

Parish Council Minutes: 12-12-23

Present: Fr. Maus, McKenna Schmitz, Megan Selk, Dan Keller, Liza Renaud, Edwin Pfeifer, Deacon Mohn, and Deacon Steve.

Absent: Ricardo Vazquez, Nick Schmitz, Nathan Schneider, Fr Hill and Justin Klein.

Opening prayer was led by Fr Maus.

Minutes were reviewed. Motion was made by Dan and seconded by Megan to approve the minutes. Motion was approved.

Business discussed was:

1. Feasibility Study is going on right now. The Case Statement is being finalized. The individual interviews will be next week on Dec 18, 19 and 20. A parish informational meeting will be conducted this coming Sunday, Dec 17, at 1:30 pm in the dining room. We have been told that we should have the information back to review about Jan 10, and then a decision will be made if we proceed with the capital campaign.
2. The Treasures of the Church event went over very well. About 325 people ate pizza made by Fr Maus and several parishioners. Several people did mention that they would have enjoyed if the presentations had been a little longer. Based on this comment, it has been decided to have Fr Hill speak longer on the Shroud of Turin during Lent on Friday, March 8, after the Stations of the Cross
3. The Healing Service went over very well. Fr Brian Gross will come back again during Lent on Friday, Feb 16, to lead another healing service.
4. Fr Maus did lead us through a portion of the Diocesan Synod manual during our meeting.
5. Our Christmas schedule will be a vigil at 4pm and Midnight Mass, 8:30 am and 10:30 am Masses on Christmas Day. Masses for the Feast of Mary, Mother of God, are vigil Mass on Dec 31 at 5 pm followed by parish party with bingo and 8:30 am and 10:30 am on New Year's Day.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, February 13, 2024. Deacon Steve closed with prayer.

Submitted by Deacon Steve