**Stewardship Committee Meeting June 6, 2023**

Attended by: Dan Price, Shirley Engerbretson, Becky Newberry, Lisa Kraft, Pastor Connie, and Joel Tompkins

1. Reviewed draft letter for inactive members. Dan & Sandy produced a draft letter and Pastor added additional notes to the draft.
   1. During our meeting we worked on a letter to send out to KoG members that we haven’t seen in worship & there hasn’t been a financial gift recorded in the past year. These parameters are according to our constitution’s definition of membership.
   2. This letter #1 will include a postcard for them to mail back to the office to record their response, and an option to email their response to the office.
   3. Our team also worked on a second letter to send a month after the first letter, if no response was received.
   4. Our team looked at a list generated of members that are considered inactive. A few of these households will have a phone call from a team member or Pastor to determine if a letter is necessary.
2. Lisa mentioned to the Stewardship Team that she will place in mailboxes the book, **A Spirituality of Fundraising** by Henry J.M. Nouwen, on Sunday, June 11th. Please take the time to read this short book in the next week or two.
3. We had a brief discussion about the automatic door bid from Custom Glass. Becky will be bringing us an update. We are questioning if the bid is just for the door frame and wireless button and nothing else. We also recognized that both set of doors in the north entrance will need to be automatic.
4. Our Stewardship team has started Stewardship for All Season #2 cohort meetings. Take aways from the first meeting:
   1. The second year of SAS should look at a 6-8% increase budget goal.
   2. Need to have new Ministry Initiatives:
      1. Internal
      2. External
      3. Operations
   3. Find and share impact stories.
   4. Ensure that on-line giving is easy.
   5. Watch the video on Basecamp about “Why Pastors Need to Know”.
   6. IMPORTANT: Schedule time with Stewardship team and Paul Marsh to discuss:
      1. Our financial goals and what the money will be used for.
      2. Meeting needs to be scheduled before **July 10th**.