# Las Vegas Family Community Council Meeting Minutes July 26

Ken Doo July 26, 2020



Present: Council - Steve Pierce (President), Torao Ota, Jeffrey Silerio, and Makiko Watanabe. Pastors - Rev. Ken Doo, Rev. Andy Compton

Absent: Adela Maimot, Mimi Morse

**Opening Prayer** – Jeffrey Silerio

## **Committee Reports**

Finance – Steve Pierce

For June 2020, donations have significantly decreased by about half from the previous month. Income and expenses have nearly broken even for June.

Rev. Doo has been able to cut unnecessary monthly expenses for telephone line at CHG.

Sunday Service – Rev. Andy Compton

Virtual services will continue for the time being.

New Church Building – Rev. Doo

Dieudonne Nkwethat is overseeing the permit process, which is in its final stages and nearly complete.

One benefit of new building will be exemption of property tax for either property.

However, due to the circumstances of COVID-19, we are currently experiencing unexpected challenges beyond our control with moving forward with the actual construction.

Youth and Young Adult - Torao Ota/Makiko Watanabe

Youth ministry has been inactive during the month of July.

### **Old Business**

## LVFC survey

Survey can be distributed electronically for the time being.

However, survey questions may need to be redesigned since it has been months since in-person services and gatherings have taken place.

## LVFC directory

Not all information the community members have provided will be published in the LVFC directory.

Community members' birthdays (months and days) are been updated on the LVFC website.

#### **New Business**

Facebook Group Chat

Rev. Doo will create three separate Facebook group chats. One only for official announcements. One only for community-related topics. And one for free discussion and posting.

## Community Health and Well-Being

Council members have reported that there are some community members experiencing COVID-19-related hardships such as unemployment and financial challenges.

#### **Closing Prayer** – Steve Pierce

#### Next Council Meeting - Sunday, August 16, 2020

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.