

VESTRY MNUTES
Christ Episcopal Church
Montpelier, Vermont
April 17, 2016

Members present: Rilla Murray, Senior Warden, Chair; Helen Bryan, Steve Dale, Josh Fitzhugh, Ted Long, Junior Warden; Kate McCann, Corrie Wilcox, Denise Womer

Others in attendance: The Rev. Paul Habersang, Priest in Partnership; Virginia Catone, Secretary; the Rev. Beth Ann Maier, Regional Deacon; and the Rev. Jackie Arbuckle, Deacon, All Saints Episcopal Church, South Burlington

At 4:10 p.m. Rilla called to order the meeting, which took place at Ginny's residence in Montpelier immediately preceding the Vestry retreat.

Paul began the meeting with prayers appropriate to the subject matter of the retreat.

Consent agenda: Josh moved acceptance of the consent agenda, which consisted of the minutes of the March 21 meeting and the monthly Priest-in-Partnership report. Kate seconded the motion, which carried.

Financial report: On a motion from Josh which Helen seconded, the Vestry approved the March financial report which JJ sent to the members prior to the meeting.

Memorial funds designated for outreach: Rilla reported that the family of the late Rev. Mary Mansfield has suggested memorial donations in her name be designated for Christ Church outreach. In the absence of a Vestry-sanctioned definition of outreach, Rilla suggested a small group of members develop one to guide the rest of the group in how to allocate such donations; and to present a recommendation at the May meeting. Josh and Helen volunteered.

Rilla announced that she will be away in June and that Helen will chair the June 20 meeting.

On a motion from Ted, the Vestry then adjourned with alacrity to move on to the business of the retreat. *(N.B. There are no minutes of the retreat.)*

Respectfully submitted:

Virginia Catone
Secretary of the Vestry