Pastoral Council Meeting

February 21, 2017

Members Absent: Chris Geyer, Kathy Ciszewski

We Assemble in God's Name Opening Prayer – Our Father

Prayers of intercession for the needs of the parish

and individuals

We Celebrate Our Past Pastoral Council January minutes approved

We Proclaim God's Word Matthew 6:24-34

We Present Our Offering

Pastor's Report

The roll cabinet donated by Snap On, for the Winter Social, was re-donated back to the parish. Retail value is \$4800.00. Discussion included how to post this item for resale. Suggestions were for: E-Bay, Face Book, and Parish Bulletins within our community.

The Bridge Campaign has been very successful and will continue through May 2017. The current number of participants is 128, the goal is for 200. The monthly stewardship increase is currently at \$1,975, with a goal of \$3000/month. So far, we have raised \$70,257 towards mortgage reserves. The goal is \$92,000. Fr. Bob will include Stewardship in a Homily during Lent, with hopes for continued participation in this campaign.

<u>Finance</u>

Angie Tramburg is a new member to the Finance Ministry. Phil Kent is the new Chairperson for this ministry.

Evangelization

Margie Mandli, chairperson for this ministry, presented upcoming programs for the parish. Plans include Session 3 of the ChristLife Program, Sharing Christ, which will be held April 26-June 7, New Evangelization Summit May 12-13, 2017, and plans for a Called and Gifted Program for our parish in the fall of 2017.

Winter Social

The 2017 St. Anne Winter Social was again a huge success. The total revenue was greater than \$63,000. The "Last Call" part of the fundraiser collected \$19,999 to be used to purchase an AV Unit for the parish and a Lightning Protection System for the building.

St. Anne Spirit wear

Chris Geyer has offered to chair this project. Spirit Wear attire will be purchased from Super Sports in Kenosha. Samples of Spirit Wear clothing will be available for parishioners to view prior to ordering.

Trustee Elections

Kathy Ciszewski completes her term as Trustee Treasure, and will be replaced by election in the Spring.

Pastoral Council Elections

Two pastoral council members will be elected. Mike Nuzzo and Patricia Schmitz complete their terms this year. Chris Geyer and Denise Ehr will be managing this process. There will be information sessions for parishioners who are considering discernment for the Pastoral Council. More information will follow.

Commission Updates

Worship Ministry discussed enhancing the church cleaning team. Discussion also included the washing and ironing of linens used for the Mass, decorating of the Church, and possibly moving the confessional from the Sacristy.

Youth Ministry discussed a need for a budget to pay for speakers, and other expenses for the group.

Communications

There is a need for more ushers during the Saturday night Mass.

Upcoming Events

February 24 – 1:30-5:30pm – Blood Drive

February 28 – 6pm – Fat Tuesday Family Faith Formation Event

March 1 – Ash Wednesday

April 5 – 6:30pm – Spring Deanery Kenosha/Racine Meeting

June 16 – Annual St. Anne Golf Outing

Every Tuesday – 7pm – Eucharistic Holy Hour

Next Parish Council Meeting 7pm Tuesday March 21, 2017

We Give Thanks Prayers of Gratitude

Closing Prayer Hail Mary

Adult Faith Formation

Awareness of the Sacred

Financial Stewardship

Respectfully submitted by Patricia Schmitz

^{**}Read your St. Anne bulletin for events in our district and our region**