

**Ministry Team: \_\_Family and Youth\_\_**

**Meeting Date: \_\_2/8/11\_\_**

**ATTENDEES:**

**Andy Moscinski  
Ross Larsen  
Dan Baumbach  
Rick Sather  
Larissa Keller (guest)  
Brenda Smongeski (guest)  
John Dougherty**

**Excused: Kris Sather**

Items that may require council action:

- none

Items that may require budget/finance coordination:

- none

**New Task Force (see minutes for details):**

- **Summer musical task force**

Ministry team minutes:

- Finance/Budget review: reviewed new format for spending; we approved
- Reviewed last month activities
  1. 60+ middle school participants from six congregations
  2. Seraphim choir trip to Minneapolis was another highlight during the past month
- Upcoming events:
  1. Make an impact event - ticket sales are underway and near plan (114 tickets sold so far), more than 100 donations have been contributed to date, speakers and other activities are also planned to lift up summer ministries during the event - we are looking forward to an excellent event to support summer ministries
- Ideas/suggestions for new Ministry team members
  1. We discussed potential new member for the Ministry team and will follow up with them
- Intern applications - currently have one applicant who has applied with several who have expressed interest; March 1st is the deadline for applying; please encourage interested candidates to apply by March 1st
- Discussed Crossways YET program training opportunity - this is a program that can develop leadership in junior and senior youth -- we agreed lift up overall Crossways camp opportunities in an upcoming Sunday announcements; we further discussed how we can connect to youth ages 8-10 years old to make the initial connection for Crossways camps
- A new approach for engaging with youth at an early age was started in January. Beginning youth group started with three initiated in January with 12 participants.
- Emily and Ross are expecting in their first child in July!
- A summer musical was discussed with several individuals expressing interest supporting and student have expressed interest in participating - we would like to ask for a task force to plan and support the event

- **Possible names of individuals for team:**

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_Rick Sather