

MINUTES OF THE ST. PIUS X PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

August 7, 2019

The regular meeting of the St. Pius X Parish Council was held on Wednesday, August 7, 2019, 7:00pm in the parish house. Present were: Fr. Kopel, Sarah Severson, Mike Wiley, Colleen Lamb, Laurie Miller, Jim Thibodeau, Stacie Weinheimer and Lisa Guthmiller. Absent: Tawana Grueb, Joe Stahl

The meeting was opened and led in prayer by Fr. Jerry Kopel.

A review of the minutes of the December 4 meeting and the current agenda was held. A motion to approve the previous meeting minutes and agenda was made by Mike, seconded by Laurie and passed unanimously by council.

Current finance reports were reviewed. After a discussion of account balances, church budget and finances from current and past years, economic/church money issues it was decided to have Father address the members on the situation sometime in the next couple of weeks. A motion was made by Sarah and seconded by Colleen to accept the finance reports as presented and they were approved by the Council.

OLD BUSINESS: No old business was discussed

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

RESPECT LIFE: Advent Baby Shower went great. Some items were given to a family in town and the American Legion Auxiliary for distribution in one of their programs. The March Appreciation Sunday lunch went great. The baby bottle fundraiser turnout was great, and they collected \$468.62 for the support of church programs. Next meeting will be held in September.

SOCIAL CONCERNS: Colleen and Laurie will be working on Funeral Committee assignments and sign-up sheets for the Lunch committees for 2019-2020. Stacie requested that the names of the March Respect Life/Appreciation group be printed so that members know who is involved.

EDUCATION: Stacie reported that the 18-19 school year went awesome and that all diocese deadlines have been met for the year. There was one student Confirmed and 4 celebrated their First Communion. VBS had a fabulous turnout with 45 kids attending and everything went great! Nail and water issues had to be addressed beforehand and issues with the basement being cold and electric heaters on in lobby were discussed along with the need to borrow tech equipment in the future (they will leave with Father). Books have been ordered for the 19-20 school year and 5 teachers will be needed. Freezer issues in the rectory refrigerator were addressed. Water issues in the basement and corrective measures taken by Jim were also discussed.

MAINTENANCE: Jim reviewed the insurance inspection report and what he did to correct the problems noted.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. It was also noted that there will be Confirmation class this year consisting of 11-12 grade and Father will decide whether to include the 2 sophomore students also. They will probably have to be added to the Pierre group and there is no date at this point. Classes will have to be held on Wednesday evenings.

The next meeting date was set for Wednesday, October 2, 2019, 7:00pm in the church basement and closing prayer was led by Father Kopel.

With there being no further new business a call to adjourn was made by Sarah and seconded by Laurie.