

St Patrick's Pastoral Council Meeting
Tuesday, March 16th, 2021

Opening Prayer – Fr. Nick

Parish Council: Dick Dearborn, Dawn Koob

Faith Formation: Angela Thomsen

Stewardship: Carol Husman

Finance: Bob Gravel

School Board: Jessica Gorman

*Approve agenda

*Approve minutes from February meeting.

*Financial statements reviewed without comment or concern

Old Business

- Parish fish fry will be held Friday, April 23rd with a drive through meal at St Patrick's.
- Carol reached out to Leeanna to let her know we would be interested in having members at planning meeting. Fr Nick will put an announcement in bulletin asking for volunteers to help on July 24th.
- Archdiocese gave permission to sell/exchange goods for land.

New Business

- Parish elections will be held in May as usual. Terms are 2-3 years, must be off for 1 year before coming back on. Fr Nick will check bylaws, possibly have 4 parish council. Angela will check in with members of Faith Formation. Jessica will check with school board and Bob will need to fill 2 positions on Finance.
- Fr Nick feels there is a great need for interaction throughout parish (committees.) Carol suggested CC each committee in on emails. Group discussion of having all committee meetings on same night. Will need to get feedback from each committee.
- Buildings/Grounds – No reply on sacristy door and will make do with windows at parish for now

Committee Updates

- *Faith Formation:* Jolene Heiniker will be joining. RCIA has one new candidate, Melissa Morales. "That Man is You" is an ongoing ministry that will be starting in the fall. NCYC has a small group attending. Looking at possible fundraisers to offset expenses.
- *Stewardship:* Updated us on fish fry – will be getting food from Fareway.

- Finance: Working on budget, looking at a 2.5% increase in wages. Discussed need for a part-time maintenance for school and church.
- School Board: Gala held Saturday, March 20th. Presold 185 meals, 50 kids. Currently 380 raffle tickets sold. 99 baskets were available for auction – live on Facebook Thursday and end Sunday afternoon. Will also have a 50/50 raffle at dinner. Approved increase in salary for teachers & budget.

Closing Prayer

****Next meeting – Tuesday, April 20, 2021****