Minutes from St. Michael's Council – October 10, 2022

Call to order & Opening Prayer. No quorum. No minutes approved

Attendance: Janet Burns, Tom Helbing, John Santangelo, Craig Pfau, Katie Graham, Sean Valentine, and Judy Jahnke

Not attendance: Father Courtright, Lori Swinney, Rhonda Varriano, Mary Ann Whalen, Tim Brooke, and Jeri Anderson

Organization Reports:

Altar Society: The Altar Society had their Fall Breakfast on Sunday, October 16. They served between 280-300. We would like to thank everyone who attended and the KC's for helping at the breakfast. It was a great event. Altar Society served three funerals this week at St. Michael's.

Men's Club – No report

KC – Serving the supper after the Special Olympics bowling. Color contest for school kids. Prizes will be given out to kids. Thinking of a hockey shoot out in February.

Bridge Builders – tree of lights – December

Broad of Education – They had a meet and greet along with a potluck to meet the teachers. A teacher was released during the probation period. A teacher was hired on a temporary basis. Baskets being given to the Gala.

Finance Council – Did not meet today. Adult envelope and plate on par from last year. \$77,000 on endowments this quarter. Bridge Builders – pay for Pre-K curriculum. Sara received a \$5000 grant from Thrivent toward the gym ceiling. Income totals – down a little over \$40,000.

Expenses: table for Northland rescue mission for banquet - \$750. Repairs – new fire panel.

No Pastoral report:

Norrhland Rescue mission -80th Anniversary – November 17. 10 people can attend. Table bought

150th Anniversary – thank you to Altar Society. Ongoing for the year

Picture directory – 250 people signed up

Gala – December 2nd. \$50 apiece. Will start selling tickets after masses. Pitch on November 12/13. Great success last year. Jenny Kuntz – chair. Question: Has the council done a basket in the past? The answer was "yes".

Sanctuary Renovation: \$70,000 saved so far. It would cost around 1 million to redo the whole thing. Two companies – Durable restoration (Columbus, Ohio), Conrad Schmidt Company out of Wisconsin.

Discussed security – lock doors 15 minutes after meeting starts. Suggestion to put pastor notes in the bulletin.

Discussion for the next meeting: Pastor Courtright to put pastoral notes in bulletin.