

St. Paul Lutheran Church Mary and Martha Minutes July 13, 2025

There were 9 women in attendance, Pastor and the St. Paul President.

The meeting was called to order. The attendance was taken and the offering envelope passed around. Pastor opened the meeting with a reading from 1st Samuel.

Officer Reports:

<u>Secretary's Report</u>: The minutes of April 6, 2025 were presented. It was moved and seconded that the minutes be approved as written. Motion passed unanimously.

<u>Treasurer's Report</u>: A report for the first half of the year was given. There were disbursements made to Project Kinship, Immanuel after banquet party and for the student snack boxes. It was moved and seconded that the Treasurer's report be approved as present. Motion passed unanimously.

Committee Reports:

Altar Committee: There was no altar committee report.

<u>Feeding His Lambs</u>: A birthday card was sent to a child who is four years old. She also sent two brochures to a couple before their second baby will be born in August. She sent a birthday card to a child who was baptized a few months ago.

Sunshine Committee: No cards were sent this quarter. She continues to send the large-print bulletins.

Meal Coordinator: Two ladies volunteered to co-chair this committee for the upcoming quarter.

Old Business:

Landscape Flowers: No money has been spent on flowers because of the broken drip system.

<u>Altar Banners</u>: While on vacation the St. Paul President visited a congregation in Wisconsin who use a projector in their service for hymns and symbols. He will investigate further and report back. There was a comment made that if you're sitting towards the back of the church, you might not be able to see the projected images. Discussion tabled for now.

On-line Streaming: No report.

New Business:

<u>Reformation Service</u>: St. Paul will be hosting this year. It was suggested that we make lasagnas for the main course and have the other two congregations contribute salads and desserts if they choose to do so. Pastor will try and get a rough count of how many might attend from the other congregations before the event.

<u>Kitchen Shower</u>: An inventory will be made of what is needed. The kitchen shower will be in August or September. More 12 oz. coffee cups are needed.

Pastor Report: Pastor reported that the CLC tour choir might tentatively be here at St. Paul next spring.

<u>Adjournment</u>: It was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned. The motion passed unanimously. Pastor closed the meeting with the benediction.

Next Meeting: The next Mary and Martha meeting will be Sunday, October 12, 2025.

Respectfully submitted: Mary & Martha Secretary