

Parish Council meeting (12-9-12)

Attendees: Father Bob Poitras, Darryl Fedorchak, Kathy Killam and Ron Chorzewski, Bill Lucas, Tim Colby, Scott Paganelli

Open Session: N/A

Review: Father Bob gave a brief overview of the finances. Currently we are running ahead of budget. Increase giving elicited a 1% response. Grand Annual goal is \$55.0K as of today we have received in excess of \$37.7K Will review at a later date the necessity of the annual fuel collection, due to incremental request.

Septic system review and replacement has started, the results of the review will determine how the land will be divided as it relates to the rectory and potential sales of it.

Regular Business:

1. The Cardinal has approved pastoral plan, this means we will remain our current structure. We have been invited to participate in phase 1 of the new Evangelization program this will mean additional training and workshop for Father Bob and the staff. All Pastoral assignments will have been decided by March.
2. The Year of Faith kicks off with the Catholicism series by Father Barron the movies and discussion will start in January. Father Bob will give us a few dates to have Andrea (Swiss Guard) come during lent. Evangelical outreach Ron Chorzewski w and George Fischer will start a direct outreach program to parishioners who have stopped coming to Mass and personally invite them back.
3. Upcoming events: Saturday the 12-15-12, is first reconciliation. 12-23-12, Christmas pageant and reception will follow.

ECE: N/A

Views from the Pews:

1. Music remains a problem due to lack of participation.
2. Georgetown carpet in the center aisle has multiple puckers.
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Next PPC meeting: February 10th 4:00 PM Rowley