

Parish Council
 Tuesday June 9, 2026
 St. James Anglican Church – Meeting

Attendance: Rev. Mark Lewis, Jill Dumaresq Doug Jarvis, Elizabeth Irwin, Wally Baker, Melody Praise, Rosemary Wells

Regrets: Jack Barkley, Rev. Canon Pat Martin, Patty McLaughlin, Isobel Tuttle

Start time: 7:32

1>Welcome/opening prayer	Mark Lewis	
2.Approval of Agenda	Moved: Wally Baker	Seconded: Jill Dumaresq
2aApproval of Minutes	Moved: Rosemary Wells	Seconded: Elizabeth Irwin
3.Business Arising	a) Events Calendar b) Communication Coordinator c) AFC	Discussed calendar Terry has been hired and working out very well. Cheque for \$500 has been sent to the Anglican foundation
4. Rector' Report	Rev. Mark.	Report Attached Discussion regarding future and moving forward with change and finances.
5. Warden's Report	Jill Dumaresq	Thanks to Jill for consistently creating this report. Done very well as usual!
6.Treasurer's report	Rosemary Wells	Report attached Rosemary moved the report. Jill seconded. Discussion regarding stewardship campaign possibly needed. Rosemary to write Sanjay Grover regarding our financial difficulties according to Diocesan Financial Manual. It was suggested she copy the bishop and executive archdeacon on the correspondence.
7. Holy Trinity report	Isobel Tuttle	No Report.

8. Cemetery report	Jack Barkley	No Report Decoration Day very successful. Councillor Tom Smyth attended and provided some very useful information to the committee.
9. Apple tree ministry	Melody Praine	No Report Thanks for the great work. Jill will take over as second signing officer.
10. New Business	<p>a. Power Outage planned July 5th</p> <p>b. Cemetery Expenses</p> <p>c. Parish wide service August 16th</p> <p>d. Transition planning</p> <p>e. Registered Charity Report</p>	<p>Moved by Jill to go to Holy Trinity for service on July 5th.</p> <p>Seconded by Rosemary Carried</p> <p>Get new Microsoft 365 subscription. Jill and Mark to purchase.</p>
11. Motion to adjourn	Jill	
12. The Grace.		

Meeting Adjourned: 8:50
Recorded by: Mark Lewis