

# St. James' Episcopal Church

## Vestry Meeting Agenda

### September 21, 2023

**We are a welcoming and serving community that is intentionally multi-generational. All that we do is centered on Jesus.**

- **Meeting Called To Order**

Apologies:

Guests:

- **Opening Prayer** (Vivienne)

- **Monthly Business**

- Oral Communications: 10 minutes
- Approval of August 17 Vestry Meeting Minutes (Lori)
- Review and Acceptance of August Financial Reports (Bruce)
- Acceptance of August Staff and Ministry Reports (Lori)

- **New and Continuing Business**

- Record Email Votes: Choir Retreat Expense & Scholarship Distribution (Meg)
- Discussion: Ministry Leader/Participant Lunch October 8 (Lori)
- Vote: Expense to Trim Three Trees, \$5,000 (Bev)
- Update: Request for Funding from Diocese/Bishop for Family Leave (Meg)
- Brainstorm: Identifying New Income Streams (Lori)
- Discussion/Executive Session: Staff Benefits (Meg)

- **Reminders**

- Newsletter Article for October, due September 20 (Samir)
- Newsletter Article for November, due October 20 (Barbara)
- Next Vestry Meeting: October 19 (prayers – Charisma)
- Resolution Discussion: September 24
- Feast of St. Francis & Animal Blessing: October 1
- New Monday Evening Bible Study: October 2

- **Meeting Adjourned / Compline** (Vivienne)