

WAY FORWARD
MEETING MAY,19 2018

Meeting opened 12 noon with prayer.

There were 7 members at the meeting.

The topic was membership.

Financial Secretary reported: We have 146 active members 69 are insurance members, 11 not paying dues are insurance members. 37 never came to a meeting that are insured. We have to take members who don't pay dues off the rolls. Initially, by asking if they want to stay.

Reason for members not coming to meetings and suggestions for improvement:

1. Meeting to no longer than 1 hr.
2. Move the time of start of meeting earlier
3. Put more information in newsletter
4. Reading of minutes take too long
5. Time limits on speakers
6. put news of council in church paper
7. Need a welcoming committee for new members.
8. Put news on web site
9. get more committees and less discussion at meeting
10. put article in Columbia on what we do
11. call members a day before meetings to remind them
12. Write about our council in church paper, meeting time and activities
13. have some kind of activity after meeting

Darren Gray will try to

- 1) Clean up membership rolls
- 2) Try to get email address
- 3) Phone numbers up to date
- 4) Contact the church to put article in church paper

Additional thing(s) needed:

1. Welcome Committee formed

Find out what new members would be interested in doing
NEXT MEETING JUNE 23rd at NOON