## United Presbyterian Church of East Guilford Special Session Meeting

January 14, 2020 3:00 PM

**Attending:** Sandy Egli, Judy Ives, Gordon Spreutels, & Patty Wolff (Moderator)

**Excused:** Don Cole and Becky Holley

The meeting was opened at 3:13 PM with prayer by the Moderator. The primary purpose of the meeting was to discuss a gift of \$5000 to be put towards bills that a person well known to the congregation has/is incurred/incurring while being hospitalized with sepsis, for the upkeep of his home and family. The person himself is without medical insurance and will not be paid during his illness. His significant other is also currently without employment.

The suggestion for the amount of \$5000 came from long time member Dick Palmer in response to a prayer request email. After a brief discussion, the Session members:

- M/S/P to pledge \$5000 from church savings/investments for current and/or future bills such as rent, food, heating oil, and utilities for the family of the person currently being treated.
- M/S/P that the monies will be used to pay bills directly to suppliers (e.g., landlord), but that some could be given to the family for food.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:26 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Pastor Patty Wolff