

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, COLORADO SPRINGS

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Commit thy works unto the Lord, and thy thoughts shall be established. Proverbs 16:3

January 8, 2024

Dear Members:

The January 2024 Membership Meeting and Election Meeting will be held in the auditorium **Saturday, January 20 at 1:00 pm and Saturday, January 27 at 1:00 pm, respectively**. The agenda for the Membership Meeting is attached/enclosed. If weather necessitates that the Executive Board cancel either of these meetings, the Calling Committee will notify members the day of the meeting and reschedule for the following Saturday at 1:00 pm.

At the Membership Meeting, the Board will present a motion for the purpose of fact-finding. An additional member motion will also be presented.

Motions to be considered at the membership meeting:

- 1. The Board moves** to obtain an appraisal of the church property at 325 N. Cascade Avenue, and the Reading Room property at 407 N. Tejon Colorado Springs, Colorado. The cost of the appraisal is not to exceed \$5,000, with the monies to come from the Project Fund.
- 2. Member motion:** The member moves that during February and March 2024, we collect specified items for one Apartment Bin and one Hygiene Basket to donate to Lutheran Family Services' Refugee Program.

Attached with this letter is a summary of the November member survey for your information. Thanks to all of you who participated.

Committee Reports to be given at the membership meeting are Care, IT, Reading Room, and Ad Hoc.

The Call letter and Agenda for the Election Meeting will be sent separately.

Any motion not needing prior notice is in order from the floor under New Business. If you plan to make a motion, it is helpful to have a written copy of your motion for the Chairman. If your motion needs funding, please specify the fund where the money will come from in the motion. "Expenditures of the principal from the Operations Endowment Fund or the Project Fund require approval by a two-thirds vote of the church members present and voting at a membership meeting" (Church Bylaws, Article VII, Section 3).

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Members may park in the Young Life parking lot for this meeting.

Lovingly,

Your Executive Board

Melissa Foster, Susan Butler, Susan Larsen, Lynn Wilson and Walt Hieronymus

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Membership Meeting
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Colorado Springs
Saturday, January 20, 2024
Agenda

Call to Order at 1 pm

Hymn

Readings – followed by silent prayer and praying together the Lord’s Prayer

Approval of Minutes – Membership Meeting, October 28, 2023

Good of the Church and Community

Executive Board Report

- **Motion:** The Board moves to obtain an appraisal of the church property at 325 N. Cascade Avenue, and the Reading Room property at 407 N. Tejon Colorado Springs, Colorado. The cost of the appraisal is not to exceed \$5,000, with the monies to come from the Project Fund.
- Executive Board to present the results of the member survey.

Treasurer Report

Committee Reports

- Care
- IT
- Reading Room
- Ad Hoc Committee

Unfinished Business and General Orders

Five Minutes of Silent Treatment for Church

New Business

- **Member Motion:** The member moves that during February and March 2024, we collect specified items for one Apartment Bin and one Hygiene Basket to donate to Lutheran Family Services Refugee Program”

Calendar Election Meeting Saturday, January 27, 2024, at 1:00 in the auditorium
Wide Horizon meeting Sunday March 17, 2024 at 11:30 in the auditorium
Membership Meeting Thursday, April 25, 2024, at TBD in the auditorium
Lecture, Saturday, May 18, 2024 at 2:00 pm at Penrose Library (free parking if you have a library card)

Adjourn