PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES MAY 17, 2018

<u>Attendance:</u> Mark Mauer, Tyler Stuerman, Debbie Blunt, Roxanne Schultz, Kris Mitrisin, Felix Lopez, Susan Knox, Hedi Stefanc, Tiffany Snakenberg, Donna Tylkowski, Father John, and Samantha Ridder. Excused were Maggie Rand, Irene Cruz, Ron Mitrisin and Larry Ingamells.

Opening Prayer: Father John opened the meeting with prayer followed by Grace as we were provided with several different types of pizza.

<u>Approval of Minutes:</u> Kris Mitrisin made a motion to approve the minutes with a second from Father John. Passed with all in favor.

Parishioner Concerns: There were no parishioner concerns to be presented.

Committee Reports:

- **Finance** attached
- Faith Formation attached
- Liturgy attached
- Church/Family Life There was no meeting in May and their next meeting will be in June. Up-dates: Guess who is coming to Dinner speaker June 3rd, Signup sheets will be inserted in bulletins. Parish Picnic August 29th at 5:30 pm at Edmondson Park.
- Social Peace Justice Kris reported that the Stop Hunger went well. Packed 10,000 meals in approximately one and one-half hours, Well attended by older individuals from the church seemed to enjoy participating. Funds short as of May 10th they had raised \$1,338.08. Total cost \$3,183.00 short \$1,845.00
- Building and Grounds attached

New Business:

• Potential Council Members for next year

Shanna Smith extended one more year - will need one more member to join. Several names were presented to Father. He will follow-up with telephone calls.

• Vote for Officers

President - Tyler Stuerman Vice President - open at the present time Secretary - Debbie Blunt

Bishop information

On Tuesday, May 15th there were several priests and the bishop met at the Parish Center to discuss Vision 20/20 from Pentecost to Pentecost: they

discussed the purpose and timeline. In September Vision 20/20 will engage people in listening sessions in every parish of the diocese. In October and November 2018, will conduct regional conversations around the Diocese, with 3-4 representatives from each parish or ministry delivering the message heard at their listening sessions. On June 6-8 2019, will hold the Convocation to meet these objectives:

- 1. Celebrate our unity in the joy of the Gospel
- 2. Reflect on the call to be "Spirit-filled evangelizers"
- 3. Look to the peripheries of our communities
- 4. Read the signs of the times in our Diocese of Davenport
- 5. Explore practical strategies for the future
- 6. Begin to chart out concrete plans for taking the next steps
- 7. Pray for the grace to move forward

In fall 2019, we will work on the next steps that are identified at the Convocation.

During Pentecost 2020, we will hold a diocesan celebration to keep the momentum going.

<u>Closing Prayer</u>: All Parish Councils joined in reciting the **Diocesan Prayer**: Vision 20/20 - From Pentecost to Pentecost.

Parish Council Secretary Donna Tylkowski