

Clifton Council Meeting

2/27/15

Attendance: Pastor Manoj Jacob, Rev. Kathaleen Sato, Mrs. Misayo Bien, Mrs. Kyoko Andersson, Dr. Robert Beebe, Mr. Terry McMahon, and Mr. Zeth Bell. **Absent:** Mr. Alain Tamelessio & Mrs. Tamayo Oppenhiemer.

- The meeting was called to order at 8:13 pm.
- The opening prayer was given by Rev. Sato.
- The CIG Motto was read.

Agenda:

- The Minutes for the 2/13/15 meeting was read and corrected.

Old Business:

A. Updates on Church Care Director Position

- Rev. Pobanz will transition from the role of Church Care Director by the end of March.
- Pastor Manoj is in the process of searching for new Church Care Director.
- Pastor Manoj hopes to hold pastoral training for young and upcoming leadership through UTS.
- Council discussed the structure and purpose of Golden Age Club with suggestions for improvement that kept the best core aspects.

B. Community Meetings Planning

- Council emphasized the topic of witnessing for being the main focus of the Council Community Meeting. The structure was decided to be a world café style where groups focused on facilitating discussion and brainstorming for solutions. Council discussed having a list of specific & essential roles where people could volunteer themselves or network/mobilize others to help most effectively. The date of the meeting was decided for March 27th.

C. Updates

- Camp Sunrise Board: EJ Rapada is willing to join Camp Sunrise Board. Eva Clark has yet to be contacted.
- Financial Committee: Pastor Manoj is still following up with suggested members.

D. Announcements

- 2/27 - Youth Community Meeting (12:30pm – 3:30pm) Conference Room
- 3/3 – Foundation Day and the Holy Marriage Blessing Ceremony (March 2nd, 7pm EST)
- 3/13 – LEDA Project (6 - 9pm) Fellowship Hall
- 3/20 – Il Shim begins (7 - 9pm) Fellowship Hall
- 3/21 – One Day DP Workshops: English 9am – 4pm; Spanish 12pm – 4pm.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Dr. Beebe at 10:03 pm.

Secretary,

-Zeth Bell