

**PASTORAL SEARCH TEAM
MEETING MINUTES
Calvary Lutheran Church
Tuesday, December 27, 2011
7:00 p.m.**

Present: Grace Gunnlaugsson, Larry Bonier, Andy Schatz, Peggy Langelin, Mark Nyka, Ron Foster

Excused: Pastor Cathi Braasch, Kim Steiner, Erica Zipp, Janet Zastrow

Opening Devotion

- The meeting was opened at 7:00 with a devotion based on Genesis 12:1-3 focusing on new beginnings.

Business

- Bible study – 1 Timothy, Chapter 5 emphasizes the need to support a pastor both financially and in his or her ministry
- December 18 adult forum was well received
- All PST members will check TeamLab frequently and leave a comment when they have read any new postings.
- We will hold our practice interview with Pastor Ken Comstock on Thursday, January 26 at 7:00 p.m.
- Future PST meetings will be held on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m.
- We compiled an initial list of interview questions to be reviewed at our next meeting.
- We discussed the need for a pastoral support team after our new pastor arrives.
- NALC will be asked to send us background packets along with candidates' names.

Agenda Items for January 9

- Interview questions
- Evaluation forms for interviews and sermon samples
- Format for practice interview

Closing

The meeting was closed with prayer and adjourned at 9:00 pm.

Grace Gunnlaugsson