

**St. Andrew's River Heights United Church, 255 Oak Street**

**Council Meeting May 19, 2026, 7:30 p.m.**

**Present:** Fred Cross, Karen Lumley, Rob Siddall, Bill Craddock, Glenn Neufeld, Linda Paul, Loralie Friesen, Heather Ragot

**Regrets:** Deanne Bennet

**Guests:** Betty Jubinville

## **AGENDA**

### **1. Call to Order: Greetings/Vision Statement**

- a. To live as Christ would have us live, in love, with compassion and seeking justice, by sharing God's grace, learning from scripture, growing through the Spirit and being transformed by faith.

### **2. Devotional (Glenn)**

### **3. Approval of April 21, 2026 Meeting Minutes**

- a. Rob moves, Glen seconds, all in favour.

### **4. Fellowship and Pastoral Care Working Group (Betty Jubinville)**

- a. See attached report.

### **5. Correspondence and Updates**

- a. Contact with Tyler Snell of River Heights Day Care:
  - i. Office space that they have been using (what used to be called the 'library'); it's very hot in the winter with the boiler on.
  - ii. They would like to put a small (bathroom-style) fan to address this issue. Tyler ballparked this to cost about \$1200, and they have asked if St. Andrews would be willing to cover this cost.
  - iii. Bill moved to cover the cost up to \$600, Glenn seconded. Majority approves.
- b. Choir Update (Loralie): the choir thanks council for their support, for a very successful show!

### **6. Minister's Report (Karen)**

- a. Karen has been busy with pastoral care.
- b. See attached responses from Fellowship Sunday congregational discussions.
  - i. These will be shared with the Community of Faith Profile Group.

**7. Boiler Update**

- a. Fundraising announcement was made on Mother's Day.
- b. 16 responses have been received to the fundraising letters (over 200 were sent out). \$20,050 have been received so far.
- c. Property is working on the new removal/installation process.

**8. Community of Faith Profile Group (Fred/Dave)**

- a. The process to set up a task group to create this document for St. Andrew's needs to begin, so that the profile work can begin in September.
- b. Fred will ask Charlotte to manage the documentation process.
- c. Suggestions: Deanne Bennet, Susanne Reimer, Ruth McKenzie, Eric Jensen, Clare and/or Carol Hutton, Cameron Gere, Jason and/or Megan Dyck, Matthew Hamilton
- d. Fred will reach out to suggested group members.

**9. Treasurer's Report (Bill)**

- a. See attached report.

**10. Other Business**

- a. June Devotional: Dave
- b. May Presentation to Congregation: Dave (1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in June)
- c. Post-Service Coffee: Glenn
- d. June Working Group Presentation: Outreach

**11. Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 16, 2026, 7:30pm**

**12. Adjournment**