



**ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
**21 S. MAIN STREET**  
**LEWISTOWN, PA**  
**THE REV. CANON DAVID A. ZWIFKA, RECTOR**  
**THE REV. LORETTA L. COLLINS, DEACON**

*Vestry Minutes*  
*January 15, 2013—5:30 p.m.*

St. Mark's Vestry held their regular monthly meeting with Fr. David, Blair Hannon, Loretta Collins, Tony Hatfield-Nicholson, Deb Vaughn, Elta Lauver, Fred McKinley and Joyce Hart present.

The meeting was opened with prayer offered by Father David.

The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and deemed accepted as submitted.

Treasurer Elta Lauver expressed a need to have a MAC card from Kish Bank for Mother Hubbard's Cupboard for banking needs. Joyce Hart made a motion to allow the application for a MAC card and Tony Hatfield-Nicholson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

It was reported that Mother Hubbard's Cupboard had provided food for 1,182 families and 3,114 individuals in 2012. Activity of the Parishioners Outreach was relatively slow in December.

It was noted that St. Mark's has recently received \$2,500 of an Operational Grant from the Central Pennsylvania Diocese. This is greatly appreciated as it comes at a time when the Treasurer finds it necessary to hold checks until funds are adequate to cover them.

Father David discussed with the Vestry the desire to change Sunday morning service time to 9:30 a.m. This would allow time to conduct Sunday School classes for all ages at 8:45 a.m. Elta Lauver made the motion to change the time as afore-mentioned and Blair Hannon seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Father David then reviewed with the Vestry a Sunday School curriculum entitled "Feasting on the Word", which provides material for all ages from Kindergarten to Adult. The program is based on the Lectionary. The cost for the program is approximately \$700. Tony Hatfield-Nicholson made a motion to approve the purchase of this program at a cost not to exceed \$700. Deb Vaughn seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

It was reported that our Fair Share cost was different than what was calculated at the December 2012 meeting. Blair Hannon made a motion to amend our Fair Share amount to \$13,482 for 2013. Fred McKinley seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Discussion was then held regarding the 2013 Budget. Fr. David reviewed with the Vestry the procedure to make a calculated dip into the principle of our Investments. This would be done only to meet our deficit over the next five years and would be judiciously done so that we would still be good stewards of our money.

Fr. David agreed to contact Jeffrey Glendye to obtain an estimate to paint the interior of the Church.

Fr. David then offered a closing prayer.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned to meet again February 19, 2013.

Joyce M. Hart  
Clerk of the Vestry