

## Parish Council Minutes

2/11/19

Father Benton - Opening Prayer & Comments

Krista Braun - Review and Approval of February minutes

Corrections/Additions - Brad Knochelmann accept

Dan Pikar second

In Attendance: Mary Carol Heidrich, Father Benton Clift, Dianna Ferguson, Judy Dornbusch, Mary Ellen McDaniel, Dan Pikar, Brad Knochelmann and Krista Braun.

Absent: Lisa Bottom

### **Brad Knochelmann - Maintenance**

- Getting estimates for lighting from Arc Electric
- Getting estimates for surveillance for camera in sacristy and different parts of the campus to patrol activity from Res Comm Security
- Drain is still blocked with rust due to weather
- New riding mower is still pending

### **Mary Carol Heidrich - Faith Formation, Men's Group, PREP, RCIA**

- Men's Group
  - They helped Pro Life put up crosses. The first attempt to take down the crosses, they were frozen to the ground. They were able to get them up at a later date.
  - The E6 Men's Conference will be held in Indiana on Saturday, February 23rd.
- PREP - No updates
- RCIA -
  - We have a candidate at Holy Cross.
  - Father Clift reported that we may have 25 individuals from the Guatemalan Community coming into the church.

### **Dianna Ferguson - Recreation, Boosters, Foresters**

- Recreation - No updates
- Boosters - No updates
- Foresters -
  - **Sunday February 10 – St. Anthony Roller Skating Party at Lloyds  
4:00-6:00**

- **DRAMA CLUB** - weekly meetings are under way! We will then act out our story on stage for the school and parish sometime in early May!
- **COF is excited to announce the return of the Pappy Raffle!!** This year we will be raffling off one 10year bottle of Old RipVanWinkle and one bottle of George T. Stagg bourbon whiskey!

### **Lisa Bottom - School, ACUE**

- School
  - Open House was well attended and had 7 visitors. Several families came by to check out Kindergarten.
  - Registration is currently going on and family registration night is on March 8th.
  - Confirmation went well and there were 6 students confirmed.
- ACUE - No updates

### **Mary Ellen McDaniel - Social Outreach**

- Baby Bottle campaign raised \$728.34 in 2017 and \$1248.16 in 2018
- St. Vincent De Paul
  - They are typically slow in January and are currently working with 5 families.
  - They are looking into starting a loan program
  - Our chapter meeting is at the end of the month
- MACC - January numbers were down
- Prayer Blanket Ministry
  - Healing Blanket Ministry has been busy
  - Baby Blanket Ministry has been busy with 7 baptisms
- Ladies Tea is scheduled for March 30, 2019 at 2:00 pm. Ticket sales are still going on and can be purchased after each mass at the back of church.

### **Dan Pikar - Finance**

- Current Finance Council consists of either former/current bankers, accountants or finance managers.
- Current members include Dan Pikar, Blair Thompson, Jim Gehrhardt, Brian Fischer and Tom Ewing.

- Dan Pikar will take care of expressing a thank you to the parish for exceeding our DPAA goal.

### **Judy Dornbusch - Evangelization**

- Judy is looking into getting a bible study together for Lent. She's picked out a couple of studies which are "A Biblical Walk With Mary" and "No Greater Love". Council decided to choose "No Greater Love" which is a 5 week course and coincides with Lent perfectly. Classes will begin on Thursday, March 7th at 7pm.
- Paula Westwood is in the planning stages of Formation of Worship and Liturgy.

### **Old Business**

- Transition of Outgoing/Incoming Council Members - Mary Carol will ask new members of Council to join us at our next meeting on March 11,2019. They will be asked to join us for a couple of months until current terms are finished. New Parish Council members consist of Laura Keener, Joe Stryker, and Chris Bailey.
- Status of Spanish Missals - Mary Carol contacted Cristo Rei Parish to ask if they had any Spanish missals that we may be able to buy. They will call us back if they have any that we may purchase. We are currently looking into researching Spanish missals.
- Developing guidelines for Bereavement Committee. It is currently under further review.

### **New Business**

- 2019 Festival/Fundraisers - Mary Carol will get with Father Clift to discuss getting together a planning meeting to discuss possibilities for this years fundraiser.

### **Fr. Clift - Closing Comments and Closing Prayer**

**Motion to Adjourn made by Dan Pikar and seconded by Dianna Ferguson.**

**Next Meeting: March 11, 2019 @ 6:30 pm. Location to be announced.**