

Minutes taken by Mary Robinson

Katrina Yanish absent

Annie Dobbs' grandson Mick Anthony –guest

Consensus to approve the last meeting minutes.

Cindy – Thanksgiving report

Twelve turkeys were found in the freezer. A request for assistance was placed in the bulletin. The Rescue Mission is having their feast at the same time as ours. The Soup kitchen is working on Standard Operating Procedures. Lisa Scerbak is helping Cindy get a Facebook Page set up to help raise more money for Soup Kitchen. She would like to ask for a second collection at Mass and ask other parishes to help defray costs. They will serve about 120 people at Thanksgiving.

Chuck Bowman- Maintenance

The Electricity was shut of on Sunday. It came back on just fine. Tony Karl has a generator to use. Plexiglas was donated. He is still researching new exterior siding. Risk management is being worked on. Steve Mullins is researching new security cameras. The van sold quickly. He has an offer on the Subaru. Joe Hruska has the baptismal font and is working on it. Chuck is working on a way to display the Relics. He found another Relic (Gerard Magela-patron of expectant mothers) that can be put in the case.

Chuck showed some of the altar servers how to ring the bell with the white rope (make the bell itself swing). Smaller servers can still use the yellow rope (for the clapper). Still working on keeping the pigeons out of the bell tower.

Fr. Fred – Pastor

New music settings are being implemented. The new Sacramentary is 16 lbs. so a new presider's podium will be built so that the altar servers don't have to hold it. Fr. Fred is the only member of the Liturgy committee and he would like some help. He ordered a new Ordo, hosts and things like that. He still wants to meet with the Lectors and meet again with the deacons. Rose Shiffler is doing a nice job with the bulletin inserts about the new translation of the Roman Missal.

Jack Tragis – Finance Committee

Tammy Want helped Jack get the information prepared for tonight's presentation. He has a copy of the Profit/Loss totals for July1- Oct. 2011. ICC is operating at a loss at this time. The committee concluded that there is not much to cut back on in the budget right now. We have a contract for renting the copy machines and copying so that is why the copy budget is so high. Jack suggests we raise more money since there is nothing else to cut. Some parish council members would like to see an increase in tithes. We have 300 families at ICC. We need to let people know that we need more funds. Our ICC parish is usually very generous.

Fr. Fred

We need a finance report at least twice a year or even once a quarter. A census of parishioners will be taken starting this weekend. We would like to have all the forms

turned in by the end of November. Fr. Fred would like to see us have a fund-raising committee. Tammy Want would like to help with that. We should ask the Bishop for the Diocese to help pay for the Soup Kitchen. Safety is a priority. We need security cameras and glass in the doors as soon as possible. We should have a stewardship prayer meeting type of group. We can sell more ads for the bulletin. We need to have parishioners stand up and tell about their own stewardship.—Joe and Cindy Fields, Jack Tragis, Phyliss Dixon and David Doudna volunteered to speak at Masses.

We will have an audit by the diocese soon.

David Doudna –parish council member

The photos for the photo directory should be taken over the course of several weeks.

Bob Barnard- Director of Religious Education, Deacon

We have had good participation by the students and catechists. It is a very good year! Youth group is going well.

Phyliss Dixon, Bob Mantei, David Doudna, Steve Mullins - parish council members

They appreciated Jack being here and for his report.