

# MINUTES OF THE ST. PIUS X PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

November 3, 2020

The regular meeting of the St. Pius X Parish Council was held on Tuesday, November 3, 2020, at 7:00pm in the parish house. Council members present: Fr. Kopel, Mike Wiley, Laurie Miller, Sarah Severson. Also present: Jim Thibodeau, Stacie Weinheimer and Lisa Guthmiller. Absent: Joe Stahl, Tawana Grueb and Colleen Lamb.

The meeting was opened by a prayer led by Father Kopel. The minutes from the May 13 meeting and the current agenda were reviewed and with no corrections or additions passed by the council motioned by Mike and seconded by Laurie.

The Financial reports were also reviewed by the council and a short discussion was held. Following the discussion, the finance reports were approved by the council from motions by Mike and seconded by Sarah.

Old Business: A brief update on the Covid situation was given.

## Committee Reports:

Respect Life: Stacie reported on the groups fall fundraiser and welcome Sunday.

Religious Education: I scheduled for this summer. Teachers are still needed for this fall and hopefully we will be able to get back to a normal class schedule.

Social Concerns: Laurie started a discussion on what to do about the bazaar this year. Several ideas on options were discussed. Father will bring this up at Mass and see what the parish is thinking.

Maintenance: Jim Thibodeau informed the council that he will be retiring as of January 1. A search for his replacement will be put in the bulletin.

Religious Education: Stacie Weinheimer presented a report on the religious ed program and stated that everything is going fabulous. We have 46 kids enrolled in grades 1-10 this year and they have had wonderful and positive attitudes about all the Covid guidelines and changes. There are 2 teachers for each of the classes and she has been holding committee meetings to prepare them for the school year. She brought to the council some minor maintenance issues that she would like addressed. Father asked about teacher gifts for this year. It was decided that Stacie will be buying mixes again for the 14 teachers and Father will get candy bars for the students.

In closing comments, Mike Wiley said that he will be doing upgrade work and possible training on the AED machine located in the church. Laurie Miller also asked Father when his retirement date will be, and he stated that it has been pushed back to July 1 because of Covid.

The next meeting date was set at January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021

With no further business to discuss Father led the council in a closing prayer.