

9.12.17

Annual Joint Meeting Elders & Deacons  
First Presbyterian Church, Lincoln, IL

The meeting was called to order by the Rev. Adam R. Quine at 6 p.m. Ruling Elders in attendance were Cathy Maciariello, Debbie Schweitzer, Cass Busby-Elliott, Beth Green, Roger Boss, Rob Harmon, Diane Osborn and Karen Sams Davis. Elder Tracy Olson was excused. Deacons in attendance were: Annie Hieronymus, Linda Zinser, Ken Schweitzer, Cheri Aper, Carolyn and Jim Reynolds, and Holly Thomas. Excused were: Emme Olson, Linda Zinser, Brittney Cosby, Stacy Olson, and Charlise Leesman.

Following prayer congregational care was discussed. Better communication of people's needs was stressed. A need to increase the size of the print for the LINK and the need for more hearing devices were mentioned. Those making shut-in visits should leave a note if the shut-in is not at home.

It was announced Forget Me Not Florals is the new church florist.

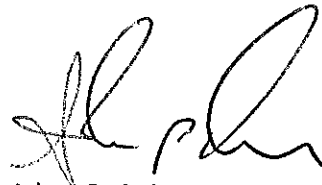
The Shepherds and Flocks program was outlined with Elders and Deacons concurring it should be explored. It was noted we have 20 children on our rolls, but only two or three are in attendance on Sundays. It was suggested we attend their events to encourage participation.

Pastor Quine informed he has a plan developed for serving Home Communion if our number of shut-ins increases. The meeting was adjourned at 6:34 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Diane Cherry Osborn, Clerk of Session



Rev. Adam R. Quine, Pastor