

## **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

### **Parish Council Minutes**

**3-15-22**

Members Present: Keith Durkee, Jacki Dripps, Jeff Boyle, Kevin Wohlers, Father Todd Schneider, Carla Riley, Meredith Lhotka, Penny Rhoda, Shannon Meyer

Members Absent: Deb Solvie, Hayley Jay, Jessica Iverson, Angel Franco

Kevin called the meeting to order @ 6:40 PM. He read the Gospel from Luke 13:1-9.

#### New Business:

March Agenda was approved Motion by Fr. Todd, Second by Jackie.

February minutes were approved Motion by Shannon, Second by Penny.

February financials were approved - Motion by Carla, Second by Keith.

Nomination Sunday preparation: Nominations will be accepted on Easter Sunday 4-17-22. Nominees will be contacted before 5-10-22 to allow for discernment. Selections will be made on 5-29-22. Kevin Wohlers has completed two terms. Shannon and Deb can be considered for a second term. All other members remain the same. Dates were approved with a motion by Kevin, and a second by Shannon.

Council members should review the council by-laws so we can go over any possible changes at the April meeting.

#### Old Business:

Church renovation update: The committee met with Conrad Schmitt Studios on 3-14-22. The presenters did a good job and were respectful and listened to our requests and needs. They can offer suggestions if needed. They could do a rendering in about 6 weeks' time. The committee is still in the information gathering stage.

Father Lucho Benefit: \$2790 was collected at the breakfast after mass. There may have been other donations outside of the breakfast.

Lenten Speakers: Greg and Mary Kuhn will speak in the church basement during our fellowship time after mass on Sunday 3-20-22.

#### Committee Reports:

Social Concerns: Kevin said they had a recent meeting and things are quiet for the time being.

KC's: St. Patrick's Day brunch brought in \$1012 for the Helping Hands Fund.

Faith Formation: Last class for elementary is 4-10-22, high school is 4-20-22. Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will host confirmation again this year on 5-1-22. First Holy Communion will take place 5-8-22, and Baccalaureate Sunday will be 5-15-22. Three busy weekends in a row!

SMS: Dinner auction was a huge success! They met the goal to get the matching funds from the Schultze Fund. They are hiring an administrative assistant and a lower elementary teaching position for 2022-2023.

Liturgy: they met and discussed decorations for Palm Sunday and Easter.

Pastoral Report: Father leads Stations of the Cross every Friday at 5:30.

MAAA: The committee will meet 3-29-22 at 7PM in Morris.

There will be a southwest Deanery meeting at our parish 4-22-22 @9:30 -11 AM. See the bulletin for more information.

The maintenance committee will be meeting on 5-4-22 @6:30PM

Father Todd will be sending out an Easter letter. Penance service will be 4-3-22 and Holy Week begins on 4-10-22.

The Eucharistic Revival will begin 6-9-22.

Closing prayer was given by Kevin.

Motion to adjourn by Jackie, second by Carla. Meeting adjourned @ 7:40

Respectfully submitted by Penny Rhoda, parish council member.