attend is \$35 for two days and \$25 for a one day registration (early bird registration). Bishop Hoover will be there Friday afternoon for a question and answer session and will be leading a church service on Saturday.

Jane Hess, Treasurer, reported that our collections received from our meetings are down again this month. Our balance on hand as of January 31 was \$3,875.74. She reminded us that we do send the Women of the ELCA \$100.00 each month for their programs.

Pat Eby, Jane Hess and Connie Dollase attended the Church Leadership Retreat held at Trinity.

A motion was passed to purchase tulips for the home bound.

Bert Weaver reported that Trinity's web site has links to various devotionals for individuals' use.

Jane Hess, Charlotte Lazarchik, Judy Collins and Elizabeth Winters served on the nominating committee with Connie Dollase to select board members for next year.

Pat Eby, Charlotte Lazarchik, Bunny Armstrong and Christopher Couch have agreed to update our bylaws so that they comply with those of the Women of the ELCA model.

The committees reported:

There were four requests for a 24 hour prayer vigil in the past month.

Joy Snyder reported that the Vicar will be the guest speaker at our May General Meeting. This will be a pot luck and all are invited to attend. Board members will bring the meat dishes.

About 20 people were prayed for in the Intercessory Prayer group.

Carolyn Jones reported that 18 attended the Sewing Project in February and they completed 1 large quilt and three baby quilts.

A meeting will be held on March 29, 2009 for the visitation volunteers with Bishop Edmiston as the speaker.

The next Pot Luck for new members will be May 31.

Circle attendance was down again this month.

Carol Sundy reported that she sent 46 cards in January and February. They included get well, sympathy, home-bound birthday, and staff birthday cards.

Submitted by Pat Eby, President