

# **The Way Forward Committee Report**

15 September 2021

## **Supporting the Meeting**

### **Contributions**

- Newsletter ask
- Online contributions
- Bring up donations box at close of meeting
- Need to have a balance between education and badgering
- Small amounts or incremental increases are very helpful
- SEYM money may be available if needed
- Allow people to make targeted donations
- Ask individually about contributions
- Be transparent about givers – not necessarily names but number of folks and amounts
- Provide a breakdown of categories of use ... ie worship, children's program, concerts, outreach, etc.
- Ask folks about ongoing and/or legacy contributions

### **Time**

- Great for folks who can't contribute money
- Not instead of money... in addition
- It's our responsibility to find out what people can do and then breakdown task to allow folks to volunteer time to complete those items
- Have sign-up lists and present them with the expectation that people all contribute time