

St. Ann's Parish Council Minutes
September 11, 2007

1. Meeting was called to order by President Kelly Greenleaf at 7:00 PM.
 - 1.1 Opening prayer was led by Kelly Greenleaf.
 - 1.2 Roll was taken.
 - 1.3 Agenda was approved as written.
 - 1.4 Previous minutes were read by members and approved.
2. Special Presentations
 - 2.1 Father Parlette spoke of needing to know what has been done in the past at St. Ann's so that he is aware of what to expect in the future. He wants to be informed of the expectations of each committee. Should we continue what has been done, or make changes? Kelly suggested that all committees write down what they do and what projects they are involved in. This should be discussed at each commission meeting the next time they meet.
 - 2.2 Commission Reports
 - i) Faith Formation – Registration is taking place. Classes for high school start September 19 and Elementary and Adult sessions start October 7.
 - ii) Liturgy – Committee is informing Fr. Parlette about upcoming events.
 - iii) Family Life – Informal welcome reception for Fr. Parlette was held after all masses on September 8 – 9. It was well attended. It was suggested that this committee be responsible for welcoming new members to our parish. It was also mentioned that the food pantry is very low.
 - iv) Social Action – The Deanery meeting and the food pantry were discussed. It was suggested that each child could bring an item of food when coming to Faith Formation.
 - v) Building and Grounds – They are concentrating on the Cemetery right now and are working to improve the Fatima Shrine, Stations of the cross, and the circle drive planter.
 - vi) Stewardship – Fr. Parlette was given an overview of their committee work in their July meeting.
 - vii) Finance – The campaign drive is completed. There were 290 pledges given during the drive. During the first part of October, the finances will be shared with the parish. There will be a finance flyer mailed to all parishioners.
3. Old Business
 - 3.1 Breakfast – Parish Breakfasts were set as follows:
 - i) October – Family Life
 - ii) November 11 – Social Action
 - iii) January 20 – Liturgy
 - iv) March 9 – Building and Grounds
 - 3.2 Thank you's – A thank you was sent to Dan Urmie for his work in removing the tree stumps located along the road.
4. Closing – Closing prayer was led by Father Parlette and meeting was adjourned near 8:30 PM.