

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

***Parish Council Minutes
September 28, 2017
6:30 pm***

Present: Fr. Brian Belongia, Andy Patz, Jill Ullmer, John Kurczek, Mike Blohm, Jennie Huettl

Absent: Amy Linsmeyer

Others Present: Andy Huettl

Opening prayer: Jill Ullmer

1. "The Daniel Plan" will be on hold until after the Christmas card project.

Kids involved in "Operation Christmas Card". Jill to put together colored pencils, glue, etc. in each bag to make homemade Christmas cards going to area nursing homes. Delivery just before the holiday.

Kids will take home and then bring back. We will deliver them (some kids will come along to hand deliver (Good Shepherd, Meadow Wood, Forrest Glen and Shepherd Inn). Goal of 300 cards. There will be 15 cards in each kit. They can do as many as they want. Will kickoff this weekend. Also to have a board up to show the progress will be put up.

2. Cemetery: Next April/May a few trees will be cut down at the cemetery.

3. Facebook: Email pictures to Jill Ullmer or Andy Patz for the Facebook page.

4. Family Faith Formation Committee is not currently meeting.

There are two Regional Discipleship Formation Seminars coming up. These include fellowship/meal, video, and discussion. One on October 21 at Our Lady of Lourdes, De Pere and another October 24 at the KI Convention Center, Green Bay.

5. Finance Committee developing a long-range plan to build a budget. Parish Council to listen to what the parish is saying (Youth Minister, Remodel, Phase III, etc.).

October 29 is the Annual Meeting.

A suggestion was made by Andy Huettl for Father Brian to do a Thanksgiving food blessing.

Remember to check out the parish's web page (minutes are located there).

6. Prayer volunteer for next meeting: Andy Patz

Closing Prayer: Jill Ullmer

Next scheduled meeting: Thursday, December 7, 2017 at 6:30 pm in the school.