

Grace Church Vestry Meeting

April 10, 2014 5:45 pm Grace Church Office 67 State Road, GB

Present: Kathy Clausen, Susan Gray, Geoff Perkins, John Cheek, Ian Booton, Sarah Sieber

Absent: Louise Robitaille, Rick Gore, Sue Gore

The meeting was called to order by Senior Warden Kathy Clausen at 5:43 pm. Susan Gray then led us in Dwelling in the Word.

The only change to the agenda was that Elizabeth Holland will come to the May meeting instead of tonight.

The minutes of the March meeting were accepted as written.

Treasurer's Report: Geoff reported that tracking pledges is going as expected. Estimate for utilities was much too low.

We will meet our goal for Nets for Life Project.

A check for \$100.00 has been sent to Lee Cheek for all her work on the bulletin.

The audit with Bruce Rockwell is set for June.

Search Committee: John reported that none of the candidates was selected from the first round of interviews and visits. Pam Mott will be here on Palm Sunday and will bring a new list of candidates for the committee to consider.

Debbie Holmes has resigned from the committee. Carmen Perkins will take her place.

Old Business: We heard reports from those who attended Vestry Day at the Diocese. Rick Gore is scheduling a storage unit cleanout on Sat. May 24.

New Business: We saw the first draft of the new brochure. Needs a little tweaking but should be ready soon.

The Open House for the office neighborhood will be strictly social, with refreshments. The new brochure and invitations will go to our neighbors.

Godly Network, the three Episcopal churches in South County, will be represented by Kathy, John, and Sue Gore. An ad for Holy Week will be in the Shopper's Guide.

Bishop Fisher will be at Grace Church on April 27. Bill Eakins will not be there, but Ted Cobden will assist.

We have been invited to participate in Maundy Thursday service at Christ-Trinity, Sheffield. The men will be presenting a “living last supper”. Women are invited to help strip the altar.

We need to update the parish profile for the search committee.

Susan Gray read a closing prayer.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Gray, Clerk of the Vestry

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