

Members present: Marian Milender, Shirley Van Dee, Mike Adrian, Paul Fritz, Curt Mottet, Denise Clarahan, Ed Horras & Greg Ledger.

Guests present: Rosemary Pacha, Carol Robison & Steve Pacha

Marian Milender read the opening prayer.

The meeting was called to order by Marian Milender at 7:05 p.m. at St Joseph Catholic Church, East Pleasant Plain, IA.

Paul Fritz read the minutes from the June 11, 2014 meeting. Correction under New Business, EPP Rectory Furnishings. Shirley Van Dee, Marian Milender and Paul Fritz were the committee members for this instead of Shirley Van Dee and "other" committee members that was listed in minutes to go through the items at the East Pleasant Rectory. Paul Fritz made a motion to approve the minutes as corrected and Curt Mottet seconded the motion.

Committee Reports were given:

Christian Service/Social Action: Barb Hood has been taking the items to the pantry for the food donation.

Family Life: There is going to be a Marriage Enrichment retreat held on Sunday, November 16, 2014. Ilamae Hamisch will be leading this retreat.

Liturgy: No report.

Maintenance: Light's in the sacristy need attention. You turn on the switch and the light doesn't come on. The bell tower motor is removed and being repaired by Chuck Ledger. Curt Mottet & Adam Ledger will look at the lights in the sacristy. Carl Cavner will be doing the porch repairs at the Richland Rectory before fall.

Faith Formation: No report.

Church Life: Nothing has been completed on the Time and Talent survey yet. The website traffic has dropped a little too around 20 visitors a week.

Altar Rosary: The Pleasant Plain Alumni Dinner was held and around 50 attended. A funeral dinner will be held for Bertha Kurtz. Groups for the fall bazaar will be organized soon.

Finance: Mike Adrian discussed the Profit & Loss statement. The income was over the projected amount budgeted. Have seen an increase in the donation's since the letters went out to the Parishioners earlier in the year. He discussed the new budget for July 2014-June 2015. There is an error in total Admin. Expense, it should be \$106,359.00 instead of \$105,359.00.

The porch at the Richland Rectory and driveway at St. Joseph's are not included in these figures. The porch expense will be \$2,650.00 which has been approved. The driveway expense will be \$4,804.00 and has not been approved through the parish council yet. Marian Milender made a motion to approve this expense and Greg Ledger approved this motion and Paul Fritz seconded the motion.

OLD BUSINESS:

Dates available for pictures for the church picture directory are Thursday, Sept. 4th, Friday, Sept. 5th & Saturday, Sept. 6th as well as Thursday, Sept. 22nd, Friday, Sept. 23rd & Saturday, Sept. 24th. They are working on the revision of lists for Time & Talent. Discussed using the team concept instead of committees. Look this over & give Paul ideas on additions to add to the list.

Shirley Van Dee & Marian Milender met with Myron Greiner & walked through St. Joseph's Rectory to get ideas of the value & starting bids for a silent auction to be held for some of the items in the rectory. First workday will be Saturday, July 26th at 8:30 A.M. Bring boxes if anyone can help it would be greatly appreciated. If a second workday is needed it would be Saturday, Aug. 2nd. The silent auction will be open for the parish starting Sunday, August 3rd after mass and Sunday, August 10th after mass will be the final day of the auction. When everyone is through bidding the committee will go through & contact the last person to have the ending bid & the buyer is asked to pick up these items ASAP.

NEW BUSINESS:

It is time to start preparation for our annual fall bazaar. It will be held on Sunday, September, 21st. A motion for approval of the bazaar date was made by Marian Milender, it was approved by Paul Fritz & seconded by Greg Ledger.

Parishioners have approached Paul Fritz about air circulation in the St. Joseph Parish on days when the air conditioner is not on. The possibility of using floor fans or possibly running the fan on the air conditioner was discussed to circulate the air during mass.

Shirley Van Dee read the closing prayer.

A motion was made by Paul Fritz to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by Greg Ledger. The time was 8:11 p.m.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, August 13th at 7 p.m. at Mother Cabrini.

Respectfully submitted,

Denise Clarahan