

Bethany Lutheran Church Council

Minutes Pending Approval

January 25, 2026

Bethany Lutheran Church Council met January 25, 2026 at 10:30 AM.

Present were Vice President Jayne Shaffer, Secretary Julie Rasmussen, Treasurer Dilla Arneson, Becky Martinson, and Marty Shaw.

The meeting was called to order by Jayne.

Treasurer's Report was given by Dilla. Motion to approve was made by Julie. Seconded by Marty. Carried.

Secretary's Report was not available. Will be given at the next council meeting.

Parish Council Report was given by Judy Wonsmos. She updated that some of the council members from Trinity Lutheran, Mason City, had attended that Parish Council meeting and they are interested in helping us out in any way.

Old Business: The copier is jammed and has been worked on but with no results.

New Business: Doug had talked to the officers of the council before and asked if they would keep their positions. They all agreed. President-Doug Arneson, Vice President-Jayne Shaffer, and Secretary Julie Rasmussen.

The communion schedule for 2026 was filled out.

Discussion was held about changing the time and date for council meetings. It was decided that the council will meet on the second Sunday of the month right after church. Julie brought up the idea of holding council meeting every two months starting in March. If something needed our attention during those two months, a special meeting would be called and Julie will notify council members by text. Motion to accept was made by Becky. Seconded by Marty.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Julie and seconded by Becky.

Respectfully Submitted,

Julie Rasmussen, Secretary

Communion List for 2026

February – Becky Martinson

March – Marty Shaw

April – Marty Shaw

May – Donna Heagel

June – Julie Rasmussen

July – Doug Arneson

August – Doug Arneson

September – Jayne Shaffer

October – Jayne Shaffer

November – Becky Martinson

December – Julie Rasmussen

January 2026 – Donna Heagel