

# Neepawa United Church

Annual Meeting  
February 8, 2026

Glen Cummings chaired the 2026 Annual Meeting which was held after the Church Service. Copies of the 2025 Annual Report were available.

## Opening Motions:

1. **MOTION:** Moved by Nora Kaye and seconded by Ann Nielsen that Glen Cummings be the chairperson for this meeting. **Carried.**
2. **MOTION:** Moved by Betty Ebner and seconded by Susan Phillips that Linda Hart be recording secretary for this meeting. **Carried.**
3. **MOTION:** Moved by Leona Kucher and seconded by Susan Phillips that all adherents along with the members of Neepawa United Church be given the ability to speak to the meeting and vote on temporal matters. **Carried.**
4. **MOTION:** Moved by Rita Friesen and seconded by Leila Hildebrand that the minutes of the Annual Meeting of February 2, 2025 be adopted. **Carried.**

## Chairperson's Message

Glen indicated that the following Committee Reports are in the AGM booklet and opened the floor to questions on the reports. He also thanked all the volunteers who work on these committees.

## Reports

- a) Pastoral Charge Supervisor
  - Rev. Leith Saunders introduced herself as the new Pastoral Charge Supervisor
- b) Board of Trustees
- c) Stewardship
- d) Property
- e) UCW Report and 2025 Financials
  - Susan Phillips corrected some numbers on the UCW report
- f) Membership
- g) Neepawa United Church Statistics

**MOTION:** Moved by Judy Elgert and seconded by Ann Nielsen that the reports in the Neepawa United Church 2025 Annual Report be accepted as printed, with the exception of the Financial Reports. **Carried.**

**New Business** - none

## Financial Reports

- The Financial Reports are part of the AGM booklet and Treasurer, Judy Elgert, was available to answer any questions concerning them.

**#1. MOTION:** Moved by Judy Elgert and seconded by Rita Friesen that the 2025 Neepawa United Church Financial Statements & Report be accepted. **Carried.**

**#2. MOTION:** Moved by - - - - - Judy Elgert and seconded by Leila Hildebrand that the 2026 Neepawa United Church Budget be accepted. **Carried.**

**Nomination Report**

**2026 Board Members**

Chair	Glen Cummings
Vice Chair	Lynda Lowry
Past Chair	Rita Friesen
Property	Grant Babcock
Secretary	Linda Hart
Treasurer	Judy Elgert
UCW appointment (one vote)	revolving chair
Members at Large (one vote each)	Jean Jackson
	Betty Ebner
	Susan Phillips
Trustees (one vote)	Leila Hildebrand
	Gayle Johnston
Regional Rep	Liz Sumner
Stewardship	Lynda Lowry
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Pastoral Charge Supervisor	Rev. Leith Saunders
Minister	vacant

**MOTION:** Moved by Betty Ebner and seconded by Brian Bailey that the Nomination Report be accepted and further that the Board be given the authority to fill vacant positions on the Board. **Carried.**

**Motion for Signing Officers**

**MOTION:** Moved by Leila Hildebrand and seconded by Leona Kucher that any two of Chair: Glen Cummings, Secretary: Linda Hart or Treasurer: Judy Elgert be signing officers and that Daphne Hall be appointed as financial reviewer for the year. **Carried.**

Rita Friesen moved adjournment of the meeting.