

## **RESPECT LIFE COMMITTEE MINUTES SEPTEMBER 17, 2017**

**ATTENDANCE:** Kevin Philbin, Tom Trykowski, Bernie McGough, Nancy Carter, Marge March, David Kohut, Peggy McGough, John Butler, Diane Butler, Del Pardee, Lisa Birchler

**OPENING PRAYER:** John Butler

**TREASURER REPORT:** Bernie McGough stated that we have a budget balance of \$1,004.55

**AUGUST MINUTES:** Del Pardee approved the minutes and the minutes were unanimously approved.

**LEGISLATIVE UPDATE:** Tom Trykowski reviewed current circumstances relating to Diane Feinstein and Religious liberty. Also a "Mother of Mercy" free medical clinic being opened in Northern Virginia.

**YOUTH PROMOTION:** Lisa Birchler stated that "pizza and a Movie" will take place at the O'Brien Family Room on October 14 after the 5:00pm Mass. The movie is "The Shack".

**ST FRANCIS YOUTH FOR LIFE:** Bernie reviewed prior minutes of the group.

**40 DAYS for LIFE:** Diane Butler heading the event promotion within the parish.

1. Prayer vigil outside Planned Parenthood on Fridays 1-7 pm.
2. Attend kickoff rally on Tuesday, September 26, 2017.
3. Tables outside of church on September 23,24.

**OCTOBER – RESPECT LIFE MONTH:** Table outside of church on September 30th and October 1st.

**4th QUARTER ACTIVITIES:** Kevin Philbin reviewed plans: 40 Days for Life, Movie & Pizza, "Respect Life Month" tables, Comfort Care Banquet. Nancy Carter suggested a 150.00 contribution to Comfort Care which was unanimously approved.

**CLOSING PRAYER:** Tom Trykowski

**ADDENDUM:** Rulers are a source of fear not to those who do good but rather those who do evil.

Romans 13:3

The authorities are God's servants, and they devote themselves to this service.

Romans 13:6