

Church of the Japanese Martyrs

Administrative Council Meeting **Tuesday**, August 13, 2019 - 7:30pm

Minutes

- A. Opening Prayer led by Msgr. Present: Msgr. Lozinski, Fr. Andy Michels, Deb Windschitl, Randy Lax, Ronda Mathiowetz, Arla Dockter, William Schumacher, Chad Sprenger, Matt Grausam. Missing: Jamie Pietig, Clem Windschitl. Guests: Paul & Julie Anderson.
- B. Review
 - 1. Review/Approval of Agenda & election of officers Agenda M/S/A with additions of F5 RVS and F6 water system. Jim Hillesheim elected president and Ronda Mathiowetz elected vice president.
 - 2. Review/Approval of Minutes M/S/A
 - 3. Review Financial/Approval of June & July Financial Reports M/S/A
 - 4. Cemetery Committee
 - a. Paving road total cost \$25,459 of which cemetery will pay half. Wurtzberger Const. used 5" concrete with re-bar. Need to back fill and job will be complete.
 - 5. Farm Board Clint Krzmarzick was approved as new member. M/S/A

C. Maintenance

- 1. Church Maintenance
 - a. Church grounds mapped out (water & gas lines) Randy Lax has pictures.
 - b. Storage shed new roof complete when cemetery road is finished, possibly complete by end of month.
 - c. Playground equipment will be removed.
 - d. Front windows New Ulm Glass will replace at a cost of \$5,490.00. M/S/A
- 2. Religious Education Center/Office nothing.
- 3. Rec Center Maintenance
 - a. Roof donations review. \$23,400.00 collected to date.
- 4. Rectory
 - a. New renter things are going well. Tom helped with festival set-up and loaned tent.
- D. Area Faith Community/Parish/Cluster events
 - 1. AFC events All AFC meeting August 27th at 7pm at SESM. Purpose of meeting is to get everyone working on same vision. Msgr. gave out "Letter to a Suffering Church" books to read.
 - a. Religious education programs Leavenworth & Comfrey will be together. Classes will begin in Leavenworth and switch to Comfrey after Christmas. In need of 4 teachers. 2 Confirmation students from Leavenworth.

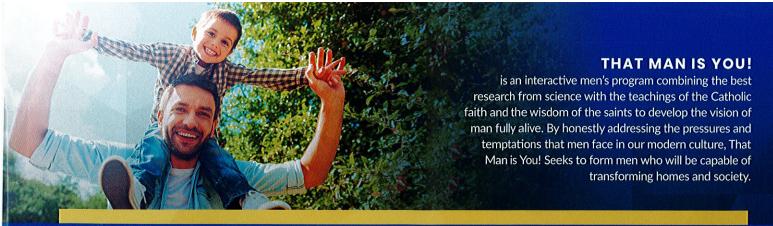
E. Old Business

- 1. Softball Complex Begin survey process. Need to know boundaries and setbacks. (Jamie)
- 2. Church Dinner review Day went smoothly with everyone willing to help. Food was delicious. Numbers were down due to weather. Discussed beefing up the softball tournament with bigger purse, Will need to decide by Jan 1st. Looking for co-chairs for next year.
- 3. Administrative Council Chad Sprenger has agreed to serve on council. Jim Hillesheim was appointed new trustee and will serve with trustee Randy Lax M/S/A. Clem Windschitl's term as trustee is complete.

F. New Business

- 1. Thank You Festival thank you have been sent. Send thank you to Sister M. Angelita who donated a statue of a Japanese saint to our parish.
- 2. Pancake Breakfast dates for 2019/2020. Oct 6 CCW; Nov 10 Religious Ed families; Dec 1 CUF; Jan 5 Administrative Council; Feb 9 Farm Board & Cemetery Board.
- 3. Keep an eye out for entertainment for Volkswagen Dinner. Date is February 23, 2020.
- 4. CD's up for renewal in the future: #1614 \$25,000 9/15/19. Will cash in CD and invest.
- 5. RVS garbage pickup does not want to drive on new concrete to avoid damage. JM will look at moving dumpster for garbage pickup until cement has cured.

- 6. Water system Julie Anderson spoke about major water leak. Losing 13,000 gallons per day. Leak is located on JM property on south side of cemetery. Fixing in next few weeks.
- G. Announcements: Next meeting Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 7:30pm
- H. Closing Prayer Liturgy of the Hours, Night Prayer.
- I. Adjournment 9:30pm. Submitted by Deb Windschitl pending council approval.





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PROGRAM DEVELOPER:

Steve Bollman

Developer, That Man is You! Founder & President, Paradisus Dei

During the Great Jubilee, Steve Bollman experienced a personal call to found a ministry dedicated to the renewal of marriage and family life. In 2002, he set aside his professional interests as an energy derivatives trader in Houston, Texas, to found Paradisus Dei. In 2004, Steve developed the That Man is You! Men's program, which quickly moved across the country transforming men, marriages and families. Independent research by a Faith Advisor to The Gallup Poll identified it as one of the most life transforming programs ever studied.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Friday Mornings St. Mary's Social Hall Sleepy Eye Beginning September 6th, 2019

SCHEDULE

5:45 am Coffee & Rolls 6:05 am Presentation 6:35 am Small Group Discussions 7:10 am Conclusion

REGISTRATION

For more information or to register, please contact Deacon Mike McKeown at 507-430-1690