

July 2002 Voter's Meeting Minutes

Quarterly Meeting

July 21, 2002

Chairman Nelson Torbeck called the meeting to order. Pastor Keith opened the meeting with a reading from Job 38:1 and led those present in prayer. Scott Torbeck was appointed as temporary secretary. The minutes were read and accepted as read. There were no new members. A motion to grant releases for Jennifer Pryor and David Meseke to St. Paul, Shobonier, received a second and passed.

The treasurer's report was given. The Elders reported meeting with Pastor Keith. Pastor Reimnitz will have the service on September 15 and will host the Bible class. Pastor Reimnitz would like to have fifty (50) people attending the Bible class on September 15. The Central Illinois District has sent a Bible study guide to the congregation.

The school board gave their report on the picnic. The congregation has received a bid from Donaldson's Carpet for \$4,942.85 to do the complete job in the church. There was a discussion concerning the carpeting. A motion to use the money from the Richard Moeller estate and the rest from the general fund to pay for the carpeting received a second and passed.

The parsonage is in need of some repairs. The parsonage will be open for a few Sundays after church so people may go through and look at it. There was some discussion concerning the parsonage. Volunteers can start painting and do some other jobs. Anyone interested in helping should contact the trustees.

The Sunday school reported that Vacation Bible School is starting next week. The Bible class invites more people to attend. The sexton would like some help in trimming the shrubs. There was no old business.

The sound system now being used is the back up sound system. There has been some tampering in the speaker box. The trustees are to check into the manner.

Allen Sasse brought up the idea of putting rock around some stones in the cemetery. This matter was turned over to the trustees.

The calling process is moving along. The Prairie Days service was discussed and was turned over to the Elders. John Taylor stated that there would be a float in the Prairie Days parade.

Some church records have been taken from the church office. If anyone knows the whereabouts of these records, please contact the Elders.

The meeting was adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

F. Gale Meseke, Secretary