

**Blacklick Community United Methodist Church
Administrative Council Meeting Minutes
June 13, 2016**

**Pastor Tom opened with prayer. Karen Mack gave the Financial Report for May.
The Financial Report was approved by all.**

Old Business

The Surveillance System has been installed with 5 additional cameras covering each door, the fellowship hall, the driveway of the parsonage, and part of the playground. We are checking into notifying people that they are on camera. The new air conditioning system should be set to 70° F.

Pam Sees on behalf of the PPR Committee apologized to DJ Rodkey for any hurt they may have caused. Pam also sang a song that calmed everyone. Ross Plowman also apologized on behalf of everyone for DJ having to sit through these meetings hearing how “none of these young people volunteer to do anything.” He also mentioned that DJ was asked to take on the video system project that was not his. He mentioned how much DJ does for this church on top of his many other jobs and college education.

The Annual Lawn Festival will be held on July 23rd. The council approved this date rather than the 30th to accommodate the majority. Sue plowman asked if we want music for the Lawn Festival. We will wait to see if people miss it. The proceeds from the Lawn Festival will be donated toward the shoe boxes.

Joan Marshall on behalf of the Faith Promise committee asked to put baby bottles in the back of the church to collect donations for IUP’s pro-choice organization that helps aid young pregnant women. This was approved by all. Bill Conger will be placed on the Faith Promise Committee.

New Business

All Current Policies are being reviewed by the Trustees in addition to new policies involving technology. The Church Custodian’s Duties and the Wedding Policy were approved. The General Use of Church Facilities will be sent back to the Trustees to be reviewed and to remove “no food or beverages” from the policy.

Lori Nagle asked on behalf of the Youth Group to have a campfire and play a slip n’ slide game at their next meeting on June 26th. She also asked to have a 30-hour famine starting at 6 p.m. on June 29th through June 30th as well as a bake off on August 6th. This was approved by all.

Pastor Tom and Karen went to Annual Conference and saw no major changes. Pastor Tom gave his report. Western PA gave \$2.2 million to No More Malaria.

Pastor Tom will be at Cherry Run Camp from July 30th through August 7th. He will be here for the service on the 30th, and we will need a guest speaker for the 7th.

The Gaga Court was built by the Adventure Camp kids.

DJ Rodkey is stepping down from the Church Secretary position, the voluntary Technology Coordinator position, as chairman of the Technology Committee, and all other committees effective on July 31st, 2016.

Attending: Pastor Tom Phillips, Karen Phillips, Rob Dill, Karen Mack, Ron Plowman, Lori Nagle, Bob Marshall, Joan Marshall, Bill Conger, Judee Conger, and Sue Plowman.