

Calvary Council Minutes

Wednesday May 20, 2026

Attending: Sara Moran, Amber Coauette, John Selisker, Curt Peterson, Heidi Fladeboe, Tom Hatfield, Chris Anderson, Sue Sppalla, Sharon Hoverson

Excused:

Ex-Officio: Garrett Fultz, Pr. Chris

The meeting was called to order at 4:35pm

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Consent agenda - Approval of April Minutes

Motion to approve: Second:

Leadership reports

Ministry and Vision:

- Stewardship of Land Recommendation
 - The Land Task Force recommendation is as follows:
To sell the discussed adjacent land of approximately 17.5 acres, on the east side of Calvary's property, to North Central Door by Garaga for a minimum of \$1,067,220.00.
 - Motion was made by Curt, 2nd by Amber to bring this recommendation to the congregation at the June 14 special meeting. The Council voted unanimously to pass the motion.

Old Business

- Light project Update
 - Motion was made by Chris, 2nd by Sue, to approve using the trust money of about \$53,000 to complete the sanctuary light project this summer. Todavich Electric will do the work, but to save some money we will use Calvary labor to move the pews. The current sanctuary lights will be moved to the fellowship hall. Motion passes
- Preschool playground/garden sanctuary Update/New fencing
 - Volunteers put up the train garden beds. A contractor was hired to set up the new playground. Looks great!
 - Motion to approve the preschool playground new fencing as long as it is under \$8,000, with recommendation of a 6 ft. fence.
 - Motion to approve: Curt, Second: John, Motion passed.

- Give boldly end of the year's stewardship appeal, we currently have \$25,000 in envelopes out so met our \$20,000 match amount \$20,000. Currently there are only 3 people who signed up for recurring giving through rebel Give.
- New directory
 - The council is in favor of beginning the process of a new directory, with a one-year timeline: Build into budget, build a team, decide vendor and if we want paper, digital, or both.
- Treasurer's Report: review of financials, Summary Income Statement
 - Year-to-date giving is up 6% from last year
- Closing prayer

Next meeting date: May 20, 2026

- For the good of the order:
 - Sharing out stewardship information

Thanksgiving/Closing Prayer

Next Council meeting: Gathering in June

Newsletter schedule: June - Sara

Mission and Vision statement: *Gathering to worship, connecting with Jesus, serving our neighbors: God calls us to live faithfully, follow Jesus boldly and serve others joyfully.*