



**Council Meeting  
Monday, November 21, 2022**

We did not have a structured meeting in November. Instead, council met at the Remfert's home for a shrimp boil, and met our Capital Campaign consultants, Brenda Moore and Nick Tofteland.

**Treasurer's Report and Finance Team Update**

<b>Financial Health as of October 31, 2022</b>	<b>October 2022 Budget</b>	<b>October 2022 Actual</b>
Revenue	\$52,462	\$43,036
Expenses	\$49,206	\$56,335
Revenue - Expenses	\$3,256	-\$13,299

**Pastor Ben's Report**

- We have started our work with Brenda Moore & Associates to prepare for a possible capital campaign. Pat Remfert and Nate Smithson will be co-chairs of this project.
- We have scheduled our three workshops with Station 19 Architects: November 22: Listening Session, December 8<sup>th</sup>: Workshop 1, and January 5<sup>th</sup>: Workshop 2.
- The nominating committee is in the midst of their discernment work. They are doing a great job raising up leaders for next year at HTLC!
- We celebrated 16 students being confirmed. Thank you to Jackie Lee and Tanya Jacobson for serving as mentors to this group!
- Christmas Schedule:
  - December 18<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm: Blue Christmas Service
  - December 21<sup>st</sup> @ 6 pm: Family Christmas Service
  - December 24<sup>th</sup> @ 2 pm, 4 pm, and 10 pm: Christmas Eve Service
  - December 25<sup>th</sup> @ 9 am: Christmas Hymn sing

**Pastor Alicia's Report**

- We are beginning preparations for our Annual Summit Celebration for Sunday, January 22. There will be a pre-meeting Sunday, January 15<sup>th</sup>
- We have 97 pledges turned in with a goal of meeting or exceeding last year's 124 household pledges. There is still time to turn in your estimate of giving card!

- *Mission/Outreach*: At the October meeting, Council approved the \$1,000 Confirmation Giving Challenge. The Confirmation teams presented to the Mission Outreach committee; the committee decided to support *Feed My Starving Children*.
- The Constitution team (Tim Miller, Luke Friendshuh, Jackie Mackenthun, and Pastor Alicia) submitted their initial drafted constitution to the synod.

**Next Meeting:** December 12, 2022 at 6:30 pm