

Pastoral Council Meeting/Tuesday, November 17, 2015

Present: Charlie Connell, Donna Steiner, Mary Novey, Mark Forsythe, Debbie Morovits, Father Weighner. Excused: Jason Knapp

Meeting began with a prayer. Minutes were presented, with a motion by Mary and second by Charlie to approve. Motion carried.

Most of the brick is in at St. Johns, with the exterior close to being done. Samples of flooring and color for walls were presented. Mary had a group of people looking over color possibilities. Suggestion by Donna, to go to the Court House and look at what was done in their recent remodel, was agreed to by Mary. St. Gabriel's work continues to be on-going, hopefully weather will permit everything to be framed in, insulated and bottom will be wrapped for winter with the entrance work done in the spring.

Capital Campaign is looking at different options to help gain more involvement. Contributors that have made a 5 year pledge will be updated in their yearend contribution statements.

Council members are Charlie, who will remain Vice President, Debbie who will remain secretary, Jason Knapp, Terry Meyer, Molly Kirschbaum, Mary Novey current members, with Donna Steiner and Mark Forsythe new members. A president will need to be elected.

Hall rental suggestions were looked at. Father will send other examples to our e-mails. The car raffle was suggested to be sold in the following amounts: 1st \$7500, 2nd \$5000, 3rd \$2500, and 10 @\$250 totaling \$17,500. A burgers and fries night on April 9th will be the night of the drawings.

Education is happy with the 2 new teachers. We have around 110 enrolled.

Family Life had the candles of deceased family members, lit for the month of November, and continues to hand out the Angels to the families that have lost a loved one.

JWalkers continue to have a Mass a month. For the month of December they will do Christmas caroling to the shut-ins and Nursing Home.

December 8th is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception Mass schedule will be posted in the bulletin. This Jubilee year of Mercy, will have Sacred Heart , Wauzeka, hosting a pilgrimage with a Communal Penance service on Sunday, December 13th at 3:00.

We discussed changing the council monthly meeting but kept Thursday as the meeting night. If all agree the time can be changed to 6:00.

Next meeting Thursday, December 17 @ 7:00. Meeting closed with a prayer.

