

Annual Meeting Minutes, Maggie Bowles

Mtr. Gaelyn asked the acting secretary to declare a quorum then began the meeting with a prayer. She then thanked Betsy Swift and Doug Hanks for their service, Betsy having taken over Jessica Philyaw's term including service as senior warden when Jessica moved away. She announced that Nancie Wilson and Phillip Sanger, being qualified members of the church, were candidates for vestry. There being no additional nominations from the floor, they were elected by acclamation.

Betsy Swift gave her report (to be attached) reviewing the year. She noted the deaths of Barbara Hardie, Jere Annis, Dottie Brunette and welcomed 7 new and 2 returning members, and the students who meet on Wednesday evenings. She reviewed various ministries and encouraged everyone to participate in something. George Rector gave the Jr. Warden report (to be attached) stating that the buildings and grounds are in good condition. He thanked Doug Hanks for his work, noting that the windows had been washed, the new sign installed and the old metal sign was being refurbished. He noted the void left by Muff Lyons, church mouse extraordinaire, who had moved away.

Treasurer Randi Neff reported that we are financially stable and have no debt but noted that membership is down from last year. She noted that the financial statements and vestry minutes are available in the library. Also, the wine tasting fundraiser will be discontinued, but football parking has been successful and will be continued. She handed out copies of the proposed budget, which is down from last year. Cost-saving measures such as discontinuing use of paper plates and cups, and buying items in bulk are being implemented.

Mtr. Gaelyn's report emphasized looking toward the future while noting that we are very good at taking care of each other and being intentionally inclusive. (Full report to be attached).