



Report from Council Meeting –April 15, 2025

The following topics were discussed and /or decisions made.

1. Both Rev. Karlene's report and the Worship/CD report indicate **plans for many upcoming events in the next few months. For that reason, the entire Worship/CD April committee meeting report is attached to this report. Please read it and mark your calendars – there are many upcoming events** – plan on attending. We are a busy Community of Faith but it is exciting and will be fun.
2. Plans continue to move ahead with the **installation of the flagpole** project. The contract is signed and the project is already paid by donors but donations are still being accepted – place your cheque in an envelope with your name and marked "flagpole" and place on the offering plate. E-transfers will also be accepted. A plaque "in memory of loved ones" will be installed after the project is completed. We are scheduling a proper "flag raising" for Sunday June 8 hoping everything will be completed.
Council named an Ad Hoc committee to finalize all necessary details and protocols associated with flying the Canadian Flag. Members of the committee are – Two donors, Chair of Finance, Chair of Property, Chair of the Trustees and Chair of Council. We are receiving many positive comments about this project – indicating that St. Paul's UC family want others to know that we are proud Canadians!
3. Group PHOTO ---April 20th ---All attendees to worship will proceed to the front after worship for a group photo taken by Jeff Helsdon. **Photos will be for sale** ---\$5.00 each and available in a few minutes after Jeff is completed taking the photo.
4. Marianne Ferris announced that we at St. Paul's have reserved a booth for **Turtle Fest** on Saturday June 14. Many volunteers will be

needed. There will be a sign-up sheet as the date approaches. Watch for the sheet and sign up. We need your help.

5. AOTS will host their annual **golf tournament** on June 28. This is an event for everyone. Golf will be followed by a Potluck/BBQ at the Memorial Park Pavilion about 6:00 PM. A sign-up sheet will be available as the date approaches. Questions? See Dave Morris.
6. AOTS will host a **youth event** at the Upper Deck on Friday April 25th, 4:30 -6:00 P.M. Games and activities for all ---followed by Pizza. The last event like this was well attended and everyone enjoyed themselves.
7. Council received a **donation** from the Estate of Blanche Mabee. Thank you sincerely to Blanche's family.
8. UCW are **selling geraniums** ---sign up sheet is available outside the Friendship Room. Cost \$3.50 each. The UCW bake sale has been changed to May 31 to coincide with the Yard Sale date.
9. Financial Reports are attached.

Any comments, concerns and/or questions please ask.

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