

St Paul's UMC
Ad. Council Meeting
8/11/2026

Members present: Mark Howard, Charles Wagner, Vera Shaffer, Karla Hanson, Karla Colson, Pastor Thom, and Brenda Howard

The meeting was called to order at 5:35 p.m.

Pastor Thom opened the meeting with a prayer.

Treasurer's Report: Income received from 7/13-8/9/26= \$2391.25 and expenses for the same period totaled \$2782.74.

Account balances are as follows:

General Fund Checking - \$5553.60

Memorial Fund Checking - \$4025.69

Memorial Fund Savings – 2226.35

Building Fund Savings – 11421.15

Karla H. made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report, Karla C. seconded the motion, and motion carried.

Secretary's Report: Minutes from the 7/14/2026 meeting were read. Vera moved to accept the Secretary's Report and Charles seconded the motion. Motion Carried.

Committee Reports:

Trustee Committee: Pastor Thom will reach out to Larry Wedo so schedule a committee meeting to discuss the need for landscaping and new parts for the lighted sign.

Nuturing Committee: Committee has begun the annual Thanksgiving Ingathering drive. Vera needs more fabric to make the school kit bags if anyone has appropriate fabric to donate.

Caring Committee: No report

SPRC Committee: Committee is meeting tomorrow and will be discussing the worship service times.

Finance Committee: No report

Leadership/Nominations Committee: The Ad Council Secretary position remains unfilled.

Scholarship Committee: No report

Pastor's Report: Pastor Thom inquired if church members would be interested in working at event concession stands at the school.

He reported that his family intends to host an Open House at the parsonage some time in Sept.

He will begin visiting members in their homes soon and requested the names of those in need of a pastoral visit. Pastor Thom will be out of town Tuesday morning for a professional interview with the District Superintendent.

Brenda will contact the Johnston's regarding updating the information on St. Paul's Facebook page and website. The next Ad. Council meeting will be held on Wed. Sept. 9th at 5:30 p.m.

Charles made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 p.m.