Five Parish Council meeting

Tuesday, September 17, 2019 at St. John rectory basement

Present: Greg Homan, Jenny Jones, Paul Droesch, , Rick Otte, Craig Tuente, Brett Hartings, Ryan Schwieterman, Fr. Gene, Fr. Tom and Sharon Kremer.

Fr. Gene opened the meeting with prayer.

**New Business:**

Blue Knight starts September 19th at St. Sebastian church basement and have 33 boys signed up. Jared Pottkotter in charge of this program with many fathers helping with the program.

Little Flowers starts September 19 thru April with the last session is the 2nd Thursday of May with their mom which meet at Precious Blood church basement Nicole Homan and Kim Bruns have 46 girls this year.

Jacob Kleinhenz would like to use a space for the Quo Vadis group that meet every other Monday evening. Was decided to meet at St. Rose church basement. There are about 15 to 20 young men that meet.

Women’s retreat will be held October 12th and 13th at Precious Blood church basement and rectory. There are 20 ladies on giving team and 23 ladies on receiving team.

Stations of the Cross will stay as in the past.

Parish Council elections will be the weekend of October 19th and 20th prior to Mass starting at all the Massses. Need names for ballots by October 1st.

Discussed new website and online giving thru website. Will contact LPI regarding more questions and perhaps find a evening for parish council, finance, business managers and staff to attend.

Discussed rent for St. Rose (Parish office) and the utilities (propane and electric).

St. John- Wellman Brothers have sealed the bottom of the church. The mortar on the bricks on top need to be repaired before sealing the church. The paint contract has been signed and plans to begin the project in January. Paint committee has meet with Brian Brothers along with the artist.

Precious Blood – Basement floor has been redone. All new chairs were purchased in the basement.

Nativity – Water in the basement and repaired plugged tiles. Haven’t had rain to see if that was problem.

St. Rose-The handicapped railing is up. The windows will be repaired windows with the heavy wind storm. Also repairing the stain glass that was broken. New roof on garage was put on due to the wind storm. Put new railing on front of rectory (parish office) and soffit.

St. Sebastian- North Star will be adding another heat and air conditioning unit that will help in the basement and sacristy. This will hopefully have more rentals in the basement.

Next meeting – Tuesday, January 28, 2020 at 8pm at St. John rectory basement