October 2026 Council Notes

St. Paul Church Council Meeting Minutes
Date: Sunday October 4, 2026 Time: 10:30am Location: St. Paul Church, Hull Iowa
Attendees: President: Jeremy Breuer Elder: Brian Sohl, Dave Kruse Trustee: Dave Tiedemann, Keith Anderson Deacons: Brent Hoegh Treasurer: Norman Winselman Pastor: Owen Hoegh
Call to Order and Opening Prayer: President Jeremy Breuer called the meeting to order. Pastor Owen Hoegh opened with prayer.
Approval of Previous Minutes: Motion made to approve the September meeting minutes. Motion carried unanimously.
Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Norman Winselman presented the financial report for September 2026. Discussion included the purchase of grass seed and dirt for the lawn reseeding project expenses to come out of the building fund. Inflows: $8,354.14
Outflows: $14,762.32 Ending Balance: $41,571.16 Motion carried to approve the Treasurer's report.
Deacons: Nothing new to report
Elders: Approximately $4,800 has been raised so far for the parking lot. An anonymous family has generously agreed to match all the funds raised for this project. Council discussed bringing this to a congregational vote when approximately half of the funds have been raised for this project.
Trustees Report: Nothing new to report
Pastor's Report: Reported visits for the month of September. Brian Sohl and Pastor are headed to the LCMC Gathering today. Pastor provided an update of leading worship services for Fieldcrest and Pleasant Acres.
St. Paul Lutheran will hold this year's Thanksgiving Eve service.
Other Business: Congregation Meeting will be on October 18. Reviewed the nominating committee progress. Discussed and renewed Cemetery Funds into new CD's
Next Meeting will be Sunday, November 1.
The meeting was adjourned with the Lord's Prayer.
Minutes Submitted By: Cassidy Hinds

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- November 1: All Saints Sunday – **Confirmation Class** after worship (7th Commandment)
- November 1: **Church Council Meeting** at 10:30am following the worship service.
- November 2: The **Quilting Group** will begin on Monday at 9:30 a.m. until around 3:30 p.m. All women are invited and welcome. Just come and help assemble quilts to share with people in need. Please bring your own noon lunch, and a coffee break snack if you desire. We will meet the first Monday of every month, unless notified differently. If you have any questions, you may contact Wanda or any other woman for more information. It's a time of fun and fellowship.
- November 6 & 20: **Men's Breakfast** will be at 6:30am on those Friday mornings.
- November 11: **Confirmation Class** at 5:45pm (9th & 10th Commandments).
- November 11: **First Wednesday Potluck** at 6:30pm – "A Fractured Creation."
- November 12: **Team Faith** will be meeting on Thursday at 2:00pm at St Paul Lutheran. Lorraine Kruse is the Bible Study Leader and Deanna Tiedeman will serve the lunch.
- November 15: **Jr. Lutherans operation Christmas Child** shopping
- November 18: **Adult Bible Study** will be held at 6:00pm.
- November 18: **Confirmation Class** at 7:00pm (Apostles' Creed First Article).
- November 19: **SHARE** Group for widows and widowers will meet on Thursday at 11:30am. They will meet at the Hull Pizza Ranch.
- November 25: **Thanksgiving Service** at St Paul Lutheran at 7:00pm (joint service with St John Lutheran).
- November 29: **No** Sunday School

NOVEMBER WORSHIP ASSISTANTS
Deacon: Brent Hoegh
Head Usher: Brian Sohl
Women's Duties: Courtney Hansmann and Rhoda Hansmann

November 2026 Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 9:30am: Worship w/Communion 10:30am: Sunday School & Confirmation Class 10:30am: Church Council Meeting	2 9:30am: Quilters Group	3	4 Confirmation Class (virtual)	5	6 6:30am: Men's Breakfast	7
8 9:30am: Worship 10:30am: Christmas Program Practice	9	10	11 5:45pm: Confirmation Class 6:30pm: First Wednesday Potluck	12 2:00pm: TEAM Faith	13	14
15 9:30am: Worship w/Communion 10:30am: Christmas Program Practice	16	17	18 6:00pm: Adult Bible Study 7:00pm: Confirmation Class	19 11:30am: SHARE Group	20 6:30am: Men's Breakfast	21
22 9:30am: Worship 10:30am: Christmas Program Practice	23	24	25 7:00pm: Thanksgiving Service	26 THANKSGIVING DAY	27	28
29 9:30am: Worship	30					

November Birthdays:

1st - Bruce Fick
4th - Wanda Willemssen
4th – Jack Fick
15th - Leah Egdorf
15th – Maeva Hansmann
20th – Karen Meyer
20th - Keith Anderson
24th – Auston Rozeboom
26th - Dave Suter
27th - JoAnn Moe
29th – Emberly Egdorf
30th – Ada Hoegh

November Anniversaries:

23rd – Jeremy and Nicole Breuer
24th - Earl and Ethel Fick
26th - Glennis and Judy Breuer
29th - Warren and Sheryl Tiedeman