

## **Georgetown United Methodist Church, Minutes of Trustees Meeting**

Monday, December 4th, 2023 – GUM Library, 7:00 pm

**Present:** George Masselink, Ryan Malott, Carol Stover, Andy Meredith, Mick Zinsli, and new member Darcel Hallman

Absent: Todd Potter, Ken Tuinstra, Martin Berg and Pastor Sherri

Guest: -

This meeting we talked about a few more urgent items and planning how we will tackle getting more physical help from the congregation in 2024.

## **Item Discussions**

- Choir room smell
  - We cannot find any mold/mildew. We've peeled back carpet, cleaned carpet, used air purifiers and checked in the ceiling and cannot find any damage or what could be causing the smell.
  - The next step is Andy and Ryan will look into companies we could ask to help investigate.
- Exterior handicap signs
  - Ryan was able to replace 4 of the 5 handicap signs on the 28<sup>th</sup> street side parking lot and trash the old signs.

- The free standing handicap sign was added to the Baldwin street side parking lot and there are 4 more signs still to be installed.
- Light boxes out in youth room
  - o Ryan will call Koole to fix when we have a couple more to be done.

## New tables

 We found quality 8 foot tables for \$145/each. We need to continue discussions on how and who will present to the congregation about purchasing a "table" in their name.

## Solar Panels

- Ryan hasn't heard back since he submitted GUM's 12 months of electricity bills, but will update once he hears something
- For 2024 we may plan several clean up days for specific reasons. Ryan will also start delegating ownership to each item to a member.
- We also welcomed Darcel Hallman to the team!