

W.A.I.C.C. CLERGY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Thursday, January 13th, 2005

St. John's Anglican Church

Present: Roger Prentice, John Gahan, Russell Elliott, Barry Morrison, Robyn Brown-Hewitt, David Ogilvie, Cathy Lee Cunningham, Audrey Lounder

Regrets: M.R. Cherry, Ginni Cookman

Cathy Lee opened the meeting with a check in and a time of sharing.

The business began at 10:40 a.m.

- 1) WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2005: The W.A.I.C.C. ecumenical service will be hosted by St. John's Anglican Church on Sunday, January 30th at 7:30 p.m. this year. Cathy Lee will have the details of the service for the 30th done next week and she will assign and distribute to the group.
- 2) Atlantic Ecumenical Council Annual Meeting: Roger Prentice will attend the next subcommittee meeting. The AEC meeting will be held at Acadia and will use the Manning Chapel for worship and for the meeting and workshops.
- 3) LENTEN STUDY: It has been decided that the plans for using Finding God in the Dark were a bit ambitious for this year. John will be hosting the author at St. Francis on February 14th. John is still working on the details and will let us know when the weekly meetings will be. It was agreed that it would be a good idea to gather all of the Lenten Studies information from all of the churches into one bulletin that could be shared and to encourage those who cannot attend a study in their home congregation to participate in one at another time in another congregation. Cathy Lee has agreed to publish. Have the information on Lenten Studies only to her by Monday January 17th.
- 4) WALK WITH THE CROSS: Easter is early this year with Good Friday on March 25th. Robyn will contact Ingrid to see if the walk will go ahead this year or if the uncertain weather in March is a factor. The walk this year will end at St. Francis at 1:30 if it goes ahead.
- 5) TIME FOR CAREGIVERS: Application for funding has been made and the subcommittee is waiting to hear from New Horizons.
- 6) CLERGY RETREAT: Discussion about the spring Clergy Retreat is ongoing. Audrey is leaving on April 30th. If we hold the retreat before May, Cherry's cottage may not be available. We could hold the retreat April 25th at a different location. Robyn offered her home on the North Mountain.

Cathy Lee adjourned the meeting at 11:10

NEXT MEETING: 9: 30 a.m., Thursday, February 17, 2005 at St. Andrew's United Church.