

## Annunciation of the Lord

### Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes for January 26, 2017

1. The meeting opened with a prayer from Father Craig
2. Approval of Minutes: Kathleen Donahue motioned and second by Jeremy Polega
3. Financial Report: Brandt Rousseaux was absent, but Fr. Craig shared the following information: The quarterly report was approved, and over all doing well to the budget. There was a slight overspending at the rectory. There is also a perpetual care account being created for all three churches.
4. Communication with the Parishioners: although many ideas circulated, Mike Ignash suggested we come back to the next meeting with concrete ideas to utilize the volunteer/areas of interest survey.
5. Stewardship :Parish council members were going to ask the St. Mary parishioners who successfully ran this in the past if they would volunteer to guide others to manage the raffle/festival. This was also tabled to next month's meeting.
6. Faith formation: Verna Murawski states that the group is doing well with 8 children in consistent attendance and that parents seem to be very interactive with the program. Reconciliation is Feb. 11 (family) at 8pm at St. Ed. schools. She also stated that confirmation is being combined with Saint Roc's of Caseville. Also interest in looking for new workbooks for the Faith Formation Program.
7. Parishioners Comments: There was interest in knowing who is developing the website /app page for the Parish; it really has no content at this time. Ron Yaroch also attended representing the prospective buyers of St. Edward Hall to get clarification on were the Parish stands on price and pending utility/ground needs.
8. Father Craig mentioned that the window renovation are in progress. He also stated that the Finance Committee was interested in raising the selling price of the St. Edwards Hall to \$39,000 vs. \$32,000. He will share the Parish Council's input of selling price remaining at \$32,000 as the prospective buyers are willing to partner with the parish on several facility concerns.
9. Date of next meeting scheduled for March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Kathleen Donahue motioned to adjourn and Jeremy Polega second. Father Craig closed with prayer.