

St. Cletus Parish Council Meeting Minutes

July 27, 2015

In Attendance: Fr. Jim Benz, Deacon Mark McCarthy, Mark Stahlschmidt, Al Rothermich, Ann Roussel, Jim Worland, Jerry Stolin, Kelly Bury, **Laurie Steinkamp, Beth Hill**, Bev Frein, Richard Marquard and Annie Dowdy

Excused: Beth Del Rosario

Those who arrived early, started with the rosary led by Kelly Bury & Jim Worland.

Overview

- Meeting was called to order at approximately 7:00 pm
- Ann provide the evening prayer
- We again introduced ourselves and addressed "How do you come to the meeting"
- Minutes from the June 22, 2015, meeting was reviewed and approved with some minor corrections.

Formation:

- Report given by Pat Sommer from the St Cletus School Board
 - Addressed the boards' goals and challenges.
 - Main goal is to increase enrollment down which is down due to families moving further west
 - Evaluates their success by the progress and success of their students
 - A formal Art Program will start this year
 - Budget/Maintenance
 - Volunteerism
- Jennifer Dake was not available so Jean Skillington provide us an insight as to the work being done by our PTO Committee.
 - Scholarships
 - STP program.
 - Trivia Night - next one is scheduled for Jan 23, 2016
 - Fish Fry (largest money maker for the year \$10,000)
 - Trunk or Treat is scheduled for Oct 30, 2015, but it may be changed or cancelled
- Old & New Business
 - 50th Anniversary – Mass with Archbishop Carlson followed by dinner on Sept 12th; Fall Festival on Nov 15th with great food, fun activities and wraps up with fireworks.
 - Parish Ministries & Scheduled meetings
 - August – St Vincent DePaul & Adult Formation
 - September – Life Team & PSR
 - We again addressed Our Parish Council Retreat which is scheduled for September 19th at the Mercy Retreat House. Jim LaVictoire has graciously agreed to act as our facilitator
- Pastor's Time
 - Stewardship meeting scheduled for July 29th in the Parish Hall
 - Parish Assessment/Evaluation Process is continuing. The committee has gone through the first four steps and have identified our Parish's Assets & Deficits. Their next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 5th at which time they will be addressing how to present this to our Parishioners. The next step is to present this to a larger group of parishioners and this is scheduled for 8/22th & 8/29th.
 - Beyond Sunday – The Archdiocese endowment campaign is moving forward. Our Parish's goal is 1.565 Million of which 40% will come back to St Cletus. The group will be scheduling individual meetings with our parishioners
 - The directories have been reviewed and sent back for corrections and printing. We should have them shortly
- Conclusion
 - Laurie Steinkamp was kind enough to provide us with snacks for our meeting
 - Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 24, 2015, 2015 @ 7 pm. Rosary will start at 6:30pm for those who would like to participate.