

Parish Council Meeting
September 24, 2015
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In attendance:

Dave Bujnak – Chairperson
Father Telhorst
Father Schilli
Maureen Schumacker - Evangelization
John Schumacker - Evangelization
Mort Small – Administration & Finance
Jill Farmer – Social
Daniell Farmer - Youth
Mary Factor – Christian Service
Judy Nigh – Christian Formation
Andy Dapron - Liturgy
Jay Stuckel – Secretary
Christine Stuckel – Secretary
Ed Lewandowski – Religious Education
Kathy Newbold - Health
Denise Kennedy – Athletics
Ted Montoia – Vice – Chairman
Claire Ernest – Youth

Denise Kennedy started the meeting with an opening prayer.

Mark Fiore and his wife were introduced and gave the PC a brief discription on the Neocatechumenal Way program at the request of Msgr. Telthorst. Mark gave us an interesting view to how his family's life has been impacted by this movement.

PC will look into the program and decide if it's something MMOC would be interested in participating in.

Going green handout was distributed.

- Eliminate Styrofoam
- Better stuarths of our earth
- Place signage in the hall
- Would like to begin this program with the pasta dinner
- MMOC is no longer reimbursed for paper and aluminum in containers
- This program can help with health issues
- Reported that all the staff is on board with this program
- Objective of program is to take a greener approach at MMOC.
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Green program is voted on and approved to implement at MMOC.

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Randy Howe brought information on a possible fundraising opportunity. This is an online shopping program that they are testing out with favorable results. Randy requested several others to participate in the program to test out the service before proposing the fundraiser to the parish council for consideration.

Claire Ernst:

- Reported that there was a \$3,700 anonymous contribution for use with the Stubenville youth retreat held in Springfield MO.
- The youth group put together a video thank you which showed the gratitude of those who attended the retreat.
- The Stubenville retreat was started in 1999.
- The youth all appreciated that Father T participated in the retreat with them.

Youth Adult Task Force

Is looking for 4 or 5 people to set up the task for making suggestions on expanding the involvement of parish youth into all parts of the parish. One commitment has been received.

Judy Nigh – Christian Formation

- A program called Mystery of God has been ordered for use by the parishioners.
- Pro-Life has a program called 40 days for life starting in December
- We are coordinating with Assumption Parish
- Coalition for life will be doing pulpit talks.
- Life chain is 10-4-15
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Jill Farmer – Social

- Bunco – Halloween style is on 10-30-15
- Run of Faith Concert is 12-20-15
- Family game night is being planned
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Andy Dapron - Liturgy

- Working on what a youth adult mass will look like.
- Person who will organize and continue this mass is being researched.
- Currently the first Sunday 9:30 mass is a family mass where entire families do all the aspects of the mass.
- 10-11-15 restarting a pre-school pram to care for children 3-5 at the 9:30 mass.
- 10-25-15 anointing of the sick mass
- 10-18-15 World Mission Day with 4 different speakers and would like to have flags of various country's displayed.
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Kathy Newbold - Health

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- Flu shots will be available with visiting nurses administering the shots.
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Mort Small – Administration & Finance

- Reported that offertory remains consistent and on budget
- Decision was made to replace the aging lawn mowers
- Lighting upgrades to LED light will start with the work being done by Guarantee Electric

Mary Factor – Christian Service

- Rock Church event planned for 10-4-15
- Car pool from MMOC – leave @ 1:00 pm
- 2 hour presentation
- Free will offering will be accepted

Denise Kennedy – Athletics

- Field cleanup is scheduled for Sunday
- Bonfire and mass will be on 11-7-15 at the fields.

Denise closed the meeting with prayer.

Meeting adjourned.