

Leadership Team Meeting

St. John's UCC

Newport, Ky 41071

September 27, 2025

PRESENT: Kyle Taylor-President, Dave Stamm-Vice-President, Pat Goins-Secretary, Vickie Kennedy-Treasurer, Laura Haas-Past President. Absent-Pastor Marty Westermeyer.

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am by Kyle.

BUDGET: Kyle went over the proposed church budget for 2026, line by line. Discussion took place re: several items. After some adjustments were made, Laura made a motion to accept the budget and Vickie seconded it, no further discussion. The vote was unanimous in favor, the motion passed.

MISCELLANEOUS: Kyle said he and Pat had talked with Michael Sullivan and received additional information regarding the 3 students from CCM who want to use our sanctuary for 2 violin concerts. Kyle said he was inclined to change his mind about letting them use our sanctuary for free and amending the motion that was voted on in the last Leadership Team Meeting. Additional information Michael provided to Kyle and Pat included how our congregation would be invited as well as the community. Laura and Pat volunteered to be here during and after the concerts to assure everything was cleaned up, lights were turned off and doors were locked. Pat made a motion that we allow the 3 CCM students to have 2 violin concerts at our church at no charge to them. Laura seconded the motion. No further discussion occurred the vote was unanimous in favor, the motion passed.

CELEBRATION LUNCHEON: Discussion and suggestions for baskets to be given away took place. It was agreed that the following baskets would be donated by the Leadership Team-

Cincinnati Theme-KYLE

Puzzles/Games-Kyle

Quilted Throw-Pat

Christmas Items-Pat

Sports-Dave and Diana

Sweets-Dave and Diana

Bourbon basket-Vickie

Wine/Cheese basket-Vickie

Coffee Basket-Laura

Books/Magazines-Laura

Each person will receive 3 tickets they can use to place in whichever basket they would like to win, and a winner will be drawn during the luncheon.

Laura and Pat will ask Diana to help with suggestions for centerpieces, and someone from each table will win theirs.

We will also have a split the pot.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Goins

Secretary