

Leadership Council Minutes

4-24-17

Members Present: Jeff Buck, Jeff Fill, Vic Hasler, Daniel Johnston, Tonya Overton, Marge Patton, Dave Sweet, Sarah Taylor, Melissa Truelove, and Mike Womack

Guest Speaker: David Thorne

1. Mike Womack opened the meeting with prayer.
2. The minutes from the 3-27-17 meeting were reviewed and unanimously approved with Vic Hasler making a motion to approve the minutes and Marge Patton seconding the motion.
3. Facilitated discussion (Vision for Mt. Auburn) led by David Thorne.
 - a. What is currently the core focus of Mt. Auburn? (What are we known for?)
 - Traditional service, Daycare, Life Groups, Focus on Seniors, baseball fields, bible focused, small church mentality
 - b. What is the role of church in our society?
 - Teach ethics and standards of society, evangelism, alleviate suffering, discipleship, be a refuge, be salt and light, outreach and concern, societal expectations, shape their perspective, community engagement, care for those that others don't care for, reinforce truth.
 - c. What are your obligations as a Christian?
 - Love the Lord your God..., give of our time, talent, and resources, love your neighbor as yourself, evangelism, reflect Christ, discipleship, engage in service (hands and feet), fellowship with others, prayer, being connected to a body of believers (community), worship, repent, reflect Christ.
 - d. What/Who is a disciple?
 - Student, committed, person who decided to follow Christ and allows Christ to transform them and joins them in Christ's mission, they tell others about Jesus.