

All Saints Lutheran Church
Church Council
Special Meeting Minutes – April 15, 2021

Attending: Pastor Kristin Schultz, Kris Ericson, Jim Kruger, Megan Barnes, Lucy Archambault, Martha Debelak, Gloria Napper Owen, Lyndi Dittmer-Perry, Kurt Rager and Brian Hughes.

1. Kris Called Meeting to Order with a Prayer at 6:33 pm.
2. **Reopening The Building for Worship:** Kris moved that we reopen our building on May 23rd for in person worship at the capacity allowed by the state of New Mexico based on our county's color availability. The Motion was seconded by Lucy, amended by Lyndi.

Discussion Points:

- a. **Why is May 23rd the reopening date?** That will give the reopening task force enough time to complete reopening work, including trainings.
- b. **What is the church capacity?** We believe it is 250, but Jim will get in touch with the fire department to get that double checked.
- c. **Will Zoom Services Continue?** The plan is to continue two worship services, in person and on Zoom, through at least the end of the summer.
- d. **How will attendance restrictions be enforced?** Ushers need to be trained in protocols, flow, and chair placement.

The Motion Passed Unanimously.

3. **Next Church Council Meeting:** Read the first three chapters of *Sailboat Church* in preparation. Marleta will give us the quarterly preschool update.
4. **Location of Tara Amundson Funeral:** The council did not approve having the funeral in the church on May 15, but did approve using a tent in the church parking lot.
5. Adjournment/Closing Prayer
 - a. Adjourned at 7:48 pm with prayer by Kris.