

St. Thomas Parish
Parish Council Meeting
November 3, 2009

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| Attendees: | Theresa Broering | Jean Cate |
| | Charlie Hardebeck | Tom Hosty |
| | Joan Plunkett | Patti Rolf |
| | Mary Paula Schuh | Erich Wagner |
| | Jill Wagner | Fr. Larry Schaeper |

Meeting began with a prayer at 7:35 by Fr. Schaeper

Minutes were read and were approved. Motion moved for approval by Joan Plunkett and Patti Rolf.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Maintenance –

Facilities Committee will be meeting this Thursday (11/8).

Roof Status – Final bill has not been paid (waiting a little more to see if we have any problems). Our next roof project will be the Gym (spring/summer) and the Activity Center (winter). Jim Scheifer (parishioner) has donated his services with this project. Letter to Diocese sent and approved – bids will be sent out to four bidders.

Worship – Theresa Broering

Committee is getting read for Advent/Christmas. Confessionals are being remodeled.

Stewardship –

This upcoming weekend, cards will be placed in the church benches for renewal of the “treasure” part of our program.

Social Action –

Sign up for January ad for Pro-Life.

Family Life – No Report

Finance Council –

Priority list was reorganized. “Vision for future” approach to the parish. Facilities Committee will put together a priority list.

Development Committee – Joan Plunkett

Educational Fund new brochure was reviewed along with letter. Suggested that this may not go out this fall – may wait till spring.

Board of Education – Mary Paula Schuh

- November report was published in bulletin
- H1N1 – have had several cases
- Veteran’s Memorial scheduled for November 11, @ 9:00 a.m.
- Several grants have been written, i.e. Arts Council
- Pre-schoolers invited to school for party
- Academic team has started up
- Benefiting from Kroger cards
- Enrollment Up

Youth Ministry – Patti Rolf

- Youth 2000 – attendance about 400 – up from last year
- NCC was well represented
- Chaperones are always a problem
- Question raised: Invite 8th graders to attend

Diocesan Pastoral Council – No Report

Mothers Club – No Report

Boosters – No Report

NEW BUSINESS – Charlie Hardebeck

Need for vigilance in items/requests/solicitation on church grounds that may conflict with Catholic teaching. All agreed that these requests “must go through the pastor”.

OLD BUSINESS – Joan Plunkett

Yellow Line – talked with Department of Transportation and then back to Ron Dill (Ft. Thomas). They promised something would be done

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m. with prayer.

Next meeting, Tuesday, January 5, 2010.