



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
Sunday 02 November 2008 • 12:15 p.m.
Fellowship Hall
MINUTES

Attendance

112 confirmed members of Mountain View Lutheran Church.

Call to order

President Julie declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order. She led devotions based upon Psalm 111—"The works of the Lord are great." She cited recent significant events in congregational life: calling Pastor Ben Quanbeck and Pastor Jen Quanbeck, hiring Community Coordinator Jesie Holden, Dream • Discover • Discern 2008, Confirmation Sunday, and the dedication of the Mountain View Community Center (MVCC). She then led the congregation in prayer.

Approval of minutes

It was M/S/P to approve the minutes of the Sunday 04 May 2008 and Sunday 27 July 2008 congregational meetings.

State of the Mission Endowment Fund

Mission Endowment Fund Ministry Group chairperson Laura Livingston spoke regarding:

- The mission of the Mission Endowment Fund (MEF).
- Our relationship with Lutheran Community Foundation (LCF).
- How LCF is managed.
- The return performance of the MEF and its current status.
- 2008 grant distributions from MEF: (1) \$1,430 to the Education Ministry Group for NRSV Bibles; (2) \$4,000 to the Health Ministry Team for two defibrillators, one for MVLC and one for MVCC; and (3) \$26,000 to MVCC for furniture and program needs. That is total grant distributions in the amount of \$31,430 from the available \$31,892.

2008 spending guidelines presentation

MVLC Treasurer Dave Cheney presented and reviewed the recommended 2009 spending guidelines. President Julie read the proposed 2009 benevolence recipients.

It was M/S/P by written ballot that the congregation of Mountain View Lutheran Church adopt the 2009 Spending Guidelines in the amount of \$998,258.00. 104 ballots approved of the motion; 4 ballots rejected it.

2009 Southwestern Synod Assembly lay voting members

It was M/S/P to elect Jeff Eastby, Marilyn Eastby, Diane Hagen, Barb Hull, and Rich Hull as the lay voting members of Mountain View Lutheran Church to the 2009 SWWA Synod Assembly.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned after a benediction from Pastor John Vaswig.

Respectfully submitted,

Troy Kehm-Goins,
Recording Secretary

WE ARE CALLED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT TO LIVE OUT THE LOVE OF GOD IN JESUS CHRIST.
Compelled by our calling, we will invite all to worship God
and teach disciples to serve Christ in the world.