

St. Mary Magdalene's Anglican Church
Vestry Minutes
June 6, 2011
7:00 pm
Church House

Present: Glen Mary Don Katina
 Rose Natasha Andrea

1. Don opened the meeting with prayer at 7:05 pm.
2. Changes and Additions to Agenda.
None
3. Acceptance of the Agenda.
It was motioned by Don to accept the Agenda. 2nd by Katina. Carried.
4. Acceptance of Minutes – April 11/11
It was motioned by Katina that the Minutes of April 11, 2011 be accepted as presented. 2nd by Andrea. Carried.
5. Executive Meeting Report
Don gave a brief overview of the Executive Meeting
6. Old Business
 - Rectory Repairs
Glen and Mark will get two quotes from contractors for the roof repairs. Will keep us updated.
Andrea has researched grant opportunities and received applications which we could use to request funds to help cover the cost of the roof repair. The Rufus Gibbs Trust is the one that nearest fits our needs. This foundation's focus is northern BC and Yukon and includes building repairs.
 - Keys
Nothing new to report.
 - Church Yard/House Cleanup
Lots accomplished, but still work to be done. It's an ongoing project. There are a few trees that need to be cut down and Don has had discussions with a tree faller who is willing to do the work. He will attend to it as soon as his schedule permits.
 - Bottle Drive
The bottle drive was a success. We made \$329.50.

- **Garage Sale**
Adeline has agreed to organize the garage sale and it will be held on June 18. Old articles need to be removed so we can display the new items for sale.
- **Change Table**
Andrea has purchased the change table at a cost of \$304.00. The United Church had agreed to cover half the cost. A note will be placed in the Church Bulletin requesting donations towards this purchase.
- **Love Fort Nelson**
Everyone's busy schedule did not permit 'Love Fort Nelson' to happen during the month of May. Hopefully it will take place this Fall.
- **Ministerial Report**
The Pentecostal Church has a Youth pastor for the summer months.
- **Parish Prayer Partners**
There has been no response since our last email. Glen will keep us posted.
- **Church Supplies**
Nothing new to report.
- **Sponsor Child**
Andrea sent a letter to our sponsor child and is still waiting for a response. The yearly pledge form for our sponsor child is due in the amount of \$456.00.

Rose motioned that we continue to support our sponsor child. 2nd by Natasha.
Carried.
- **Youth Service**
Well done. Thomas, Kailye and Kiaya did a wonderful job.
- **Next Newsletter**
Our next Newsletter will be early Fall.

7. Correspondence

- Anglican Foundation – acknowledgement of our payment
- South American Missionary Society – request for funds.
- Poster for 'Back to Church Sunday' Sept. 25, 2011

8. Business Arising form Correspondence

None.

9. Finances

We have a balance of \$7,800. Roof repairs are estimated to be \$7000.00.

It was agreed to send \$1,000.00 to the Dioceses.

10. The Way Forward

- Power of Loose Change (Summer collection)

It was agreed that money collected over the summer months will go towards our sponsor child.

- Improving communication
Ongoing.

- 150 Year Anniversary (Anglican Church in North)
Possibly a newspaper article will be submitted.

11. Other Items

Nil.

12. Announcements, Upcoming Events, Informational Items

- Garage Sale Date: June 18, 8:00-12:00pm
- Church Clean Up (ongoing)
- MOT meeting: Sunday, June 12, after church

13. Next Meeting – Monday, August 22, 2011, 7:00 pm

14. Glen closed the meeting with prayer.

15. Adjourned at 8:40pm.