

9-28-10

Immaculate Conception Parish Council Minutes

Call to order: 7:05 pm by Ken Van Den Heuvel

Prayer: The committee prayed the Mission Statement

Attendance: Steve Adamski, Father Dave Duffeck, Ken Van Den Heuvel, Pat Willems and Rich VanDenEng. Excused were Marie Shilka, Dave Rottier, Donna Laabs and George Basten.

Last Meeting Minutes: Discussed last meetings minutes (4-27-10) to refresh last meeting business. Minutes approved as written.

Old Business: None

New Business: Annual meeting slated for November 7th, 2010 before 8:00 am mass. Reports to be given Finance, Building & Grounds, Cemetery, Social Concerns and Fathers comments.

Website is working very well, updated weekly with the bulletin, server schedule, lector schedule & communion ministers also on website.

Reports:

Finance – Jeff Baeten - \$11,043.75 investments currently in the form of CD and the Alger Fund. \$12,265.95 cash in bank with \$51,866.33 in the cemetery account. Total Assets are at \$82,005.59

Worship: Donna Laabs reported they did not have a meeting yet but plan to with all the members who bring about changes in our church environment. Rose Coenen, Butch & Karen Kozek & myself. We appreciate the planning meetings with Father, Bobby and all the members of the Liturgy Committee. Our leader Sue Lindberg has done a great job working on the schedules month to month, includes masses & times at which church plans for Holy day masses, etc. A job well done. Ministry schedules were sent out to take us to the Jan. 1st weekend. Only time for our mass for Christmas Eve hasn't been confirmed yet at this time. Rose will be doing fall decorations probably for this weekend, to run through November. Also, wondered if anything special will be done for All Souls Day here? Will be gearing up for advent during November.

Social Concerns: Pat Willems reported that a food drive will take place for the weekends of Nov. 7th, 14th & 21st. Items needed will be put on paper and placed in a basket to be drawn by Parishioners. Adopt-A-Family will take place again on Nov. 21st envelopes will be handed out at Mass. Pat also reported that a Chili Dump is on

the docket for Jan. 2011. Gas cards are to be purchased for families that have had health issues.

Activities: None

Building and Grounds: Jeff Baeten reported the new rood has been put on hold (Traeger Center) until funds become available. Lawn mowing is on going; cables for windows in Traeger Center no longer are in production.

Pastors report: Father Dave reported that Richard VanRossum has donated \$400.00 to IC in memory of his wife Bonnie. Money will be used to reroof the Traeger Center. Morning mass has been attended with 22 people at Mass on Sept. 21st; average masses are 8 to 10 people. Father suggested that a special fundraiser should be held in regard to the roof of the Traeger Center.

Adjournment: 7:45 pm next meeting November 16th 2010 at 7:00 pm

Minutes submitted by Jeff Baeten