Clovis Christian Ministerial Alliance

Minutes of the Meeting of Thursday, August 3, 2017, 8:30 a.m.

Present : Alice Bischoff (Habit for Humanity), Scott Blazek (Immanuel Lutheran, retired), Alan Brockmeier (St. James' Episcopal Church), Suzanne Brockmeier (St. James' Episcopal Church), B. J. Brooks (Central Baptist), Melva Devenport (Farwell Convalescent Home), Jon Forrest (First Christian Church), Delmus Gillis (Bethlehem Baptist Church), Geri Gomez (Lighthouse Mission), Richard Gomez (Lighthouse Mission), Murilo Henrique (Bethel AoG), Carla Miller (Pregnancy Resource Center), Kymburly Odell (Crossroads Cowboy Church of the Nazarene, Broadview), Lemuel Perry (Bethel Assembly of God), Steve Reshetar (Matt.25 Hope Center), John Rollinson (St. James' Episcopal Church), Shirley Rollinson (ENMU Religion Program), David Stevens (Living Word Church of God), Paula Stevens (Living Word Church of God), Darrell Underwood (Servants Heart Chapel), Sam Walsh (Advent Christian Church), Sistar Yancy (Christian Believers' Education)

Opening Prayer : Kymburly Odell

Scripture Meditation : Darrell Underwood, on 1 Cor. 5:1-8, dealing with issues in the church, such as immorality. As a new pastor, having to apply discipleship and deal with sin. Standing up for what is right can be tough - but we have the responsibility to stay strong and hold the lie in our churches. Let us pray for all pastors and ministers to stay strong and hold to what is right.

Minutes of last Month's Meeting : Shirley Rollinson

Treasurer's Report : Lemuel Perry

Previous Balance :	$ 582.32
Dues collected :	$ 25
Expenses	$ 0
Current Balance :	$ 607.32

Announcements :

1. Delmus Gillis brought flyers for the Clovis Fest - Saturday, August 5, from 10am till 4pm in the Hillcrest Park. Use the Sycamore St. entrance. It will be a time for Christians to hang out together. There will be speakers, food, music, and reduced prices for the Zoo and the Water Park. Lemuel Perry proposed that the CCMA give $100 to buy hotdogs etc. for handing out. Steve Reshetar seconded the motion, all were in favor.
2. CAFB Chapel is proposing a "Clergy Day" some time in October. The best days and times were discussed. A luncheon on either a Thursday or a Friday seemed to be the most popular.
3. Carla Miller announced that the Pregnancy Resource Center will host a Pastors' Banquet, Thursday, September 21, with a speaker.
4. Sistar Yancy reminded us of her Community Billboard - there are 9 blocks available. The price is $150 for the first month, then $50 per month after that. To advertise your Church or Ministry, please contact Sistar Yancy.
5. Scott Blazek brought examples of the Reformation Coloring Book , cost $5 each, with a discount for quantities. If interested, contact Scott Blazek.
6. Richard Gomez announced that the "Friends of the Freedom Ranch" initiative now only needs 65 people giving $1,000 each
7. Alice Bischoff announced that the latest Habitat house is almost finished, at 408 Thornton. They have another qualified family, and are ready to start another house, so need volunteers to help.
8. Steve Reshetar handed out cards with information for Suicide Prevention. They have a ministry moving in to Matt.25. Contact Steve Reshetar for information about training and help.
9. Lemuel Perry suggested that we should do something to celebrate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation. Scott Blazek said that as October is the anniversary month we might try to combine it with the meeting with the CAFB Chaplains. A Committee of Lemuel Perry, Scott Blazek, and Sam Walsh was appointed to plan a celebration.
10. B. J. Brooks announced that Central Baptist has called a new pastor - Michael Kirby, from Georgia.

Closing Prayer : Lemuel Perry

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Next Meeting : Thursday, September 7, 2017, 8:30 a.m. at the Lighthouse Mission

Reminder of opportunities for Weekly fellowship and spiritual growth :

- Pastors' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 8:00-9:00 a.m. at the Java Loft, 21st & Prince
- Pastors' Prayer Meeting, Fridays, 7:15 - 8:15 a.m. at Bethel Assembly of God, 1521 N. Norris

"Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful; and let us consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds, not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another; and all the more, as you see the day drawing near." *Hebrews 10:23-25*