

The Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd
Minutes of Vestry Meeting
December 11, 2022

Members present: Fr. Lance Robbins, Pauline Stebbins, Diane Babcock, Ed Kushall, Cheri Mascitti, Art Mason, Pam Meyris, Peter Rothfuss, Kathy Stokes,

Members absent:

Rev. Barbara Fornalik

Wayne Delperdange

Don White

Bruce Dunn

Agenda

Opening Prayer

Minutes

Financial Report/Stewardship Update

Pete/Survey

Bishop's visit

Annual Meeting/Jan. vestry meeting

Update

Closing Prayer

Father Lance opened the meeting with prayer.

Old Business:

Minutes

The vestry reviewed the minutes from November meeting. Cheri M. moved we approved the minutes are amended. Diane B. seconded the motion. The motion was voted on and passed.

Finance Report

Bruce D. was not in attendance. The Financial Report will be reviewed at the next vestry meeting. We will also review the budget for 2023 at this time. The next vestry meeting will be January 12 at 6:00 p.m. at Good Shepherd. The meeting will start with a potluck dinner followed by the review of the finance report and 2023 budget.

Survey

The vestry reviewed the results of the CHAT survey. A discussion followed. Due to the amount of data collected from this survey Pete suggested that we meet at a later

date to go over the data after he has had a chance to gather it all and break down the results. Things to think about: Where do we see our church going? What do we think about the answers we collected? Pete will frame what we have discovered and cluster and group the data so we can go through it. This will be a slow process but he feels it will be well worth it as we move forward.

The survey discussion will take place at the Vestry Retreat which will be on February 11 at Good Shepherd. The vestry will share the survey and the data with the new incoming members as well as with those who will be leaving. More details and the agenda for the retreat will be coming at a later date.

Bishop's Visit

Bishop Lane will meet with the vestry on December 18 at 9:00 am before the 10:15 service and confirmation.

The Annual Meeting will be on January 22 at Good Shepherd after the 10:15 a.m. service. Agenda and details coming soon.

Update

We had the funeral for John White Jr. yesterday. Please keep the family in your prayers.

The meeting concluded with prayer given by Father Lance.

Submitted by Pamela Meyris