

Minutes OLA

Parish Council Meeting, May 10, 2021

Members present: F.Paul, B.Skennion, T.Wall, S.Osborne (Trustee, Maintenance), T.Woodward (Bookkeeping), B.Auer, A.Troy, C.Zupetz (Youth Rep.)

B.Bonitz, M.Paradise, M.Hurd, B.Texter (Administrative Asst.), L.Dyer, C.Herschel (Rel.Ed),

- A. Call to order by B.Skennion
- B. Opening prayer by, C.Zupetz
- C. Visitors Present:T.Dempsey
- D. Acceptance of the April 12, 2021 minutes (Approved)
- E. Next meeting: June 14, 2021
- F. Pastoral Asst. Report: B. Skennion (Report Submitted by G.Texter)
- G. Religious Ed. Report: C. Herschel (Report Submitted)
- H. Youth Member Report: C.Zupetz: Will confer with Rel.Ed Coord. C. Herschel haven't reached out yet on next possible Youth candidate.
- I. Finance Report: T.Woodward (Reports Submitted)
Financially stable. Will be doing the budget which begins in Sept.
- J. Maintenance: S.Osborne
Mowers serviced. Tree cutting done with Brinkerhoff. General maintenance performed. Soffit needs repair on upper side of Parish Center.
- K. Unfinished Business:
 - a. Work on Pavilion Update: S.Osborne
Did start the work, but had to stop as the ground was too wet.
 - b. Air Purification System: B.Texter
Sent back signed agreement for work to be performed.
 - c. OLA Ladies Discussion Group: Beth
Due to illnesses the group has disbanded until further notice.
 - d. Meditation Garden: B.Skennion
The Garden needs a complete over haul and after that job, we go to the point of maintaining. I'm willing to start the process, and with help we'll get the garden back to beautiful community site.
 - e. Summerfest Update: T.Wall
We had our first meeting May 6th. Went over the main events overall a good meeting, with a lot of input.
- L. New Business:
 - a. Retaining wall: S.Osborne
We need a retaining wall 6 to 8 ft from the lower parking lot to the top parking lot due to the incline of the hill it warrants it.
 - b. Hudson Valley Renegades: Beth
Two years ago we had committed 100 tickets we were not able to be there for the event we now have 50 tickets as a refund parishioners will pay \$17 and outsiders \$37 for a July 30th with fireworks.
 - c. Eucharistic ministers, proper protocol at mass ending services, and Sanitizing was brought up for discussion.
- M. Final Remarks: F.Paul:
As we become more involved in things keep in mind our main purpose and that is growing closer to Jesus Christ. Keep the foundation in place not only to maintain but help make Jesus better known and loved in this world. Serving the Lord with kindness to everyone is our full mission.

Closing Prayer: C. Zupetz

Draft Pending Parish Council Approval