Highlights of Council Meeting — September 8, 2025

President Glen Fynaardt opened with devotions and mutual censure from Romans 12:17-21. We are exhorted to do what is right, living at peace with each other, allowing God to take revenge as He is the ultimate Judge. By doing so, we overcome evil with good.

The minutes of the August 4, 2025, Council meeting were read and approved.

The elders' report was received for information.

The deacons' report was received for information.

The treasurer's report was received and approved. The General Fund balance was \$193,503 as of August 31, 2025. The Building Fund balance is \$53,521.

Classis Central Plains will meet September 19-20, 2025, at Sully CRC. Our delegates are Pastor David Swinney, Elder Tim Franje, and Deacon Spencer Fynaardt. Alternates are Elder Dale Fynaardt and Deacon Doug Vande Voort. Pastor Swinney will volunteer to serve as alternate clerk for Classis.

The Church Building Committee report was received for information,

- Approval was given for a bid from Van Kooten Construction to replace aging siding on the west and south sides of the church with LP siding for an estimated cost of \$5,000.
- The Building Committee has contracted with Menninga Pest Control for rodent control.
- Eroding rock on the east parking lot has been pushed back to the sidewalk. Plans are to install underground tile to drain the down spouts.
- The basement floor will be stripped and waxed sometime this winter.

The Building Committee has been busy, and we appreciate their efforts to keep our building in tip-top shape.

The next Council meeting will be October 6, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.

Doug Vande Voort closed the meeting with prayer.