

Parish Council Minutes
March 2020

Members Present: Fr. King, Zach Krueger, Amy Anderson, Linda Anderson, Butch Warrington, Beth Stallman, Austin Full

Members Absent: Stacey Kutil, Holly McMahon

Reviewed January minutes

Work is in progress with Conrad Schmidt on the statues and stations. We are sending payment. We should receive the finished products hopefully before the priestly ordinations. Will not receive them before Easter.

Update on the work in the foyer and statue- brick, pedestals, paint, plaques, cannot afford protective glass as of now. Labor and materials were fully covered.

Fielded and addressed the phone call to Butch from a parishioner that didn't like the remodels or the idea of the plaques with names of those who donated to the refurbishment projects. Maybe explain the funding and reasons for the idea.

We spoke about using the money from the fish fry and soup dinner for restocking the pantry for the potential of high need (if needed). The Council approved the motion. We talked about the ideas for protocols so the pantry is safe and make sure that it remains stocked.

Ideas for parish initiatives during the virus: Pantry, outreach cards for neighbors/those in need with phone numbers, adoration times for a limited amount of people, Father hearing the confession of those who are sick, phone outreach, masses on Facebook Live, and updates/communications for people during the lockdown

Making sure to appeal for online giving if the people are

Alternative HRD consultants to help create a job description and salary considerations for the DRE position. The job will be posted this week. 3 applicants have submitted resumes. Interviews coming in the next couple of weeks- representatives from each council will make up the panel.

We received a large investment from a deceased parishioner's trust fund. It will go into a repair, maintenance, and church remodel fund.

Think about whether the June parish rummage sale should be held or not. Be prepared to discuss in a month or so.

Also think about the possibility of doing a parish pilgrimage to the three holy sites and a couple vacation attractions in Wisconsin in 2021.

NEXT MEETING: April 21 @ 7:00 pm