

SUMMARY- ST. PATRICK'S PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES - March 20, 2016

OPENING: St. Patrick's Parish Council met in the media room at 10:15 a.m. on the above date with Fr. Tim and eight council members present. The minutes of the February 21, 2016 meeting were approved by consensus.

CONTINUING BUSINESS

A. Security cameras in the office - The cameras have been installed. The system will allow for 2 additional cameras. If the signal is strong enough, one will be placed in the gathering area of the church and another at the north door of the Arena.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

A. Religious Education - Jennifer Sorenson - Approximately 130 were present for the potluck supper evening for St. Patrick's Day.

B. Liturgy Committee - Linda Yeradi - The group has not met; however, the role of the committee and who compromises it was discussed.

C. Hospitality/Welcoming Committee - Linda Drinkwalter and Tammy Calamari - they have not met.

D. Building and Grounds - Bryan Enos - The arena wiring project is on track based on the electrician's schedule. Bids are being received for complete HVAC system for the rectory, carpet replacement in the gathering area and the arena roof. We continue to seek a replacement for care of the cemetery.

E. Newman House - Riley Stack - Student participation continues to be very good.

F. Finance Committee - Jim Gardner - All financial statements were reviewed and approved by consensus.

G. Evangelization Committee - Fr. Tim - The pastors in the community are planning to carry a cross from the Court House to Crestview Care Center and ask for participation from all church groups.

H. Hospital/Prairie Pines/Crestview - Betty Reading - Ministers continue to make weekly visits to all three institutions. Mass is held at Prairie Pines on the 1st and 3rd Fridays at 10 a.m. and at Crestview on the 4th Friday of each month, also at 10 a.m. Parishioners are encouraged to participate.

NEW BUSINESS

A. Nominating Committee - the 3 retiring members of the council comprise the Nominating Committee. They are Linda Drinkwalter, Bryan Enos and Jennifer Sorenson.

B. Annual Appeal - the Annual Appeal will begin in April and continue for 18 months.

Next meeting - April 17, 2016 at 10:15 a.m.

Betty Reading
Secretary