

**Peace Lutheran Church
Ladies Guild and LWML Meeting
Minutes for September 1, 2011**
Respectfully submitted by Joyce Holroyd

The meeting was called to order at 12:35 p.m. by President Georgia Hering. Louise Leslie was hostess.

Attendance: Georgia Hering, Joyce Holroyd, Ruth Moser, Sandi Kloster, Ethel Post, Louise Leslie, Ellen Holroyd, Nancy Abernathy, Jean Worth, Kay Glathar, Dottie Ferral, Jan Lane, Bev Hellesto, Pat Clark, Pastor Jack.

Devotions: The devotional reading was, "The Body of Christ; The Mind of Christ."

Secretary's Report: Accepted as submitted and printed.

Treasurer's Report: Louise reported that the account balances were as follows: checking account \$1738.61 and savings account \$1254.43.

Correspondence: Louise had given several thank you notes to Joyce reflecting mission donations from the Guild last spring.

Old Business: Kay reported that the Philomath Pastors were not interested in participating in the idea of a joint effort "**First Fruits**" project. Kay reminded the Guild that while she presented this idea ("First Fruits"), she was not in charge of or volunteering to chair the project. She asked if there were any ideas from the Guild group for raising dollars for missions that would involve people from outside of our church. This question was tabled for further thought and discussion at a later time.

Table favors for the Fall Rally at Peace are finished.

New Business:

Fall Rally at Peace Lutheran Church on October 9, 2011

Georgia suggested that the Guild add Subway Sandwiches to the salad lunch. Ruth made a motion to provide the sandwiches and Louise seconded the motion. Motion passed. Louise reported that a Victorian dress presentation will be part of the scheduled program for the Rally. Our Guild will provide coffee, juice, tea and assorted sweet breads during the registration time at 9:30 am. The business part of the meeting will be at 10 am. There are some amendments to the by-laws to be discussed and voted on. It was discussed that we have committees to organize our responsibilities for the meeting. Joyce made a motion that our Guild have committees. Jean seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Registration: Louise and Sandi K.

Lunch: Georgia, Bev

Coffee Time: Ruth, Jan and Georgia

Clean up: Jean, Bev

Set-up and Decorations: Guild members will work on this at our October 6th meeting.

District Convention at Agate Beach in Newport next June 1-3, 2012.

Margaret Dusek had suggested that our **Guild donate \$100 for poverty and hunger in East Africa**. Louise made a motion supporting this suggestion; Joyce seconded. Motion passed. Georgia had a form on hand for this, so the check was prepared for mailing. Dottie suggested that our Guild also send money to support relief efforts for the east coast disaster. After brief discussion, Dottie made a motion that our **Guild set aside \$100 to send to Thrivent as soon as we are notified of an organized effort through Thrivent to support the East coast**. Nancy seconded and motion passed.

Dottie reported that there will be a **free ID THEFT workshop at Peace on October 1st**. Churches in our Thrivent chapter and communities are invited to register up to September 16th. Our mission and action team are supporting and promoting this workshop.

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m. **Next Meeting is Oct. 6th, and Ruth is Hostess.**