

11/09/2023

Attendees: Josh Harry, Randy Gomez, Paul Moritz, Jason Richards, Steve Nosko, Brian Werner

Others Present: Fr Ken, Fr Ryan, Deacon Fred Cornwall, David Reising, Nick Rahe, Susan

Meeting called to order: 7:15

Updates to the 10/12/2023 minutes: Remove non-voting members from Attendees list.
Minutes approved with above changes

Faith Formation

RCIA up to 16 people

Rite of Reception and Welcoming - this weekend at 10:30 Mass

The Mass with Bishop Behrens

Started with 8 attendees

Recently down to 5 attendees

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Thinking about starting a program next school year

David met with 2 individuals trying to gauge and raise interest

Knights of Columbus

Officer meeting last Monday night

Second CPID weekend

Christmas tree sales going well

Steve Wineecke is leading

St Vincent de Paul truck at St Luke's this Saturday

Tubs for hygiene products are currently in the narthex

Next meeting is November 20th

6:30 start, starting with 1st degree initiations

Regular meeting afterwards

St Luke's takes odd months for new member initiation, OLIH even

months

Drake Basketball game concessions

Chris Reigel - post context for Keeping Christ in Christmas

Had a successful coat drive; in conjunction with social concerns

Oxtoberfest

Went well, \$25,000 raised

Fr. Ken getting quotes for building awning
Bought a Corpus Christi canopy
Having a hard time getting a response on installing confessional lights

Welcome Committee

34 new members; 811 total families

Social Concerns

Sent the wire transfer to Ghana (second)
Meals from the Heartland next week
Upcoming angel tree

Liturgy

15-20 servers trained in the last few weeks
4th Sunday in the November - altar servers to handle incense
New Breaking Bread hymnals
October - attendance up 15-20%
8:30 largest Mass
Looking at another Mass
We are still discerning changing Mass times
Don't want to disrupt current Mass schedule

Finance Committee

Conservative budgeting on assets
Generous on budgeting expenses
InVision Architects - doing visioning on what phase III would look like currently
receiving about \$1,000/month donated specifically for future phase
some donations have been earmarked for debt reduction, first tackling
rectory loan, then major debt

School

Regionalization
346 kids this year, 305 last year
Educational Savings Account - received first payment, paid by semester
Next payment will be in January
20% of students qualified for ESAs

Ghana Sister Parish

Streamlining parish with linked Facebook accounts
Fr. Ryan working with Matthew Dawson and Fr. Moses in Ghana
St Martin de Porres building a fence with some of the money sent

Next meeting: 01/11/2024

Fr. Ryan closed with prayer

Meeting adjourned: 7:45