Worship Team Minutes
Front Street UMC
October 19, 2026

Marianna Harris opened the meeting with prayer and welcomed everyone.

Those in attendance were Marianna Harris, Carol Sineath, Melissa Miller, Daniel Polito, Tom Burke, Ray Warren, Glenda Blue, Linda Paul, Fred Glassford, Vicky Glassford, Matt Estes and Mary Holden Burke.

Old business and concerns

The lights above the organ appear to be flickering. Will check on this issue.
Daniel reported on security issues:

- watched the zoom from the Conference-good information
- Greeter team
- New check in procedures for children's Sunday School area
- Scheduling with Zach for opening and closing

Work Area Reports

Altar Guild—Marianna Harris
All Saint's Day is November 1st
Candles ordered for Christmas Eve
Melissa handling purchasing glow sticks for the children

Christmas—Glenda Blue
Decorate on November 23
First Sunday in Advent is November 29
Lesson and Carols on December 6
Poinsettias in Sanctuary on December 6—price $20. Information to be included in the newsletter.

Flowers—Linda Paul
New calendar is ready to post for 2027

Communion—Fred Glassford
Schedule is approved for 2027
Daniel will check on packaged elements
New covers were purchased for the chalices
Do place the platen, chalice and pitcher back on the altar
Discussed when to light the Paschal candle:

- Easter Sunday
- Easter season
- The Sunday after a funeral

Collectors and Ushers—Tom Burke
No report

Weddings—Mary Holden Burke
No report

Aldersgate—Carol Sineath
New contemporary worship leader, Jimmy Paton, is doing a great job

Melissa Miller—Acolytes
Still working on children as acolytes and readers

Music—Matt Estes
Pipes are back in the chamber
Lewis on-going with tuning—completing in 2027
No Bel Canto or Carolina Brass this year
Vienna Girls' Choir scheduled at Front Street on April 16, 2027 as host for Paramont Theater

Pastor's time-Ray
Holy Comforter having a Blue Christmas Service on December 9th 12 noon-1pm for those not feeling the glee of Christmas season
Caution for the steps in the chancel area—safety issues

Closing prayer and dismissal—Pastor Ray

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Holden Burke