**Caring Committee Meeting Notes**

**Monday, June 3, 2019 2pm**, **Parlor**

I. General & Old Business

A. Welcome (Chalice Lighting)

In attendance: Gwen Banziger, Joan Coffey, Ann Jacoby, Barbara Kidd & Rev. K. Hawbaker

B. Check-In Gardening for therapy.

C. Note-Taker Volunteer -Rev. Kat

**D. Record of Activities**

1. Cards 7+2+7

2. Community meals delivered 7

3. Other meals 2 soups to Emerson

4. Home visits Patty-1,

5. Hospital/nursing home visits hospital - 1

6. Supportive phone calls 3+1+1

7. Plants, lilies - 0

8. Other gifts

9. Other activities - transports/shopping

**Ongoing Business**

II. Plans to Support Members & Friends

**\*\*Send Peace Lily plant to Pat B. LaPointe** on the death her mother. Jean Paul LaPointe had hernia surgery and is doing well.

LeeAnn Gallucci & husband John Marsh (Swampy)- He has been in & out of hospital this last month and lung cancer is mean.

Kellers - Chris has been overwhelmed, & Josh is doing better.

Her Aunt Carmen moved to a Nursing home in Athens.

Card to Jeffrey home (w/ Katy McDaniel) David’s Dad - George Jeffrey - how’s your Dad doing?.

Patty Troisi (knee surgery on hold) Husband had tests for cancer, so far so good, more tests.

\*\*card for wellness

Steve & Maggie Meyer - Steve went through a difficult scare with kidney stones.

\*Send cards

**Emerson Shimp** is in good spirits - weak in body. Asked for SOUP!

**Ann Bragg** - her father died last year.

**Kerry Blair** - Needs encouragement. Send card.

III. Keep in Mind

Sandra Bush did a poetry reading. \*\*card -We missed you for Art & Amazing Month of May.

**Ezra Carpenter & Cory Sampson are getting married August 24 at Rainbow View.**

**No reception, but can we do something for them?**

**Sue Montera & Bill Held**

Linda Sue Pifer

Tom Sharretts

Jean Smith

Auction of Pat Evans paintings from the home of Susan Neely will be on July 12 at Dexter City Auction House.

L. Others

IV. New & Reviewed Business Items

A. Memorial Garden & bricks - ($500 each?!!) Joan C. may have info. on installation.

B. Idea - Redbud, Roses or Dogwood tree planted around Mother’s Day? for Neva

C. Plantings from Nancy Novak along the side of the RE Building.

\*Rev. Kat will contact Buildings & Grounds about project & logistics.

Columbarium and memorial bricks are worth our attention and review.

Pursue a possible campaign. (David & Chris Keller)

**Committee Work -**

Note/Assess Joys & Sorrows & Strategize with Rev. Kat for follow-up.

June follow-up on Joys & Sorrows: Karen & Lori

July Joys & Sorrows: shared by Karen & Lori

V. **Next meeting**  -Mon. July 1, 2 pm in the Parlor.

**Next meeting**  -Mon. Aug. 5, 2 pm in the Parlor.

Budget Impacts??

(June 3) Peace Lily to Pat LaPointe

COMMITTEE ARCHIVE & STORAGE

Holiday Mugs and other items that could be given or shared.

End of Life Planning Session

Mission & Vision

UUCNWT Lay Ministry Care Programs

We covenant to establish and maintain a Care Program that will work with our minister, staff, congregation, and community network in a continuing process that will enable us to cherish and care for all members and friends of our religious community, offering comfort, hope and practical help that is dependable and inclusive.