## GRACE UNITED BOARD OF STEWARDS ZOOM MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 25, 2021

**Present:** Carolyn Scott, Chair, Denise Wood, Vice Chair, Vicki Leakey, Treasurer, Mary Haussler, Clerk, Christina Gordon, Diane Nuttall, Linda Brooks, Eileen Thomson.

Regrets: Tony Maroni

Carolyn Scott opened the meeting with prayer.

**Minutes:** review of previous meeting minutes dated April 27, 2021. Motion to accept the minutes as presented by Mary Haussler, seconded by Denise Wood. Approved.

**Financial Statement:** Financial statement shows a book balance as of April 30, 2021 of \$16,794. Vicki reported offerings have been good with \$8,228 received for the month of April and considering we are still in the middle of the pandemic with no transfer of funds required from Trustees at this time. Expenses are marginally higher. A motion by Vicki Leakey to accept the Financial Statement as presented, seconded by Eileen Thomson. Approved

## **Memorial Fund and Outreach:**

Carolyn Scott reported no new donations received to the Memorial Fund.

Memorial Fund and Outreach has received a request from the Worship Planning Team for a donation of \$500.00 for Heather Haynes to help the Mamas who look after Tchukudu Orphan Children.

Denise Wood made the motion to provide this donation, Christina Gordon seconded the motion. All approved.

Maintenance Committee: No report was provided from Maintenance Committee.

**Other Business:** Carolyn Scott, Vicki Leakey, Linda Brooks and Dave Charles have been attending the seminar "Called to be the Church".

The program covers four topics;

- 1) Claim Your Mission
- 2) Cultivate Generosity
- 3) Create a Culture of Gratitude
- 4) Stewardship is Discipleship

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## Other Business (cont'd)

The attendees will be elaborating with Stewards on each session (topic) at our next meeting.

Denise Wood spoke to Stewards regarding the purchase of two books titled, "Not Your Parents Collection Plate" by J. Cliff Christopher and "Holy Currencies: 6 Blessings For Sustainable Missional Ministries" by Eric H. F. Hall, for Stewardship reference purposes at a cost of \$20.00 each.

Denise made a motion recommending the purchase of both books, Linda Brooks seconded the motion. Approved.

Linda Brooks moved the meeting be adjourned at 3:50 pm.

The next meeting will be June 22nd, 2021 at 3:00 pm.

