

St. Joseph Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes
November 21, 2017

Members Present

Fr. Mike Williams, Rick Aaron, Dave Collins, Anne Marie Falor, Renee Irrer, Denise Knight, Linda Kurncz, Tom Wenzlick, Dick Weller

Members Absent

Stephanie McCarty and Chad Palmer

Call to Order

Dick Weller called the meeting to order at 7:34pm.

Approval of Minutes

No prior minutes available.

Education Trust Fund

Rick reported they are in the changing to a fiscal year fund.

Youth Program

Anne Marie reported the Youth program has been very busy with a variety of actives, ranging from food drive projects, Blankets for Kentucky and putting together several Advent services projects.

Evangelization Committee

Dave reported not a lot of new items to report.

Finance Committee Report

Dick reported a year-end profit of \$60,000 and a possible \$30,000 projected budget increase.

Pastor's Report and Comments

Father reported - 1) working on the Parish census, looking at inactive members and verifying data received vs. current records; 2) about 15%-20% of members volunteer within the Parish; 3) Townsend Road property - "free and clear", we complete own the land; 4) looking at posting meeting minutes on parish web-site; 5) we currently have a Sunday 6:00 PM Spanish Mass; 6) Memorial Day – Labor Day there will be no Sunday 12:00 PM Mass.

Comments and Thoughts

Dick - 1) looking for council members to join a committee that will be looking at updating the interior of the church / Linda and Tom expressed an interest in the committee; 2) requesting suggestions on obtaining additional council members, the goal is to have 12 – 15 members.

Denise – would like to see additional Eucharistic Ministers or a better plan for when additional ministers are needed / Father noted the 5:00 Mass may need to confirm who the team leaders are.

Tom – suggested a new "Welcome statement" at the beginning of Mass / Father indicated if anyone had suggestions he would be happy to review.

Linda – would like members to start thinking about the next Parish Mission and possible speakers.

Prayer Leader for next meeting

Rick Aaron

Next meeting

January 16, 2018

Prayer for Vocation

Council

Respectfully submitted, Renee Irrer