Minutes, UUFLG Board of Trustees Meeting, May 12, 2022

This meeting of the UUFLG Board of Trustees was called to order at 7:05 by video conference.

Present:

Karen O'Brien (president)

Lynn Golbetz (secretary)

Rick Roberts (treasurer)

Lauri Feetham (trustee at large)

Donna Brewer

Julie Matthews

Linda Osborne

Laurie Roberts

The board approved the minutes for the Apr. 20, 2022, meeting.

COVID

The COVID Task Force recommends no changes at this time. If current trends continue, the next consideration will be whether we can safely continue singing in person with masks.

Finance

The board reviewed the financial materials circulated by Julie prior to the meeting.

In response to member requests for more financial transparency, the Finance Committee will briefly review the numbers and issues at the annual meeting prior to the vote on the budget. We should also take opportunities to remind members that they are welcome to attend the board meetings to develop a deeper understanding if they wish.

Stewardship

Ron has purchased four replacement thermostats and installed two. One of the blowers needs to be replaced also; Ron is working on that.

Rick will be repairing the second flagpole so we can put up the Pride flag for June.

Ministry

Rev. Fa Jun will announce that he will be on sabbatical this summer and will be back for the Water Communion. Meanwhile, Sunday Services is putting together a rousing summer program. Lynn will also announce this via email.

Caring

There appears to be a good critical mass for the first committee meeting, scheduled for May 19. Rev. Fa Jun will head the committee for two months to get the ball rolling; then Sharmin will take over, possibly followed by new member Heather Pierce.

Membership

RFJ will check with Membership on the pipeline for getting online visitors' forms into the database.

Rev. Fa Jun has created a UUFLG business Instagram account.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:09. The next board meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 9, at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Lynn Golbetz (Secretary)

Action Items

Karen F: Research possibilities/process for creating memorial scholarship

Karen O: Draft board summary for annual business meeting (with sections from RE and B&G)
Lauri: With Sierra, set up Google volunteering system and potential interest/skill survey

Lynn: Prepare for annual meeting on June 12 (mailing three weeks in advance)

Circulate email re RFJ's sabbatical and summer program

RFJ: Announce his summer sabbatical

Check with Membership on pipeline for getting online visitors' forms into database

Rick: Via Finance and Stewardship, prepare priority list of facility improvement jobs

Future Agenda Items

Proposed Stewardship projects Volunteer signup system

August: fundraising effort/capital campaign Consider privacy/personal information policy

Investigate officially becoming 501(©)(3) (we are a California nonprofit)

Review membership policy again (low priority)

Someday/maybe list: outdoor announcement board