

Our Lady of the Assumption Church

Parish Council Minutes

January 21, 2013

- A. Call to Order – Lisa Dyer
  - Present: Fr. Stephan, Lisa Dyer, Bob Ernst, Thea Woodward, Tom Dempsey, Tom Virgilio, Shane Minerly, Stefan Chevalier
  - Absent: Phil Fayol, Maryann Malamas, Harry Malamas, Rich Hutchings, Gail Arsenault, Joe Fraioli,
- B. Opening prayer
- C. Visitors Present; Joann MacKinnon, A. Minerly
- D. Acceptance of Minutes from November 2012 and December 2012 still pending due to lack of quorum
- E. Next Meeting Date – February 18, 2013
- F. Youth Member Report - Shane Minerly reports the Confirmation class is planning a car wash for a Centennial fund raiser. Shane will report back with some possible dates.
- G. Religious Education Report – Maryann Malamas (Liaison)
  - No report available
- H. Pastoral Assistant's Report – Fr. Stephan (See attachment submitted by Gary Texter)
- I. Finance Council Report – (Theadora Woodward)
  - Actual operating monie as of 1-13-13: \$9,223.75
  - Monies held aside for specific purposes as of 1-13-13: \$5,130.54
  - Train raffle brought in \$1,228.00
- J. Unfinished Business
  - Maintenance: Tom Dempsey reports: Insurance inspection done and Emergency light will be fixed.
  - Honeywell programmable timers for the lights will be purchased approx. \$28 each.
  - Liaison Updates: Tom Virgilio reports: he is still looking for a venue for fund raiser car Show.
  - Joann MacKinnon reports: Centennial Family Bowling date secured for 3-10-13 2p-4p at Middletown Lanes.(This is not a fund raiser) (For Parishioners).
  - OLA Century of Song CD's have been selling well at \$10 each. Profit will be \$5 each after first 30 are sold.
  - Fr. Stephan reports a letter has been received from the Cardinal confirming the August 3 2013 will be the new date for the Centennial Mass.
  - 999 raffle will occur as usual
  - Chair person for Summerfest still needed.

- K. New Business- Mass attendance stats presented by Lisa Dyer for the past four years. Significant decrease in attendance noted for all three Mass times. Discussion of Mass schedule change to be looked in to further.
- L. Final Remarks
- M. Agenda for Next Meeting- submitted
- N. Closing Prayer

#### Mission Statement

“The Catholic Faith Community of our Lady of the Assumption Church lives out the Gospel of Jesus Christ through our Eucharistic celebration, our prayers, our works, and by reaching out to others with compassion and joy.”