

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

Vestry Meeting Minutes

March 9, 2025

Opening: The St. Peter's Vestry met together in the Diffenbaugh Library following the 10:00 A.M. service on March 9, 2025. Attending the meeting were: Kimberly Truxell, Judy Eller, Bruce Comfort, Charlie Pfeifer, Vel Shreve, Charlotte Corbett, Nancy Comfort, Liz Kress and Peggy Pfeifer. Linsey Shreve was absent. This meeting began with a meditation by Nancy Comfort at 11:30 A.M.

Minutes: The minutes from February 9, 2025, were read and a motion from Judy Eller was made accept the minutes and was seconded by Bruce Comfort. It was passed by acclamation.

Financial Report: Charlie presented February's Financial Report. There was an annual contribution from the Harold and Margery Taylor Fund today that is not included in this report. Charlie also somehow made a double payment to Insurance and Worker's Compensation in the amount of \$7845.00. The double insurance payment will be applied to the next quarter and the Worker's Compensation was refunded and that will be shown in next month's Financial Report. The Pancake Supper donations netted \$352.00. Vel Shreve motioned to accept the financial report and budget, and Liz Kress seconded. All approved.

Senior Warden's Report: Kimberly Truxell announced that Fr. J.K. Maher III will be here to celebrate with us on March 23rd and 30th. She has asked if he could commission the Vestry on the 30th so if everyone could be in church that day it would be appreciated. He is also contracted to be here on Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. Future dates will be announced as they are confirmed. The Vestry will be tasked with the Wednesday night Lenten dinner on March 19th, a list of supplies needed was passed around. April 6th, the parish will celebrate Dot Pierce's 90th birthday in the Parish Hall following the 10:00 A.M. service. Kimberly confirmed that the next meeting would be April 13th – Palm Sunday – as there shouldn't be any conflicts.

Junior Warden:

Sexton is still working out.

Lawn care – Bruce has talked with the current lawn service, and they have agreed to continue maintaining the grounds. Bruce will be in contact with them to sign a new contract.

The one furnace in the church was repaired by Climatedmakers for a final cost of \$758.98.

Old Business:

The safety walkthrough with Church Insurance was completed on 2/18/2025 without complaint.

New Business:

Vel announced that she had heard we were not supplying palm crosses to the children in the Day School. The Vestry was notified that the children will begin school break the Monday following Palm Sunday and the palms would not be delivered to the church until late Friday (the last day of school before break). Vel volunteered look into purchasing the palms elsewhere just for this purpose and they would make them up for distribution before the last day.

The next Vestry meeting will be on April 13, 2025.

There being no further business, the meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer and then adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura Kallestad

Registrar