

**Clinton Church of Christ**  
Meeting Minutes  
October 20, 2019

**Opening:**

A Directors Meeting of the Clinton Church of Christ was called to order by Brother Keith Carmichael at 12:02 P.M. on October 20, 2019 in Clinton, Missouri. This is a regular Directors meeting as indicated in the association bylaws. A quorum (6) is present to handle matters of business and approval of action on items.

**Present:**

Kyle Adkins	<b>Mark Andrews</b>	<b>Karl Austin</b>	<b>Barry Bullock</b>
Joshua Bullock	<b>Keith Carmichael</b>	<b>Terry Easterly</b>	<b>Rick Hill</b>
Mike Johnson	<b>Sean Langston, Sr</b>	Lucky Luce'	<b>Don Ross</b>
<b>Nolan Rutter</b>			

A. **Opening Prayer:** Don Ross

B. **Approval of Minutes:** Minutes from the September 2019 regular meeting were reviewed and approved with the motion to approve made by Brother Barry Bullock and seconded by Brother Sean Langston with the motion carrying.

C. **Treasurer's Report**

Financial Status (**as of September 30, 2019**)

Weekly Budget – \$1, 497.92

Weekly Average Contribution – \$1, 482.25

Financial **DEFICIT to Date** – \$611.25

Percentage of Year Completed – 75%

Percentage of Budget Expended – 75%

UMB Checking Account Balance (10/12/19) – \$10, 194.78

UMB Savings Account Balance (9/30/19) – \$2, 845.06

UMB Loan Balance estimate (9/7/19) – \$13, 596.78

The finance report was presented as reflected above. Motion to accept the report was made by Sean Langston with a second by Lucky Luce' with the motion carrying.

D. **Communications**

None

E. **Deacon Reports** -- Summary of discussion for specific ministries.

**Finance**

The new Walmart Cards have been received and are available for use for the various ministries.

**Education/Youth & Worship Activities**

Brother Kyle is finalizing assignments for leading in worship for 2020 and if you desire to be added or removed from a particular duty, let him know.

### **Benevolence**

Brother Barry shared that we are slightly over the budget line for the year and anticipates more requests as the cooler weather sets in. Some requests received recently were beyond the ability of our congregation.

### **Building & Grounds**

A video camera surveillance system has been purchased and is on hand. The same system with only 4 cameras was available for \$249 (saved \$60). A workday will be scheduled in the future to install the system as well as any other needed work around the building. Brother Nolan shared that the lights in the sign are no longer working.

### **Congregational Development**

Brother Mark Andrews shared that he had been researching other congregations in rural type settings to see what is being done to be more of an impact on their communities. Some of the areas he looked at were in Montana and Idaho. Several options were seen that were on a smaller scale of some major programs that have been around for some time. A few activities were identified in discussion as a possible process for activity on Sunday afternoons/evenings. Further ideas were asked to be given for consideration in the future.

### **Suggestion Box**

None

F. **Old Business** -- Summary of discussion for existing issues, outcome and action item assignments.

The ability to put together a Gospel meeting this fall has been determined unfeasible. Brother Don Ross posed the possibility of having an organized campaign in the spring that would involve a canvassing of the community. This will be considered and decided on in the near future.

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The question "Would changing our Sunday hours to 10:00 AM and 11:00 AM help increase our bible study and worship attendance?" was presented. A survey was conducted in the congregation with 28 responses; 25 preferred the current times, 1 would be inclined to attend bible study if followed 10 AM worship and 2 would be inclined to attend bible study if we adjusted time 1 hour later. The decision was to keep the schedule we have.

**CLOSED**

G. **New Business**

Nolan will be on vacation from November 4-10, with speaker needs for the 6<sup>th</sup> and the 10<sup>th</sup>.

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H. **Adjournment:**

The meeting was adjourned at 12:46 PM and was closed in prayer by Brother Mark Andrews. The next meeting will be the monthly director's meeting at approximately 12:15 PM, scheduled for November 17, 2019, in the senior youth classroom. This may be changed as needed.