

MISSIONS Minutes – 05.11.22
7:00 PM -

Opening Prayer – Pastor Liz opened with prayer

Attending- **Pastor Liz, Mary Ellen Hettinger, Janis Martinez, Patty Wilson, visiting Pastor Jennifer**

Review and approve minutes -March 2022 -approved by Janet-2nd by Janis

Pastor Liz -updates-later in meeting

Tree 4 Hope/Chica Bean Visit

Pastor Jennifer, David and Abby from **Chica Bean** will be in attendance @ Trinity May Fair May 15th with **Chica Bean Coffee** for sampling and sale. We will also be serving Chica Bean Coffee @ GOE in May for members to try and find out about Chica Bean.

Missions Guatemala/Tree 4 Hope -Report from **Janis Martinez**

Hope Academy-Reopening slowly-with covid precautions. Still limited access to many needed items. Teachers have been processing packets each week for the student's schoolwork. Plans for possible collaboration preschool between Hope Academy and US preschools possibly Trinity Preschool/Texas preschools. They are looking for English teachers. Also still collecting specifically IPADs

Missions Publicity – **Joyce Roy** -not present

Mission Projects-Ongoing

Sewing Ministry- **Carol Crowe**-not present but thanks for masks sent to Guatemala

Missions Finance-

Old business

Lenten Giving Program- Successful again this year sponsored YAGM program 2022-
Pastor Liz gave a video Mission Moment on the program

Armed Forces Day/ELCA Chaplaincy -deferred till May 2023

New business

Mission Partners

YAGM -Sponsor/summer visit

Mission Team voted to sponsor **Quentin Bernard** who is from New Tripoli and Muhlenberg College who will be serving in Senegal. Pastor Liz will be in contact with him for plans for a summer visit and team will be planning for that visit and plans for supporting him during his service year.

Missionary Partner - **Rev Dr. Jeffery Truscott**-summer visit

Contacting on possible dates for Rev Truscott visit

Update June 2022-schedules between Rev Truscott schedule and Trinity events-i.e. VBS, sermon schedules, Pastor Liz sabbatical etc. did not allow for a weekend/Sunday visit from Pastor Truscott this summer. Will plan to coordinate a visit at a later date when he is back in the states.

Thinking Ahead

World Hunger – Aug 2022 -will need envelopes and then people to place in pews

Bread Sale – July 30/31

Donation tables / sales Saturday/Sunday-team members and volunteers needed for the table

September-Fair/Faith Formation- Mary Ellen will get with Moses and Pastor Liz on this team

Keep in mind following events

November-Giving Tree Nov 12-13 thru Dec 4th

Good Gifts- Nov 17-December

Other business/Comments for the Good of the Order

Adjournment - Lord's Prayer

Next meeting: July 20, 2022 -7 pm Rm 122