

**St. John the Baptist Parish
915 Ivory Street
Seymour, Wisconsin**

***Parish Council Minutes
March 30, 2017
6:30 pm***

Present: Fr. Brian, Jonathon Krull, Andy Patz, Mike Blohm, Ray Leisgang, Jill Ullmer, Amy Linsmeyer, Cathy Krull, Jennie Huettl

1. Opening prayer: Mike Blohm
2. We are expanding the Parish Council with new members serving as representatives of our church community. Welcome Jonathon Krull (youth representative), Jill Ullmer and Amy Linsmeyer.
3. Diocese of Green Bay Religious Education Accreditation process went well. The purpose is reviewing the standards to be what the Bishop expects. We will need to complete every seven years.
4. Jill Ullmer spoke regarding *The Daniel Fast* book by Susan Gregory. Eating better for a better relationship with God, faith that goes beyond Sunday morning. She will be putting information in the upcoming bulletins, a flyer for the religious education students to take home (May 3) and will present at the May 7 Coffee and Donuts Sunday. She is collaborating with Jeneece Kust.
5. Youth Program (5th grade and up): what the youth is looking for. Possibly have Maria Schuette from the Diocese to come in to discuss with us.
6. Welcoming Committee: Jill Ullmer would like to help. Jane and Stephen Buch, Jill Ullmer and Andy and Pam Huettl to meet on April 18 at 7:00 pm in the school.
7. Possible round table with the Parish Council and a representative from the Diocese at one of our meetings.
8. Members to review financial statement, if any questions let Andy Patz know.
9. Future business: Review funeral dinners. May need to look at a cutoff time, possibly having youth help with set-up and cleanup.
10. Prayer volunteer for next meeting: Andy Patz
11. Closing prayer: Mike Blohm

Next scheduled meeting:
Thursday, May 25, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the school