

HOLY TRINITY PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES –1/18/21

- Present were Bob Eppen, Mary Jo O'Reilly, Chris O'Reilly, Karen Albers, Henry Keller, Jean Schulte, Randy Nardinger, Steve Welscher, Sara McNamara, and Fr. Kasel.
- Meeting was called to order by Bob Eppen via Zoom.
- Opening prayer by Fr. Kasel.
- Minutes from previous meeting were read. Motion to approve by Karen Albers and seconded by Henry Keller. Motion carried.
- Old Business
 - None
- New Business
 - None
- Clergy Updates
 - Father Kasel and Father McCabe were pleased with participation at Christmas masses and events.
 - Father Kasel extended thanks for cards, well wishes, gifts and emails he and Father McCabe received.
- Church Updates
 - Holy Trinity
 - Light on east entrance not working.
 - Light is needed at west entrance of church so people can see curbing when leaving in the dark. Possibly light could turn on with motion detector.
 - Paint curb with stripes so easier to see the curb.
 - St. Mary's
 - Shrubs removed in front of church. New landscaping will be done in spring. Open to ideas!
 - Wi-Fi extender needed yet for connection to thermostats.
 - Need to pick up handicap signs from Bruce McNamara. Will do in spring.
 - St. Columbkil
 - Voting is complete on the Stations of the Cross. Jean Schulte will be placing order.
 - Cost is \$1725 for prints and framing. Approximately \$627 in donations has been collected.
 - Addition is no longer on hold and is moving forward. Break ground in early spring.
 - Chuck McNamara donation of \$40,000 can be used towards addition or building fund.
 - Inspector pointed out some roof leaks that need to be fixed causing mold issues.
 - Investigating getting statues fixed.
 - Painting steeple and replacing lights needs to be done.
- Faith Formation
 - Faith formation scheduling will begin again this week with older students.
 - 1st Confession Retreat is coming in a couple of weeks with 13 students.
 - Confirmation class has 15 students.
- Finance Update by Bob Eppen
 - Church finances are doing well. Savings are going up from last year.
 - Father Kasel is pleased with the donations throughout the pandemic.
- Next Meeting is March 15th, 2021.
- Closing Prayer by Father Kasel.
- Motion to adjourn meeting. Motion carried.