Parish Council Minutes: 2-13-24

Present: Fr. Maus, Fr Hill, Megan Selk, Dan Keller, Nathan Schneider, Nick Schmitz, Deacon Mohn, and Deacon Steve.

Absent: Ricardo Vazquez, Justin Klein, McKenna Schmitz, Liza Renaud, and Edwin Pfeifer.

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 results were shared with our Steering Committee. The results were as follows: 1) Pantry should be moved from main church and be in one building. There have been comments about working to get outside money to help with work on the pantry. This should be done as quickly as possible in order to provide more impetus to our campaign. 2) Work on our rectory needs to be done to provide a better space for our priests. 3) Addition to the southeast end of our present building should be done to provide additional office space and classroom space. 4) Wait with parish social center. 5) Work on interior of main church to facilitate a permanent location for our tabernacle.

Fr Maus did meet with Bishop Kagan, and he has given his approval to moving ahead with the Capital Campaign. There was unanimous approval given by the parish council members to move ahead with the Capital Campaign. Our Steering Committee will meet next Tuesday to discuss the steps to continue moving forward with the Capital Campaign. Our plan would be to be done with our campaign by September of this year, which would be before Bishop Ryan Catholic School begins their campaign. We would use three-year pledges instead of longer, which should be better for both campaigns.

- 2. Another Healing Service is scheduled for Friday, Feb 16, at 6 pm.
- 3. Stations of the Cross on March 8 will be followed by pizza being made by Fr Maus and a presentation by Fr Hill on the Shroud of Turin.
- 4. We discussed briefly the terms of present parish council members. Nathan Schneider's second term was up in 2023. Steve will get a current membership list to Fr Maus.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, March 12, 2024. Fr Hill closed with prayer.

Submitted by Deacon Steve