**Parish Council Minutes**

**4-25-19**

Members Present: Tami Kalina, Eileen Westland, Mark Halbakken (trustee), Al Schumacher, Adam Holzer, Nick Murdock, Heidi Kalina, Cheryl Prososki (trustee), Deacon Richard Quistorff, Deacon Randy Altstadt, Fr. Matthew Kuhn.

Members Absent: Carol Schmitz, Lori Curtis, Steve Bormann

Agenda: approved by general consensus

Minutes for March Meeting: approved by general consensus

Financial Report: Budget at 75%. Adult Envelopes at 78.87%, Regular giving at 78.55%. Total parish income at 84.84%. Total parish expenses at 74.79%.

Formation: Reviewed points 1-3 from the book “Redeeming Conflict” by Ann M. Garrido

1. Go directly to the person you have a conflict with. Do not go to a third party and try to get them on your side.
2. Go into the conversation with the person to learn something (open mind).
3. Listen to the person with your ears and your heart, trying to learn their position.

School Expansion Project Update: Steering Committee Meeting next Tuesday to decide what direction to go. 61% pledged.

Family Formation: 1-6 Grade Formation. Parents come to get their lesson and do a praise and worship. Also had a couple of other visitors do some talks about how they do it at their church. Recommend praying about it for a year. New DRE-Lisa Klinker – come for VBS and starting July 8th. Will plan a welcome after Mass, possible root beer floats.

Parish Council Nominees: Marc Winjum, Renee Doll, Trish Berns, Grace Wegscheid, Trent Swanson, Tami Kalina (incumbent), Eileen Westland (incumbent) Can we get pictures for the candidates on the ballots.

ACC Planning Committee: Jason Smith, Tim Graff and Mary Schumacher. Will attend a Diocesan planning session. Have a plan delivered by December of this year.

New Business:

Road construction parking: will use the playground for parking. Joe Byer is getting signs and would like some ushers and men to help direct traffic. Michael would schedule a couple extra ushers each mass once construction started.

Summer Festival: Planning meeting for the chairpersons May 6th at 7:00 pm. August 18th, 2019-should have one line for food.

Pastor Report: Fr. Matt did not have anything

Liturgy Report: Meeting on Monday, April 29th at 7:00 pm

Religious Ed Report: Mary’s last day is Friday, April 26th . The staff is taking her out to lunch at Pizza Ranch on Friday at 12:30 p.m. Sunday, April 28th, after the 10:00 a.m. Mass, we will be having a gathering for Mary to wish her well for her retirement in the church basement during the Youth Breakfast.

Maintenance Report: Still working on the leaks. The globe blew off of the light pole in front of Someplace Safe. Will look at disconnecting it and tear it down. Materials to fix up the garage at Someplace Safe is scheduled to be delivered around June 1st. Maintenance Committee and a group from Calvary will do the labor.

Reviewed upcoming events

Next Meeting: May 16, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Closing Prayer led by Fr. Matt.