

**Parish Council Minutes**  
**February 14, 2017**

**Present:** Father Romano, Pat Feamster, Connie Leach, Renee Williams, Joe Tose, Judi Beight

The meeting was called to order and opened with a prayer

**General Business**

\*Minutes from January were approved

\*Preparations are under way for the Parish Mission which will take place March 25 and March 26 at all masses. Father Romano is asking for continued prayers for the success of the mission

\*Catholic Social Services will host a gala March 11

\*Mission in Honduras- we will help build a hall or a home for seminarians, more details in March

**Committee Reports**

**Communications-** Renee Williams

\*The newsletter will go out the first week in May

\*The newsletter will include stories on the mission, update on Honduras, Religious Education and the volunteer dinner

**Religious Education/Youth Ministry-** Krista Joseph, Michael Reidenbach

\*2nd graders had their First Reconciliation February 4

\*8th graders had their Confirmation Retreat/Commitment Ceremony at Mass February 12th, with dinner

\*5th graders had a Valentine's Bake Sale for Run the Race Club February 12 after Religious Ed and after the 11:00 mass. A few of the students went to the center February 16th to host a Valentine party

\*3rd graders will go to Reconciliation Feb 12, 4th graders on Feb 26, and 5th graders on March 5 (Parish Reconciliation will be March 5th at 6:30)

\*Rice bowls will be distributed Feb 26

\*No Class on Feb 18

\*First Communion Retreat will be Feb 25 from 9:00 to 11:00

\*On Feb 26, Madeline Simmonds will speak on the Power of the Rosary to 6-8th graders

\*No class March 12, 19, and 26 due to Spring Breaks

\*Religious Ed will be collecting candy to fill Easter Eggs for the Spring Brunch on April 8. The K of C are making the food for this event to assist families of the Mid Ohio Workers Association that help the working poor of Col.

\*Senior Blessing will be June 4, reception will follow

**Finance-** Joe Tose

\*Nothing new to report

**Building and Grounds-** Nancy Tarini

\*The new refrigerator in the PLC has been installed

\*A/C in the quieting room will be installed this week

**Welcome/Bereavement-** Camille Cenci

\*Nothing new to report

**Social Actions-** Connie Leach

\*Knights of Columbus- preparing for the annual fish fry dinners

\*St. Vincent de Paul- the annual toiletries drive is currently underway and will go to JOIN, preparing for Easter delivery of food and Easter basket to individual families

\*Respect Life- Valentine treat bags were delivered to the home bound, Respect Life will host coffee and donuts March 15

\*YWCA dinners will be served Feb 23

\*Food Pantry- once a month to Holy Rosary and to MacArthur Ohio the 3rd Sunday of the month

**Liturgy-** Pat Hadler

\*Nothing new to report

**Pending Business**

\*Parish Council Elections will be the 3rd Sunday in May

Meeting was closed with a prayer  
Next meeting will be March 14th at 7:00  
Minutes submitted by Judi Beight