

Mountain View Lutheran Church

Sunday, May 22, 2022 • 12 noon

Congregational Meeting • Life Together Hall and Zoom

MINUTES

Attendance

107 voting members of Mountain View Lutheran Church, via in person and Zoom.

Call to order

President Bob Linden declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order. Pastor Eric Bostrom opened the meeting with prayer.

Financial update

Treasurer Jason Cornell provided a financial update.

State of the Congregation

President Bob Linden provided updates on life together at MVLC, especially in regard to the Living Hope Capital Campaign. \$400,000 of the Living Hope funds were paid against mortgage debt and \$50,000 went toward replacement of the Education Building. The original motion had also included \$100,000 toward a columbarium, \$50,000 toward building up our financial reserves, and \$150,000 toward Sanctuary improvements. However, changes since the motion was made include the pandemic and its effects, the arrival of Pastor Eric, new non-clergy staff, new members, and some thoughtful discussions about how those funds could best be used. Bob asked for members to consider serving on a Fund Distribution Committee, to consist of three to four members.

Revised Constitution

The recent work of the Constitution Review Committee resulted in a revised MVLC Constitution. The Church Council approved their proposed revisions and changes were discussed at recent adult education formats.

It was M/S/P to adopt the revised Constitution of Mountain View Lutheran Church.

Election of Mission Endowment Fund Committee

Elected to the Mission Endowment Fund for three-year terms were Todd Kelley and Sonja Dahl.

Election of Nominating Committee

Elected to the 2022-2023 Nominating Committee for one-year terms were Barb Egan, Terry Jensen, and Connie McCrossin.

Election of Church Council

Elected to the 2022-2023 Church Council for one-year terms were Fred Albert, Kevin Dahl, Joel DeWitt, Jenny Grayum, Karen Hansen, Skip Harrison, Gretchen Johnsrud, Dan Lysne, Carol Powers, Ken Swanson, Emily Thompson, and Bob Yost.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned with closing prayer from Pastor Bri Merkle.

Respectfully submitted,
Troy Kehm-Goins
Recording Secretary