Parish Council Meeting, October 14, 2019

Members present:B.Skennion, M.Hurd, T.Wall, B.Bonitz, B.Texter (Parish Coordinator) C.Herschel (Rel.Ed), S.Osborne (Trustee, Maintenance), T.Woodward (Bookkeeping), C.Zupetz (Youth Rep.), M.Paradise (Trustee)

Missing: L.Dyer, J.Marshall, and T.Odell.

- A. Call to order by B.Skennion
- B. Opening prayer by, B.Texter A Prayer was also said for Father Paul.
- C. Visitors Present: T. Dempsey, A. Troy, B. Cinque, G. Arsenault.
- D. Acceptance of the September 9, 2019 minutes (Approved)
- E. Next meeting: November 11, 2019
- F. Pastoral Assistants Report: B.Skennion (Report Submitted by G.Texter)
- G. Religious Ed Report: C.Herschel (Report Submitted)
- H. Finance Report: T.Woodward

Report finds our church finances in good standing.

- I. Youth Member Report: C.Zupetz
  - a. Sophia has asked that the albs worn by the altar servers be washed or cleaned and the brown scapulars are worn and need replacing.
  - b. Two new children have joined as altar servers.
  - c. Beth is working on setting a date with Father Anthony for altar server training for new members and as a refresher for existing members.

## J. Unfinished Business:

- a. Capital Improvement Projects: S.Osborne
  - i) Drainage project being held up due to Equipment availability, hope to start mid month.
  - ii) Pavilion Project: Still gathering information as to make this a cost effective project.
  - iii) Carpet Replacing Project in Parish Center: Estimates were gathered project to begin in 2020.
- b. Maintenance: S.Osborne
  - General maintenance work was performed. Lights and windows cleaned, air Conditioner removed. Water Heater in gathering area repaired and replaced. Will be looking into snow removal as we prepare for winter season.
- c. Parish Council Liaisons: B.Bonitz (Choir) Put out a Choir Flyer, welcomed a lot of comments but no commitments.
- K. New Business:
  - a. T.Wall started a discussion as to what we could do to say thanks to those serving as altar servers in the upcoming year.
  - b. Parish Council Roster to be updated.
  - c. Thanksgiving Baskets Outreach Ministry: Started this past weekend, based on last year's totals approximately 50 baskets will be given out to families in need this year.
  - d. Living Nativity-December 7: It was decided to not have a snow date, so the event will take place on Saturday only as planned.

Closing Prayer B.Texter Draft Pending Parish Council Approval