

**ST. LEO'S PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES FOR December 11th, 2018**  
(Unapproved at this time)

St. Leo's Parish Council met on Tuesday, December 11th, 2018 at the FCMC. Members present at the meeting: Ernie Bures, John Cuka, Kathy Jaeger, Paul Jaeger, Bernie Kostal, Karen Ranek, Justin Rothschadl, and Father Joe.

- I. Bernie Kostal called the meeting to order at 7:00pm; Father Joe opened with a prayer.
- II. Minutes to the previous meeting were reviewed. Ernie made a motion to accept the minutes, Justin second the motion. All voted "aye".
- III. **OLD BUSINESS:**
  - A. **Religious Education:**
    1. Fr. Joe informed the members that the Religious Education Christmas program is scheduled Sunday, December 16th at the 10:30 mass. Also that the gifts for the religious education teachers/volunteers, & etc. were ready to be given out.
    2. Fr. Joe reported that they are looking into other options for the summer programs and getting some input from some parents.
    3. JoLynn Weber will be stepping down as the Religious Ed Director for elementary & high school at the end of this school year. She will continue to do the safe environment training. Fr. Joe & JoLynn have talked to a few people about filling the position.
  - B. **Repairs & Upgrades:**
    1. Fr. Joe informed the council that Jeanie Hoch contacted him and would like to know what repairs & updates that the church was needing so that she could donate a certain amount to cover these projects.
    2. Connector: The updates to the connector would include redoing the ceiling, take out the folding walls & replace them with permanent walls, replace carpet with a non-skid surface flooring, make all the doors handicap accessible door, and also installing 2 stained glass windows in the chapel.
    3. FCMC gutters & soffit repairs: Justin & John were going to inquire with a couple of people to obtain bids for this project.
    4. Father will create a letter & email to the council for them to look over. And then thru the emails a motion will be made to make the improvements & send a letter to the Bishop for approval.
    5. Rectory basement- laundry room: Fr Joe explained that there needs to be trench work done in the rectory basement to prevent basement flooding. John made a motion for Blackburn to come in & do the work. Ernie seconded it. All voted "aye". Motion carried. It was discussed that the high school boys would help in clearing out the basement to get it ready for Blackburn to start work.
    6. It was also mentioned about the sound system in the church having some problems, so Fr. Joe will be contacting Jurrens to look into the problem.
- IV. **NEW BUSINESS:**
  - A. **Finances:** The annual report was reviewed. Motion was made by Justin, second by Paul to approve the Aug., Sept., Oct., & Nov. financial report. All voted "aye". Motion carried.
  - B. **Knights of Columbus/Altar Society/Foresters:** There will be 1st, 2nd, & 3rd degrees being conducted on December 22nd in Wagner.
  - C. **Non-Event Event:** A total of \$10,800 has been collected as of now for this event.
  - D. **RCIA:** These meetings are on Sunday nights and attending are people from Tyndall, Wagner, & Dante.
  - E. **2019 Weddings:** Fr. Joe reported that there is a possibility of 3 to 4 weddings being scheduled for 2019.
  - F. **Altar Society:** No report.
  - G. **Catholic Foresters:** No report.
  - H. **Other Business:** No other business.
- V. The next meeting was set for Tuesday January 15th, 2019 at 7:00pm.
- VI. Kathy made a motion to adjourn, Ernie seconded the motion; the meeting was adjourned and Father closed with a prayer.