

<p>Other business for this meeting?</p>	<p>Responsibilities for next year’s board: Bill will be Church Council representative, Steve will make up the agenda and either he or Bill will chair the meetings, according to who is in town and not too busy otherwise. Paul will continue as secretary.</p> <p>Hot water heater and/or dishwasher aren’t hot enough. After a few loads the temperature is lukewarm. The hot water in the kitchen isn’t very hot, so maybe the thermostat is set too low. Also, the dishwasher’s water heater may not be working</p> <p>We set a 28 March date for a Saturday workday to do leaf cleanup around the buildings.</p> <p>Sustainability Assignment—We discussed the idea to sell engraved brick pavers for the Cowan Chapel sidewalk. Bill looked at one site online, called Polar Engraving: http://polarengraving.com/brick-fundraiser/?gclid=COejqZWqnMQCFVQ2gQodw3kAng. An excerpt from their website is included as an addendum at the end of these minutes. Using Polar engraving’s estimate as a starting point, we think 4”x8” brick pavers are the most suitable, and a minimum of 50 pre-paid subscriptions at \$100 per brick would be required before we would think it worthwhile to proceed. Cost is \$17.50 per brick, which we increased to \$25.00 per brick final installed cost. Under those assumptions we would net \$3500. We also figure that there wouldn’t be a lot of repeat business, making this more or less a one-shot deal, with orders merely trickling in thereafter. There is some question as to how much time and energy this would take, given the modest gains we envision in this somewhat conservative forecast. We reiterate our strong suggestion that any money raised be put towards long-term repair and replacement needs, for which we currently have insufficient capital.</p> <p>Bill wrote and we all signed a thank-you note to Dana Rousey for her work in taking on cleaning, organizing and repair projects.</p> <p>Next meeting</p>	<p>Organize volunteers</p> <p>April 13, 2015</p>	<p>Dave?</p>	
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Addenda to the minutes

Excerpt from Dave's pew cushion project report, based on research by Mary and Dave.

The information below is based on 22 new cushions the appropriate length and the same style, rolled front edge. Waggoners and Church Interiors will send someone to measure. We are not sure about Cokesbury.

Company	Cushion density	Cushion thickness	Fabric	Warranty	Non skid foam	Deliver date	Cost
Waggoners	2.8#/cu in	2"	Shire	20 yr	part of cost	60-90 days	\$3,450
Church Interiors	2.8#/cu in	2"	Shire	15 yr	Doesn't think we'll need	45-90 days	\$3,115
Cokesbury	2.8#/cu in	2"		15 yr	Info not available	Not available	\$4,362

Excerpt from Polar Engraving website with example profitability figures

SIZE	SOLD	PRICE PER BRICK	DONATION	COST	TOTAL PROFIT
4" x 8" Brick	50	\$17.50	\$100	\$875.00	\$4,125.00
4" x 8" Brick	100	\$17.50	\$100	\$1,750.00	\$8,250.00