On Sunday, September 21, 2025, Church council Vice President Thomas Shaw announced that there is a candidate to be our new interim pastor. However, he is employed at another local church that has their service at 9:30 a.m. If we hire him, we will have to move our service starting time to 11:00 a.m. Mr. Shaw asked the congregation to vote on moving the service to 11:00 a.m. and the 21 members at the service voted in favor of moving the service.

On Thursday, September 25, 2025, the Church Council met with Pastor Nils Nielson and Vicar Roger Ruggles for Vicar Ruggles to sign a contract to be our interim minister for a period of six to eight months. Vicar Ruggles will begin at St. Paul on October 20, with his first Sunday service being October 26, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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Church Council secretary