July 8, 2020
The church council met for a regular meeting. Council members present were Ruth Turner, Kris Adams, Bruce Brackman, Nancy Matson, Ron Bockhaus, and Paula Stensvaag. Bill Kehl was present to answer questions regarding the Lorenz estate and to represent the gifts committee.

The meeting was opened with prayer.

The council set the retreat for August 9 at 8:30.

The minutes of the June 10 meeting were reviewed. Kris moved and Bruce seconded that we accept the minutes as submitted. The motion passed.

The treasurer’s report was discussed. The PPP is listed as a liability. The PPP funds are spent and repayment/forgiveness rules may be extended. The council discussed ways to invest the money until it’s clear as to the status of the loan. Bruce moved and Paula seconded that we accept the treasurer’s report as submitted. The motion passed.

Regarding the worship plan, Pastor reported that most congregations are waiting to gather for worship until the end of August. The plan we have developed to provide for safety of attendees will be posted at the entrance. Also part of the discussion was seating of family groups. Attendees would complete a form upon entering the service, so tables would be available for people to complete. Council verbally affirmed the plan with the condition that the Estes Park incidence rate remains low.

Regarding the Lorenz Estate, Pastor shared a draft of a letter to Rocky Mountain Brokers Inc., Whitley Auction setting terms for an online auction.

The gift committee recommended that the church accept the gift of the Lorenz estate. Bruce moved and Nancy seconded that the recommendation of the gift committee be accepted. The motion passed 5-1.

The meeting was adjourned with the Lord’s Prayer.
Next meeting will be Council Retreat August 9 at 8:30 – 12:15 to talk about worship.

The next regular council meeting will be Thursday, August 13 at 1:30.