# logotopChurch Council

***Meeting Date:*** June 10, 2018

***Meeting Time*:** 6:00 pm

***Meeting Place****: E304*

***2018 Council Schedule:*** *January 28 • April 8 • June 10 • September 30 • November 18*

### Mandarin United Methodist Mission/Vision

*Mandarin United Methodist Church:*

 *Transforming lives by…*

* Loving God and neighbor
* Touching hearts for God
* Equipping the young

**Attendance:**

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| Sarah Gilbert | Randy Gilbert | Bill Renfro |  |
| Jim Clark | Sheila Gilbert | Angie Englethaler |  |
| Sandra Clark | Bill Gardner | Traci Thomas |  |
| Bill Barkoskie | Gene Strouse | Debbie McLeod |  |
| Mimi Howard | Jean Ehrlich | MikeGroos |  |
| Jim Fiedler | Pris Blood |  |  |
| Anna Scharbo | Larry Blood |  |  |
| Dan Davis | Riley Hayes |  |  |
| John Russell | Jeff Hayes |  |  |
| Andrea Vrtikapa | Jan McDowell |  |  |
| Randy Webb | Phillip McDowell |  |  |
| Karen Webb | Caroline Daguinod |  |  |
| Tim Cooke | Mike Overton |  |  |
| Jeff St. Clair | Robin Overton |  |  |

 **Total 33**

### Minutes:

* Call to Order – John Russell Called the Council to order at 6:00pm.
* Opening Prayer – Sandra Clark
* Devotion –Mike Overton offered a devotion based on the Samaritan woman at the well, being asked for water by a Jew, Jesus. Then he asked what our core ideology was, and what it means to be a Christian.
* **Past Stewardship of our Time, Talent, and Treasure (Old Business)**
* The minutes from the April 8, 2018 meeting were revised and

approved.

* Mike Overton delivered a staff update report for 2018.
	+ Mike Groos is leaving to pastor at Riverdale UMC with David Jackson taking over the role of Recreation Ministry Leader
	+ Sam Corlew resigned and is going back into teaching
	+ Brenda Robinson is resigning at the end of June
	+ We anticipate that Jenn Lindner will be moving at the end of 2018 to join her husband at the location of his new job
	+ Sandy Webb is retiring later this year

**Opportunities to Share our Time, Talent, and Treasure (New Business)**

* The Council discussed the meaning of chapters 7-11 of *Canoeing the Mountains* and discussed its applicability in the mission field in which MUMC operates.
* Pastor Jeff St. Clair delivered a Longleaf Church update.
	+ He talked about casting a wider net
	+ He also talked about the Know, Grow, and Go Teams
	+ He discussed the relationship Longleaf is developing with Freedom Crossing School
* Other Opportunities- no other opportunities were presented
* Meeting Dates – 6:00 PM in E304
* September 30 – approval of 2019 budget
* November 18
* October 20 – NE District-wide Charge Conference
* The Council was tasked with reading chapters 12-13 of *Canoeing the Mountains* for the next meeting.

Pastor Debbie McLeod closed the meeting with a prayer and benediction at 7:02 pm.

### *Respectfully submitted,*

***Riley Hayes, Secretary***