

Parish Council Minutes: May 4, 2011

Members in attendance: Kathy Badgerow, Mark Millage, Charley Malewitz, Jeff Kerner, Mark Tepen, Paul Wadaga, Stephanie Kirwan, Fr. Bob

1. Opening Prayer - Mark Millage

2. Remarks by Council President

Nothing to report.

3. Commission Reports

a. Worship Commission

- Great turnout for Divine Mercy Sunday - both at Adoration and Confession
- Seder Meal: ~80 people came to the dinner
- Mass at Cemetery is coming at the end of the month for Memorial Day
- Discussion as to where to put the Picture of JPPII, decided upon "gathering space"

b. Finance

- Commission is preparing the Year-End Report
- Discussed & approved plan for St. Michael House & T3

4. Old Business

Nothing to report.

5. New Business

a. Membership Drive

- Move to June 4/5 (make sure Fr. Bob preaches & bulletin announcements)
- Stephanie will coordinate the drive - likely 4 people at each mass, 2 at each entrance
- Aside: Pictorial Directory

b. Houses of Formation

- Grand total of 21 in formation this past year: 12 women and 9 men
- Waiting lists for next year
- Greatest problem is that we rent the Men's House
- Renovate upstairs to include Men's House - discussed & approved, as w/ Finance Com.

c. Cemetery Clean-up

- The Knights did a clean-up at the cemetery last Saturday - huge help

6. Pastor's Remarks

a. First Communion

- Corpus Christi, June 26, 11 am Mass - it will always be on this Feast Day
- Procession after Mass - with Color Corps

b. Confirmation

- Thursday, May 19, 7 pm - Bishop Boyea will celebrate
- For area parishes: St. John's, Holy Trinity, St. Joseph, Immaculate Conception-Milan

c. Catholic Urban Project

- Two sites: Ypsilanti, Flint
- Exploring possible site in India - a member of the parish will research this in India this summer
- Day-long youth group event in Flint
- Schola Artium is kicking-off this summer

d. Report back on Blue Mass

7. Next Meeting

- Summer recess: June & July
- Tentative meeting: August 18

8. Closing Prayer - Fr. Bob