

St. Joseph the Worker

Parish Advisory Council Minutes

Date: February 3, 2016

Submitted by: Vivian Small

In attendance: Father Peter DiTomaso, Kathi Barefoot, Rose Bollinger, Mike Farrell, Vivian Small, Kay Smith, Bill Weaver, Cindy Hartlaub.

Guest: Jeff Small, Sue Miller and Steve Arthur.

Opening prayer was led by Father Peter DiTomaso at 7:35 p.m. in the parish rectory.

Approval of Minutes: Minutes from 1/6/2016 were reviewed and approved. 1st motion by Mike Farrell, 2nd by Kay Smith.

OLD BUSINESS:

Update on pointing the bricks on the Church:

- The pointing of bricks on the Church will begin in April or May.

NEW BUSINESS:

Financial Report:

- Steve Arthur gave a financial report for the first 6 months of Fiscal Year 2016 ending on 12/31/2015.
- There was a surplus of Income over Expenses amounting to \$13,347.
- We have \$113,936 in our savings account, currently drawing 4% Interest.
- Steve also noted that the Financial Committee is in need of another member due to Bryan Baumgardner moving to Germany for 3 years.

Visits to Churches with Holy Door:

- A bus will be chartered if there is enough interest in the parish.
- The cost will depend on the number of participants.
- A tentative date was set for Wednesday, April 13, 2016. Father will check the availability of a bus.

Parish Picnic 6/12/2016:

- Details will be discussed at a later time.

Coach and Cash Bingo:

- Sandy Keller will no longer be coordinating the Coach and Cash Bingo Fund Raiser.
- This is a huge Fund Raiser that generates \$9,000 - \$10,000 profit. However, it requires a tremendous amount of time.
- We will advertise in the bulletin and by word of mouth to hopefully find someone interested in continuing this project.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Food for the Poor:

- Father stated there will be a substitute priest at Masses on February 21 & 22 to discuss contributing to the "Food for the Poor" project.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Rose Bollinger and 2nd by Cindy Hartlaub.

Closing prayer was said at 8:08 p.m.

Next Parish Council meeting is **Wednesday, March 2, 2016, at 7:30 p.m.**