Goring URC

Church Meeting minutes 28.09.2017

Chair. Rev. Andrew Sellwood

Devotions - Andrew

14 members present

Apologies: 9

Minutes of previous meeting approved and signed as correct.

Matters Arising: None

<u>Pastoral news</u>. The meeting shared news of the fellowship and upheld in prayer those with special needs at this time. We noted the passing of Gwen Bailey and Ken Woods.

Agenda Items.

Finance/Lettings. No report.

Property Management. Little Fishes requested permission to put up a temporary banner advertising their location to be seen form the bridge. This has already been given the OK by the local council. The meeting agreed and approved this request.

It was suggested a letter of thanks go to Steve Webber for trimming the trees. To be arranged via church secretary (Rosina Bayley deputising for Valerie Cooper at this time).

Outreach. Details of craft stalls on 18th November are in Welcome.

World Church and Mission.

Monies have been sent to the charities the church supports. This information was also to be found in Welcome.

<u>C.T.G.</u> More Lucky dip items costing a pound were requested.

Saints and Sinners on 14th October. Tea in the afternoon and fish and chips in the evening.

Rosina and Carole have tickets,

It was reported that the funeral for Janine Bryer which was held in Goring URC was well attended.

Andrew's time.

Andrew attended the funeral of Revd. David Littlejohns in Birmingham.

He also requested prayers of support for the week end of 7 & 8th October when he will preach with a view at Sompting.

Another music evening has been arranged for 8th November at 7:30. This is open to the other churches.

Diary Dates.

14/10/17 Saints and Sinners.

12/10/17at 14:30 Bible society are holding an audio/ visual presentation at Emmanuel Church. Details on the notice board.

Synod day 14/10/17

Macmillan Coffee and cakes at Kestro on Friday 29/09/17.

28/10/17 Shoe. box filling 10:30am.

Details of Lay Preachers Day on 18/11/17 can be found at the back of the church.

Next meeting 30th November.

The meeting closed with the sharing of the Grace.