

Peace Lutheran School Leadership Team Meeting Minutes
Monday, January 5, 2026

SLT Members Present: Rachel Ramer, Julia Barnes, Katie Kakes, Sandy Greening, Carolyn Doucette, and Jeremy Rotzoll (MMT)

SLT Members Absent: None

Other's Present: Principal Paul Thompson

Meeting called to order at 5:17pm. Julia shared a devotion, and Principal Thompson led the group in opening prayer.

A. Assemble, mission, vision, devotion (Julia) & opening prayer

B. Take 10

- a) How did you SEE GOD at work in your life this week?
- b) What has God been teaching you in HIS WORD?
- c) What kind of CONVERSATIONS are you having with pre-Christians?
- d) What good can we DO around here?
- e) How can we help you in PRAYER?

C. Approval of December meeting minutes via email: Matt Pingel (motion) and Bree Kratz (2nd)

D. Election of SLT officers

- a) Rachel nominated as Chair
- b) Katie nominated as Secretary
- c) Both nominations passed via majority vote

E. Set 2026 SLT regular meeting schedule

- a) Group agreed to have a standing schedule on the first Monday of each month at 4:30PM. This can always be changed down the road if it is not working
- b) Rachel will send out meeting reminder as place holder for everyone

F. Set 2026 SLT regular devotion schedule

- January – Julia Barnes
- February – Principal Thompson
- March – Rachel Ramer
- April – Jeremy Rotzoll
- May – Katie Kakes
- June – Carolyn Doucette
- August – Sandy Greening
- September – Rachel Ramer
- October – Principal Thompson
- November – Jeremy Rotzoll
- December – Carolyn Doucette

G. Administrator Reports

- a) Financial Reports – 11.30.25 Balance Sheet, 11.30.25 P&L
- b) Reviewed NLSA Timeline with new SLT members

- c) Reviewed and made additions to Board Yearly Calendar

H. Executive Session – Started at 6:05 PM, Ended at 6:42 PM

- I.** Action from Executive Session – School and SLT has prioritized curriculum review and implementation through 2035 which will address electives in the future

J. SLT Self-Governance Policy Review

- a) Group to review and email any recommendations for changes to chair. If there are no recommended changes group will approve and adopt via email

K. Any other Business

- a) Leader's Retreat at Camp Luther this Saturday January 10th, 2026
 - b) SLT installation at both the 8AM and 10:30AM services this Sunday

Motion made by Carolyn to adjourn, seconded by Katie. Meeting adjourned at 7:04pm.

Date of next SLT Meeting: Open Meeting scheduled for Monday, February 2nd, 2026, 6pm – 6:30 PM in the STEAM lab at Peace Lutheran School

Next Devotional Leader: **Principal Thompson**