

Meeting Notes for October 26, 2023 6:30pm

Present: **Jerald Dosch, Kathy Goldenstein, Phil Grant (ex-officio), Maggie Lee, Anthony Minus, Tara Perron, Karen Thompson (trustee), Katie Shetka**

Reflection from Karen: Poem/Reading- Let my peace fill you

Welcome Event of the month

Status Updates

Roof/Solar Panel Update and Consultation – Moving along, waiting others to get their parts in to move forward. Similar to last month.

Fall Fundraiser – less people buying tickets, planning about 9,500\$ raised. Pulled names this evening. Full report will be next month.

Census – Had about 90 people stop and talk. 6-8 new registrations. Kathy removed deceased names. Angela has the list. Maybe try again in the Spring. More people joined when Father Steve announced at church. Considering continuing the census once a year moving forward.

Communication & Marketing- Phil, Angela, Christina met in September to talk about a website. First committee meeting will be coming up in November.

Estate Planning/Legacy Event – Thursday November 30th will kick off with breakfast and speakers and finish off with Mass. Speakers- funeral planning, estate planning, heaven (father adrian). “We are preparing for heaven”- Phil. Will be in the bulletin the next few weeks.

West Side Initiative (Karen/Phil) – 4th meeting at Humboldt. Tuesday, November 28th. Food 5:30 meeting at 6:30.

Suggestion Mailbox – All together! If anyone would like to decorate, feel free. It’s back in the corner near the library, Christina would like to add in an area where you might be able to distribute or drop off things for the parish center.

Parish Library - Volunteers have processed several hundred books. We are still not allowing for donations. Old school check out system

Listening Report -

Jerald heard- Fix the roof. If the money is there, then why is nothing helping with the epanel.

Issac’s Blessing Bags- Speaking on NOV. 11 and 12 about blessing bags. 50 PEOPLE CAME TO HIS CLUB!!!!!!!

Coffee Sunday- November 12th- Hosted by parish council. If you will be there please bring something.

Reception for Jill Kilzer, retired music minister. Have cookies upstairs and bring them downstairs. Keep it simple.

Parish Council Retreat Saturday, Nov. 11 - Kathy will put books in the back of the church. We will talk about some goal setting and what it will look like when Father Steve will not be here. 9:45- 3. We will have something for lunch. Bring your own beverage.

Youth Group- May not have a youth minister for a year. 3 youth members are interested in joining a youth group. One parent had expressed interested in joining a group to talk about the youth group. Still need to speak to St. Stan's about their group. Jose and friend are interested in helping with youth group. What are the qualifications to help teach? Preliminary idea- invite people for pizza. Enjoy eachothers company, some activities, see who is interested, and a little prayer. Parents could come and meet.

Friday, November 17th @ 6:30- for kids in 5th-8th and 9th- 12th.

Meet in the social hall. Parents and kids can come and talk about what they want the youth group to look like and share their thoughts.

Maggie- COS

Katie- Faith Formation

Phil- St. Stans

Looking ahead December 13th would be the next date- Thinking blessing bags

Turkey Bingo- Saturday, November 4th

Santa Breakfast- December 9th @ 4:15 mass craft sale only and 10th @ 9- 12

Rosary Society will have craft sale- Bake sale- Jewelry

Bottle Lotto

Issac present table

Santa- Karen is calling Joan with the boy scouts.

Will be a flyer - Katie

Steve Adrian will celebrate is 55th ordination anniversary on Dec 8 –

Friday December 8th @ COS Alumni Mass at 9 AM community of Saints

Next Parish Council Meeting is Thursday December 7th Mass at 6:00 For Father Adrian's Anniversary- Meeting after

Tara- Reflection and Snacks.