

SACRAMENTO VALLEY LFL CHAPTER MEETING

May 30, 2015

The meeting was opened with prayer and devotion at 12:25 p.m. by President Richard Hintz. Richard read a song "God Loves Life" from the Lutherans For Life-- Life Date Magazine as our devotion. There were 10 present at this meeting.

Ali Bohnhof, Secretary, read the minutes of our last meeting of April 12, 2015. The minutes were approved as read.

Linda Cruz, Treasurer, read the Treasurer's report. We have a balance of \$4,228.74. Form 502C has been completed and filed for April 2014 and 2015. The Treasurer's report was accepted and filed for review.

LFL National office sent a survey recently. Linda, Lois and Richard sent feedback of different aspects in the survey. The grass roots survey concerning chapter concerns was answered by Lois. Her comments addressed setting up of chapter, help with expense of speakers coming to California to address our chapter and others in the area, chapter roster and chapter member contributions from National. She also updated them on our chapter activities and events. Richard answered an on-line survey from National.

The Walk for Life was a great success. LFL came in second place with pledges of about \$3,100.00. Thanks to all that participated. James put photo of the group on email.

The Elder Care Event will be June 20, 2015 at Holy Cross Lutheran in Rocklin. Ginger McMurchie of Elder Care Management, Christine Gmoyles of Senior Care Solutions and Robin Bevier of Law Offices of Robin C. Bevier, will be the speakers. Lois had hoped that we could have a pharmacy rep. from Rite Aid to speak about medications, interactions, etc. however, the pharmacist was unable to schedule his time to give his presentation. Richard has a draft of the program, will ask Pastor Becker to do the opening prayer, bring signs and supplies, and will settle the set up and clean up issues with Holy Cross. Ali will find out about the refreshments (if we have to bring any extra) since Holy Cross has volunteered to host this part of the event. Publicity is being addressed by Joann and Lois. We have the flyer that needs to be sent to all the churches and other pertinent agencies, radio stations KAHN, KLUV, FISH, etc.

Chevy's Fundraiser is Wednesday, July 8th. Lois would like to get Auburn on the list and have Diane Bucholz be the host. Val volunteered to be host at the River venue and hopes to get Tom and Sarah to help. We will need to get a rep. for Rocklin, and Roseville venue is covered. We hope to keep Elk Grove on the list, perhaps Pastor Becker will be able to host that venue. Lois will keep us posted with further updates.

Leatherby's Fundraiser is tentatively scheduled for an evening during the week of Aug. 24th. Joann is working on this.

Sexuality Event – Oct. 12-18th. We are still trying to get clarity on the changes made by Karen. Lois will call her and discuss venue and other changes. We are praying for patience with the changes and focus on the outcome of this important message to young people and parents.

Alternatives to Abortion Event – November 7th. We will have this event at Greenhaven Lutheran. Lois and Richard will discuss a coordinator(s) for this event. Val said she would volunteer if she could co-host with someone.

Old Business – Discussed Logo. We need to have it changed to a program that we can cut and paste. Lisa will help Lois with this.

Election of Officers – Postponed to later date per Richard.

Our next meeting will be on Sunday, Sept. 13th at 2 p.m. at Zion Lutheran.

The meeting was closed at 2:56 p.m. with prayer by Lois Brauer.

Ali Bohnhof, Secretary

