

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

### **Parish Council Minutes**

**4-18-23**

Members Present: Carla Riley, Deb Solvie, Jackie Dripps, Kitty Mahoney, Keith Durkee, Father Todd Schneider, Penny Rhoda, Patty Kill, Hayley Jay, Jeff Boyle, Angel Franco, Doug Moscho

Member Absent: Mary Holm

Carla called the meeting to order at 6:35.

Kitty read the Gospel from Luke 24:13-35.

April agenda was approved: motion by Deb, second by Jackie

March minutes were approved: motion by Hayley, second by Kitty

March financials were approved: motion by Deb, second by Jeff

Spring cleanup will May 6th begin at 8:30 am

Nomination Sunday will be April 30<sup>th</sup>. Guadalupe will have ballots and pens available in the pews. Two nominations are required to be invited to discern being a member of the council or school board.

Lenten speakers (Benjamin Durheim and Julia Dabbs) both did a nice job. Julia wrote a thank you note to the council for giving her the opportunity to share her information with us.

Hayley reported that server appreciation was a success. Approximately 20 servers were in attendance for 2 games of bowling and pizza.

Keith reported that the KC's gave the donation to the Helping Hands fund from proceeds of the St. Patrick's Day dinner. He also recommended to join the SMS students for lunch if you have the opportunity.

Kitty reported for SMS-Summer school will be offered this year for students that need extra help. They are still looking for a 6<sup>th</sup> grade teacher. The students will be having swimming lessons this week. In light of the recent events in Cyrus, the students will be sending cards to our local police officers.

Mary Holm had sent an email asking about Scott Orgeman-Crumb's position at WWV and, also if there could be a refresher training for Eucharistic ministers with the return of the precious blood. It was decided to have the finance committee discuss possible options to cover the cost of keeping Scott's time at WWV as the position was cut. Father Todd will take care of training Eucharistic ministers.

Pastoral report: The Shroud of Turin display will be here the days following Septemberfest. The KC's will be helping fund the event. Father Todd handed out reading materials for the council to be ready to help answer questions about the event.

The first Holy Communion will be held on May 7<sup>th</sup>. There will be 31 (21 Latino) children receiving the sacrament.

Father Todd's garage will have a gutter installed by Callie Lundin as water and ice have been collecting and making it dangerous.

There was a motion by Jackie and a second by Deb to add lighting in the sanctuary with a cost of \$1184.84. Motion passed.

Father Todd will be gone the weekend of May 12-14 giving a retreat at Abbey of the Hills and Father Stan Wieser will be celebrating mass.

Upcoming meetings: Finance-April 27<sup>th</sup>, renovation cost info gathering-April 24<sup>th</sup>, Septemberfest- May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

The sound system and renovation project estimates are getting closer to having information to share with the parishioners.

Patty gave the closing prayer.

Motion to adjourn by Deb, second by Father Todd, Meeting was adjourned at 7:40pm.

Respectfully submitted by Penny Rhoda, parish council secretary.