BRIDGEWATER UNITED CHURCH COUNCIL EXECUTIVE MEETING MINUTES June 17, 2020

Present: Rev. Jeff Chant, Blake Hirtle, Ewart Morse, David Walker, Corrine Zinck

Regrets: Brian Buck

Item	Topic/Discussion	Action
1.	Call to Order	
	A Church Council Executive meeting was held on Wednesday, June 17, 2020 via Zoom. The meeting was called to order at 9:40 a.m.	
2.	Mass Email	
	 Rev. Chant advised that a mass email will be distributed today. Information to be included: No in-person church until after Labour Day Opportunity to come to the sanctuary to view online services with strict guidelines Thank you to members for keeping up givings Day Care has re-opened, but the church office is closed, and the building is closed to visitors U-Tube and Facebook information – we now have our own U-Tube channel 	
3.	Thank You Cards	
	Personal thank you cards have been signed by both Rev. Chant and Angela Clifton and will be mailed via Canada Post.	
4.	Church Council Meeting - June 17, 2020	
	Corrine will share her screenVote will be by physically raising hands	
5.	Stewardship Campaign	
	Discussion regarding a pledge campaign and the process for accomplishing our goals.	Ewart to provide a plan for the campaign.
6.	Small Group Gatherings	
	Corrine Zinck spoke with Public Health regarding having up to 10 persons in the Sanctuary while Day Care was in the Christian Education Centre. They felt it would be okay but would not provide an opinion in writing. Currently waiting for a ruling from MSEconomy@novascotia.ca . Decision to move forward with small group gatherings targeting church members who do not have access to technology – to be able to come to the sanctuary to watch online worship services which have been aired in the past.	

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	The following was discussed with respect to the small group	Rev. Chant will speak
	gatherings:	to Denise at Day Care
	 Names and contact information for attendees must be logged 	re washroom usage.
	 The only entrance will be the one at the back of the sanctuary Use the washroom in the hall by the Minister's study, if necessary (block off that hall from Day Care) 	Blake will have the custodian contact
	 Need cleaning supplies/personal protective equipment Volunteers will count in the 10 persons present Need a list of potential attendees 	Jaspro regarding cleaning supplies and PPE.
	 Place pylons outside (along the stained-glass wall) at 6-foot intervals or have people wait in their cars until called Schedule a trial of two sessions to see how they will work 	Angela Clifton will be asked to make a priority list of attendees.
7.	Closing	
	The meeting closed at 10:40 a.m.	

Respectfully submitted,	
	
Corrine Zinck, Secretary	Ewart Morse, Chair