

Bethany Lutheran Church
November Congregational Meeting
November 13, 2011

The Meeting was called to order at 12:10 pm by Council President Ron Gusé, and he declared a quorum.

Deb Bayles was introduced as the parliamentarian.

Pastor Ruth Ann Loughry lit a candle and said a devotion from Genesis 12:3.

Del Hock moved and David Scott Seconded to adopt the agenda. It was approved unanimously.

Dave Okes gave the nominating committee report.

It was duly moved and seconded for all proposed nominations to be accepted. It was approved unanimously. It was duly moved and seconded to cease nominations. It was approved unanimously.

Ron Gusé appointed the tellers to tally the votes.

Pastor Ron Glusenkamp gave the Pastors' Update:

Kevin Dragseth gave an update on the Youth Mission Trips and a video on New Orleans.

Jone Grundman gave an update on LFS Thanksgiving bags, Confirmation students breaking down food for Metro CareRing, Operation Christmas Child and Service and formation of the Youth.

Pastor Ron summarized his upcoming sabbatical plan.

Warren Miller gave an update about the Thanksgiving Eve service and Project Sanctuary.

Stacie Schubert and Andrea Spronk gave an update about Be the Blessing 2012.

Save Your Soles Video was shown.

Joel Halvorson gave a General Fund update.

Pastor Ruth Ann Loughry gave the rest of the Pastors' update:

A video of the guest pastors for Pastor Ron's upcoming sabbatical was shown.

Rit Vogel talked about the Children's Advent Fair and Christmas program December 11.

Matt Christian gave the Companion Synod Report

Marie Friedemann gave the Vision Team Report.

Paul Godec gave the Foundation Report.

Dave Okes announced the winners and results of the election.

Paul Godec moved and Karl Evans seconded to adjourn the meeting at 1:58 pm.

The meeting was closed in prayer by Pastor Ron Glusenkamp.