The Episcopal Church in Delaware Diocesan Council Meeting Minutes – A Synopsis January 19, 2023

A motion was made, seconded, and approved to hold the 239th Diocesan Convention at Clayton Hall, University of Delaware in November 2023.

Bishop Brown nominated Helen Spence to serve as Vice President of the Diocesan Council for 2023. The motion was made, seconded and passed unanimously.

Bishop Brown moved to recognize Saint Anne's Middletown social media advertising campaign by disbursing \$5,000 from program reserves in support of their innovative digital marketing project, just completed, that encouraged people to come back to church in person, and in thanksgiving for their readiness to share what they had learned with the wider diocese. The motion was seconded and was passed.

The Standing Committee is leading the Mutual Ministry Review, which is an opportunity to see how we are doing as a diocese, by collecting inputs from clergy and lay church leaders and parishioners. A number of people, including Diocesan Council members, will be interviewed by Standing Committee members in February. An online survey, open to all, will be launched in March.