#### **Parish Council minutes**

Date 4/25/2017

Present: Present: Present: Father Schalk, Deacon Pete Labita, Tim Foley, Maggie Ketcham, Joan Tomlinson, Jeff Corbin, Connie Claprood, Lanell Wade, Renita Messmer, Saul Buitron, Mary Illencik; Lisset Mendoza

**Excused: Carol Cuahonte** 

Minutes approved for date 3/28/2017

### **Pastor's Report**

- -**Deacon** Josh Altonji will be at all the Masses for his last weekend here. Two tables for reception and one table for -- Fiesta tickets. Will have punch and cookies after Masses.
- -No news yet on a summer seminarian.
- -Mother Nari is taking a trip to Mexico for 6 weeks. Has not been home in 4 years. Dates May 1 thru June 12.
- -First Communion May 6 -- 100 first communicants
- -Confirmation is May 10 -- 72 confirmandi
- -BAA letters are out and will kick off the first weekend in May 6/7. Goal 85,817.00 4% increase. Excess will renovate the bathroom to add to the number of bathrooms accessible to the church.
- -100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Fatima. Mother's day weekend -- May 13 Saturday. Mass at 9am and then process to St. Catherine's with a rosary procession. October 13 Friday -- 6 months, will have a prayer procession from St. Catherine's to Christ the King.
- -Hosting the Sacred Heart Congress October 14. Speakers, Mass, devotions to the Sacred Heart.

## **Committee Reports**

- All Saints Report (Athletics, HASSA, School Board) report submitted-- Health event had medical equip and helicopter for the kids to see.
- Clubs and Associations Report (Black Catholic Ministries, Knights of Columbus, Women's Club, Family Life)
  Service Outreach (BREAD, Bishop Griffin Center, St. Vincent de Paul) **Griffin Center** for month of May toothbrushes and toothpaste. **BREAD**—report submitted. Ask friends to attend the Nehemiah Action. There will be a bus leaving at 6:15pm from the church. Event lasts two hours. **Black Catholic Ministries report** National Black Congress--Day of Reflection was very interesting.
  - Finance and Maintenance report submitted
  - Fundraising—report submitted buy a raffle ticket for the Fiesta de Mayo
  - Garden Club—report submitted
  - Appalachia Project-checked projects this last weekend. Will run the car wash with the rummage sale.

### **Old Business**

Parish council elections—month of May. Mary Illencik is leaving, Lanell Wade, Joan Tomlinson. Room for 6 people on council.

Fiesta de Mayo is on the fundraising sheet.

#### **New Business**

Parish picnic—typically end of July but not this year. There is an event planned for July 31. July 23 for parish picnic. Tim Foley will talk to Maryann Tilly for the t-shirts for this year. Parish council will determine the design for the t-shirt.

Summer movies—Friday nights with the pastor

June 23

July 21

August 11

Spanish Speaking - Blood drive on May 28 Sunday after 12:30 mass. Hoping for 30 donors.

# **Closing Prayer**

Next Meeting: May 23, 2017

# **Submitted by Connie Claprood**

Committee reports will not be read at meetings, only highlight needed items. Send reports to Bob Irwin as he will archive them.