

CK Board Meeting 6/1/19

Present: Ken Hsu, Don Phan-Huy, Serena Lee, Kenneth Chuang, Vincent Kwok
Meeting started at 9:49 AM

Us board members first checked in with each other to see how things are going.
Discussion on "Disruptive Witness" by Alan Noble.

Financial Update

- Last two months have been strongest in terms of offering
- Admin and Inreach categories have been negative, but are slowly getting balanced out
- We ordered a little too much food for Easter

Follow ups

Baptisms: Location set, gifts purchased, lunch planned. Sing after each baptism! :)

Ordinary Time Overview:

- Going through Acts, starting on Ascension Sunday
- Common Reading Plan also going through Acts. Most of the time, sermons will match passage from corresponding week's readings from CRP

Summer Activities:

- Idea for summer community activity: Frisbee Golf at a course in Fountain Valley and BBQ. **Don** to follow up to figure out location and reservation

Book Club:

- 22 people signed up! Should we split up?
- We will all meet together for first two chapters since they are a bit dense
- After those two meetings, we can see if it's more practical to split
- Anticipating more of a discussion environment. Not like a small group since we all read beforehand
- **Serena** to bring snacks for first meeting since it's also Kyrie's birthday :)

Sister's Group:

- **Serena** to send out email to volunteers
- Marty expressed interest in women's tea party. Maybe can combine with blanket event

Mental Health Forum:

- Serena met up with a couple therapists from Fuller. Selected one who's willing to do a more general mental health awareness discussion
- July 19th confirmed with therapist
- **Ken and Janet** to look into reserving Las Lomas for that evening
- After time and location set, we can make flyers to publicize event. Aiming for 7PM and end before 9
- Sharing of stories during lunch on last Sunday of June

Climate Change Forum:

- What does it look like for church to get involved with climate change at a macro level?

Stainless Steel Community Cups Ordered!!

https://www.amazon.com/gp/offer-listing/B017E0KKS0/ref=dp_olp_new_mbc?ie=UTF8&condition=new

Retreat 2020:

- Tried reaching out to Camp Stevens in Julian twice but no response. Will try again
- Got Paradise Valley Ranch pamphlet in the mail. Also a consideration
- Around March 20 is college spring break (20-22, or 27-29)

Podcast:

- Serena to host. Record and edit, then release once a month around Advent

Outreach:

- Bruce wants to revitalize outreach efforts
- Question is whether we have the energy to sustain
- We can try to focus on 1-2 organizations for now
- Mariners church has volunteer event for foster care. Could relieve stress from planning
- Try to figure out a small team to brainstorm ideas

Ohio Tornado Relief

- We can use outreach funds to help financially
- Follow up with Bruce to decide best way to help
- We can let the church know that we're involved. Aim to announce on June 9

Ekklesia Project

- Wonder if church can cover registration costs (not airfare and living expenses). ~\$270 for registration including stay at Techny Towers
- Don and Serena are going. We can make announcement and offer financial assistance if needed

Meeting ended at 12:42 PM