

ST. JOSEPH'S PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

June 1, 2015

Call to Order: Nancy Roske called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM.

Members present: Fr. Ron Dockendorf, Nancy Roske, Gene Waldorf, Linda Gohman, Joe Arnzen, Ermina Blaeser, Marc Brinkman, Thom Mueller, Bob Zollar,
Members not present – All Present Guests: Chico Hellman, Jonelle Kirchner, Bernice Tschida

Opening Prayer - The Parish Pastoral Council Prayer was read by all.

Agenda - A motion was made to accept the agenda as amended.

Motion Gene Waldorf 2nd by Joe Arnzen The Motion carried.

Minutes: - A motion was made to accept the minutes of April 6 with corrections

Motion Ermina Blaeser 2nd Thom Mueller The motion carried.

Reports:

Faith Formation - No Report

Christian Women - Jonelle Kirchner – Rosemary Berscheit was install as president. Hosted the Sauk Centre/Melrose Deanery meeting on April 28 with a Mass and potluck meal. Bake Sale held Memorial Day weekend with profit of \$582. Fun Food and Fund Day will be Thursday, June 4th at Avon.

Finance Committee – Jonelle Kirchner

April collections continue to be good. Easter donation over \$8,800. Total income for 2015 \$194,995.

Maintenance Update - Chico

Chico reported a family requested to bury a family member in an urn and dig the grave themselves for financial reasons. After discussion it was determine only Kerzman could dig graves. Chico will discuss with Kerzman to determine if he will dig at a reduce cost. If family cannot afford Fr. Ron will make final decisions as to payment.

Lawn Mower continues to work, new blades have been purchased. Use until it fails and rent, if necessary as was determined at April 6 meeting.

New sod is laid where the water runs off the roof

Unfinished Business/Updates

Pastoral Council Liaison- Thom Mueller No information received.

Cemetery Update – Nancy Roske

Nancy reported that errors remain on the cemetery map and she will work with Cindy to update office map.

No volunteer for the Cemetery Superintendent position. Two couples (Bill & Julie Berscheit and Brian & Nancy Roske) will take the position if no other volunteers.

Parish Vibrancy Tool – Gene Waldorf - Distributed plan to Review Parish Assessment of Practices.

