

ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL
November 28, 2005

The Administrative Council met on Monday, November 28 at 7:00 p.m. in the Meeting Room. Bob Brady called the meeting to order. The minutes were passed out and approved as presented.

Debbie Mason gave the devotion.

Ken Moore reported that the Trustees will be meeting next Tuesday.

Wayne Haigler said that some of the items that concerned the budget needed to be discussed. He handed out a sheet that covered the salary and benefits of our Senior Minister. He discussed the financial history of our church with number of pledges and amount of pledges. He reviewed the handout item by item. Some discussion took place.

Bob Brady urged everyone to ask the questions that they wanted to ask, and to speak out about any issue that they needed to. This is a very important meeting and he wanted everyone to say what they needed to say.

Alan Rice handed out some information from The Discipline to inform the Council about the United Methodist Church and our Church Conference. Many questions were asked and a great deal of discussion took place.

John Fowler said that he enjoys serving our church and feels with the new services that we are having they have helped bring new people to our church.

Jerry Hatfield moved that we put the \$4,019 back into John's salary. Charles Woodie seconded the motion. The motion will get the salary back in line with what the Staff Parish Committee had previously recommended. The purpose was to correct what had previously been done in the October meeting.

Jerry Hatfield made a motion to have the Stewardship, Finance, Capital Campaign, Treasurer, Trustees, Staff Parish, Membership, Administrative Council Chairmen and Administrative Council Vice Chairman to meet prior to the Council Planning Session to discuss and study in detail how we need to plan for our financial future. Ken Moore seconded. The motion passed. John said that the Planning Session will be January 10th, 2006.

The Charge Conference will be held at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 11, 2005 following the 11:00 worship service in the sanctuary.

Gene Hendricks asked that we encourage other people to come to our Wednesday night services.

There being no further business, John closed the meeting with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara Weiller, Secretary