

## ASHLAND COUNTY MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

Minutes for Friday, January 12, 2018

Ashland City Government Building 7:30-9:00 AM

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**Welcome:** After breakfast in the first floor conference room (graciously provided by the Community Prayer Breakfast Fund), President Mike Futrell, called the meeting to order in the Ashland City Mayor's office with a welcome at about 8 AM. He asked for everyone to introduce themselves as there were many new faces in the room. After a special prayer for the Mayor he gave Mayor Matt Miller the opportunity to bring greetings which Mayor Miller did. He has a sense of hope for Ashland because . . . "What no eye has seen, what no ear has heard, and what no human mind has conceived"— the things God has prepared for those who love him—1 Corinthians 2:9 (NIV). He is "Going to let God lead the way!"

**Devotions:** After such a "devotional" from the Mayor, Cathy Thiemens, ACCESS Executive Director deferred her devotional in the interest of time. When offered an opportunity to report on ACCESS Cathy did so and also invited everyone to the ACCESS annual meeting on January 22

**Minutes:** The minutes which were sent out and are on the website were presented. Keith Tyson noted that a correction needed to be made on the copies that had been distributed which he pointed out and noted had already been changed online. Mike Futrell moved they be adopted, Ron Marenchin was second. The minutes were adopted as corrected.

**Treasurer:** Treasurer, Ben Roby, presented the financials. He pointed out that the financials changed very little since last meeting so the report is of all activity since then rather than month to month. The report was adopted as presented. He also noted that dues should be sent to him (Not former treasurer Scot Myers) at Ben's home address 1322 Township Rd. 685 Ashland, OH, 44805

**Times-Gazette Articles:** Mike reminded the group of the weekly assignments for the pastor's column are on the website. ([ashlandcma.org](http://ashlandcma.org))

**Conquer Series update from John Bouquet and Mike Futrell:** Pastors' participation in the series is set to kick-off on Thursdays beginning on January 18 with two different times (noon and 7 PM) each week at New Life Community Church. Youth Pastors will also have a separate time.

### **One Minute Memos (Announcements): Mike Futrell**

- Sam Speck shared about the youth minister's fellowship and how they have planned event together. The big event plant is UNITE THE NIGHT, all-nighter at Salvation Army Krok Center on February 9 beginning at 9 PM. They are praying for 300 kids. Donation checks should be sent to ACMA (memo Unite the Night), at the address for Ben Roby noted above.

- Melanie Miller from Ashland Care shared about the annual rally for life date on January 21, 2018 at Bethel Baptist Church. She also shared that the speaker will be available for additional talks and one is already scheduled for Tuesday, January 23 from 9:30-11:30 AM. Maryanne Wise shared about her post-abortion Bible Study which will begin in the next week with co-leader Diane Geisling.
- John Bouquet gave an update on Community Prayer Breakfast plans.
- Sherry Bouquet gave an update on Fostering Family Ministries. There are a number of upcoming training opportunities for Church Champions (Jan. 22), Volunteers (Jan 23), and Trauma Informed Care (on successive Wednesdays beginning Feb 14).
- Jenny Whitmore of Ashland First/Christ UMC shared that Celebrate Recovery is beginning there on Wednesday, January 17.
- Donnie Moss gave a call to pray for Ashland.

**Group Prayer:** Jon Hall led the group into prayer to end the meeting.

**Adjournment:** After prayer in groups – at about 9 AM

Submitted by Secretary Keith Tyson

Ashland County Ministerial Association						
Treasurer's Report						
March 2018						
				ACMA Fund	NDP Fund	
<b>Beginning Balance</b>				\$1,923.21	\$5,546.83	
<b>A. Income</b>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Description of Items</u>				
	10/10/17	Dues Deposit		\$150.00		
	10/20/17	Dues Deposit		\$220.00		
	11/6/17	Dues Deposit		\$70.00		
	1/18/18	Dues Deposit		60		
	2/5/18	Dues (10)and Youth Donations (920)		\$930.00		
<b>B. Total Income</b>				<b>\$3,923.21</b>	<b>\$5,546.83</b>	
<b>C. Expenses</b>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Description of Items</u>				
	10/31/17	Partial Dues refund		\$40.00		
1878	11/9/17	Allison Auck, K.Bond Memorial (split)		\$250.00	\$250.00	
1879	1/11/18	Mike Futrell (Conquer Study Books)		\$613.72		
1880	11/12/18	MVD (Chaplain McKenzie Fleece)		69.98		
1881	1/17/18	Mayor Miller			\$47.13	
1882	1/17/18	Kelly Marshall			\$242.33	
<b>D. Total Expenses</b>				<b>\$973.70</b>	<b>\$539.46</b>	
<b>Ending Balance</b>				<b>\$2,949.51</b>	<b>\$5,007.37</b>	
<b>Encumbrances Above</b>				<b>Notes</b>		
		National Day of Prayer		\$5,007.37		
		Outstanding Dep. NDP		\$0.00		
		Outstanding Payments NDP		\$0.00		
<b>Unencumbered Funds Available</b>				<b>\$2,949.51</b>		
		Outstanding Dep. ACMA		\$0.00		
		Outstanding Payments ACMA		\$0.00		
<b>Available Balance</b>				<b>\$7,956.88</b>		
Respectfully submitted,						
Ben Roby, Treasurer						