

Parish Council Minutes
March 14, 2017

Present: Fr. Romano, Nancy Tarini, Connie Leach, Camille Cenci, Renee Williams, Pat Hadler, Joe Tosi, Judi Beight

The meeting was called to order and opened with a prayer

General Business

*Minutes from February approved

*Parish Mission will take place 3/27-3/29. Fr. Collins will speak at all Masses 3/25 and 3/26. Reception will follow each evening session. Fr. is asking all parishioners to pray for the success of the mission

*All projects are complete except the statue for the prayer garden

Religious Education- Krista Joseph/Michael Reidenbach

*Collecting plastic eggs and candy for the Mid Ohio Worker's Association. The Knights and Religious Ed will work together to host Easter Brunch and Egg Hunt April 8

*Rice Bowl Collection for Catholic Relief Services is currently taking place

*Valentine's Bake Sale raised almost \$1,200.00 to send to Run The Race

*No Religious Ed class March 12, 19, and 26.

*3rd graders made posters to promote the Mission and placed them in the PLC to advertise to the Fish Fry crowd

*Easter Music is going well

*All retreats went well and were well attended

*The Parish Reconciliation service was well attended

*2nd graders will be invited to be candle bearers on Holy Thursday

*Knights are hosting a party for the Altar Servers on Holy Thursday

*Last day of Religious Ed will be on May 7

*May 14 May Crowning- one boy and one girl from the First Communion class will crown the Blessed Mother at the 11:00 mass

*June 4 a Senior Blessing for the OLV 2017 grads will take place during the 11:00 mass and Parish Council will host a cake reception

Committee Reports

Social Action Groups- Connie Leach

*Knights of Columbus will be preparing for the annual Easter Egg hunt to take place April 15

*St. Vincent de Paul will deliver Easter food and Easter basket to individual families on April 15. 51 Easter baskets will be made

*Respect Life- expectant mothers blessing will be April 2, Easter treat bags will be filled April 15, Devine Mercy will be April 23 with a one hour prayer service with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

*YWCA will serve dinners April 27

*food pantry once a month to Holy Rosary and 3rd Sunday of the month to MacArthur Ohio

Welcome/Bereavement- Camille Cenci

*1 bereavement

*1st fish fry served 638 dinners, second fish fry served 743 dinners

*Stations of The Cross will be on Mondays and soup suppers will be on Wednesdays during Lent

Liturgy-Pat Hadler

*Lenten Mission will be 3/27-3/29 from 7:00pm to 8:00pm

*change missals April 7

*April 9 Palm Sunday

*April 11 Lenten Reconciliation

*Holy Thursday Mass will be at 7:00, Good Friday Liturgy 2:00 with Stations of the cross and confession, Easter Vigil 8:00pm, Easter Sunday 8:00am, 9:30am, and 11:30am

*April 25 will be confirmation

*May 14 Mothers Day and May Crowning

*three new Eucharistic Ministers

Communications-Renee Williams

*no new business

Finance- Joe Tosi

*no new business

Pending Business

*elections need six people to run for three seats

*June 4 Parish Council will host coffee and donuts

Meeting was closed with a prayer
Next meeting will be April 11 at 7:00
Minutes submitted by Judi Beight