

October 24, 2013 Vestry Meeting

Grace Church Vestry Meeting

October 24, 2013 5:30 p.m., Grace Church Office, 67 State Rd., GB

Present: Kathy Clausen, Rick Gore, Ian Booton, Susan Gray, Geoff Perkins, Sue Gore

Away: Rev. Francie Hills, Sally Brooke, Louise Robitaille, John Cheek, Dindy Anderson

Appointed temporary Clerk for this meeting: Sue Gore

The meeting was called to order at 5:52 p.m. by Senior Warden Kathy Clausen. Chaplain Sue Gore led us in Dwelling in the Word.

The minutes for the September 19th meeting were approved as read.

Treasurer's Report: No financial reports available at this time. A preliminary meeting for the 2014 budget is scheduled for November 3rd by the Executive Committee.

Committee/Other Reports:

Property/Building Committee: Rick Gore laid out the plan for renovations. Work party scheduled for October 26th at 9:30. Ceiling tiles to be replaced, new lighting, carpet will be replaced and walls to be painted. Bathrooms to have linoleum and new vanities will be installed. Goal is to have as much done as possible for November 17th blessing of our new office.

Year-round Stewardship Committee: Stewardship Sermons are going very well. The sermons are based on gratitude and are only a couple of minutes long. Ingathering will take place on November 10th.

Wisdom Group: Kathy Clausen reported about conference call of October 16th. Reviewed Statement of Mission to include the principles of PMC, the Canons which discuss the Ministry of the Ordained and Ministry of Baptized People. Will not participate in Operation Christmas Child but instead stay local and focus on the needs of teens in our area for Christmas giving.

Search Committee: Committee has been formed: John Cheek, Deb Holmes, Doug Happ, Ed Hutchinson, Sue Gore, Dindy Anderson, Pennie Curry, Tom Doyle

The meeting ended with prayer at 6:15

Respectfully submitted,
Sue Gore