



**ST. PAUL EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
CONTINUING RESOLUTION
ESTABLISHING A CHARGE TO THE MUTUAL MINISTRY TEAM**

The Mutual Ministry Team is charged with supporting and facilitating the health and well-being of the Pastor(s), the Church Administrator, and the ministry of St. Paul Lutheran Church, New Braunfels, Texas.

PURPOSE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The Mutual Ministry Team is to provide the Pastor(s) and the Church Administrator the opportunity to share joys, concerns, and frustrations and to work with them to facilitate the resolution of concerns.

The Mutual Ministry Team is to serve as a sounding board for long- and short-range ideas, goals, or plans.

The Mutual Ministry Team should carry out its charge and responsibilities with an eye toward helping the Pastor(s) and Church Administrator be better Pastor(s) and Church Administrator.

STRUCTURE AND OPERATION

The Mutual Ministry Team shall consist of at least five members. All members of the Mutual Ministry Team shall be voting members of St. Paul Lutheran Church. The Congregational President, by virtue of office, shall be a member of the Mutual Ministry Team.

The Chair of the Mutual Ministry Team shall be appointed by the Church Council.

The members of the Mutual Ministry Team shall be nominated by the Chair and appointed by the Church Council.

There is no time limit to serving on the Mutual Ministry Team. Members will serve at the pleasure of Council, as long they feel called by God to do so and are willing and able to support the mutual ministry of St. Paul Lutheran Church.

The Mutual Ministry Team shall have no power, authority, or budget. Voice only.

The Mutual Ministry Team shall meet with the Pastor(s) and the Church Administrator as often as necessary to fully carry out its charge, but no less than once per quarter.

The Mutual Ministry Team is required to report to the Church Council once per quarter as to the number of meetings that were held. The Mutual Ministry Team is not required to take minutes or communicate the content of the meetings to the Church Council. The Team is asked to use their own judgment as to what topics, issues or concerns need to be communicated and in what manner the communication should take place.

Approved by Council on September 20, 2010.

BRYAN BAESE
Congregation President

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