CARING FELLOWSHIP COUNCIL MINUTES Tuesday, March 14, 2023

Present: Pat Frey, Pastor Rachel Schwab, Karen Byers, Jane Schmeck and Gail Havens. Absent: Patty Lewis, Shari Minnich, Bonnie Black, Connie O'Neal, Ann Eckman, Marjie Mowery and Ruby Powell.

The February 2023 minutes were approved by Pat Frey and seconded by Jane Schmeck.

The Winter Picnic was Sunday, February 19 2023. We had 43 people attend.

Council will be donating \$200 in gift cards to the UCC Homes Helping Hands luncheon and online auction this year. The event is being held Saturday, May 13, 2023. The gift cards will be \$100 for Giant and \$100 for Karn's.

A luncheon and bingo is scheduled for Sunday, April 23, 2023 after the service. The luncheon menu had been decided last month. Gail will contact The Country Butcher for the pulled pork and Pat will order the remaining menu items from Giant. Gail will order the bingo game supplies by the end of March. Some prize items had been donated which council reviewed for suitability. Additional prizes will be purchased in April. A \$10 gift card for Karn's was donated and will be the prize for the blackout game. An insert about the luncheon and bingo will be submitted to Lyndsey this week. A sign-up sheet will be posted outside the office in the next week to help determine our food count.

Pastor Rachel gave updates on several members. Caroline Makibben has been moved into Thornwald. Rachel has made visits in the last few weeks to numerous members located in local nursing homes. She will be preaching this Sunday, March 19.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 11, 2023 at 10:00 AM

Respectfully submitted,
Gail Havens
Caring Fellowship Council Chair