

St. Rita's Parish Council Meeting

May 30, 2017

St. Rita's Parish Hall

Parish Council members in attendance were Father Peter DiTomasso, Father Christopher Onyeneke, Nathan Bonner, Tom Beck, Faye Ganoë, Marty Schorn, Joe Kozlovac, John Coughlin and Mike Luttrell.

The meeting was opened with a prayer led by Fr. Peter.
March 23, 2017 meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.

Finance Committee: Faye Ganoë, Finance Chairperson, gave Financial Report ending April, 30 2017.

Family Ministry: No one in attendance.

Fr. Peter informed the council that the Movie "*Ignatius of Loyola*" will be shown at the Gettysburg Middle School Auditorium, on Wednesday June 21st, at 7:00 PM. Admission is a Good Will Offering.

Women's Society: No report.

Building & Grounds: Marty Schorn reported:

- The refrigerator in the kitchen was repaired. The problem was hard to isolate and led to some extensive testing. Repair total: \$2,179.
- The Church windows were washed. Total: \$300.
- Some shingles were replaced on the Church roof. Total: \$375.
- Three air conditioner units were serviced. Total: \$133.

Old Business/Follow up:

- Fundraising Ideas—Nathan Bonner reviewed details for Breakfast at Applebee's. Dates were considered, including May 7, May 14, and May 21. Nathan will submit the dates for availability.
- Online Giving – Now available.
- New Time and Talent Survey distributed

New business:

- Fr. Peter reported that his installation Mass would be held on June 25th, 1:00 PM, at St. Mary's. All Staff, Parish Council Members, Finance Chairperson, and St. Rita's Ladies Society please attend. Potluck dinner will follow the Mass. More details will be in the weekly bulletin at Mass.
- Parish Picnic-The parish picnic will be held at Carroll Valley Pavilion on September 10th. Please save the date and more details will be in the bulletin. Father Peter said St. Mary's has four volunteers to work on the picnic and he would like four volunteers from St. Rita's. Mike Luttrell volunteered to assist. Fr. Peter will contact Mike with names of the volunteers from St. Mary's so efforts can be coordinated.
- Discussion about fundraising ideas and next steps. It was decided that forming a fundraising committee would be a good idea.
- Adding new members to the Parish Council was discussed. It was decided that current members would reach out to parish members to see if they had interest in serving.
- The next meeting will be September 5th at 7 pm.

Fr. Peter led the group in closing prayer.

The meeting was adjourned at 8 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Mike Luttrell