



*St. John the Evangelist
Parish Council Minutes
Monday, January 14, 2019 7:00 PM*

Quorum – Two-thirds of the Parish Council Voting Membership was present.

Members Present:

Msgr. Michael Becker	Patrick Podoletz	Patrick Schurr	Robert Olson
Fran Semelsberger	Claudia Anderson	Marilyn Bevin	Dan Langenbacher
Betty Dennis	Carolyn Fye	Michael Greslick	Christopher Ringkamp
Debbie Johnson	James Campbell		

Members Absent:

Deacon Gene Neral	Mary Ann Mirobelli	Wally Wargo	
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1. Prayer & Opening

The meeting opened at 7:00 with our traditional opening prayer

2. Approval of minutes from last meeting

Chris Ringkamp made a motion to approve minutes from our previous meeting, Bob Olson seconded that motion. The minutes were unanimously approved by all present.

3. Old Business:

a) **Parishioner Survey**

The results from the parishioner survey have come back and have been presented to parish council. Because of the lengthy amount of material to read through, it was decided to take home and digest over the next month until the next meeting.

b) **Restore, Repair, Rejoice Campaign**

In addition to the project already laid out, we would like to explore the possibility of adding more handicapped parking spaces near the front of the church. In the meantime, to ease congestion we would like to remind parishioners that if they are capable, to please park in the main lot and save the handicapped spaces for those who need them most.

When each of the campaign projects are put in to motion, there will be a notification in the bulletin that bids are being accepted.

4. New Business:

a) **Ministry Reports**

Council would like to see more transparency with future and upcoming projects that each of the ministries are providing or attending. We will still keep the



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same format of sending ministry reports ahead of time, but these reports are to be limited to past events only. We would like to hear reports verbally in council meetings that include upcoming / future events.

b) Meeting for December

The Mardi Gras party will be held on March 2 this year from 5:30 until 9:00 in Father Bailey hall. The format will be the same as years past with chicken and soft drinks being provided by the Social Committee fund. Parishioners are asked to bring a “pot luck” style side dish. This event is BYOB and we are opening the party up to family and friends from outside the church as well.

c) ARISE

The next ARISE sessions start on March 3 and teams are being formed. The Core Team has a meeting coming up on 1/22 to prepare for the next session.

d) 100th Anniversary Committee

The idea of a 100th Anniversary Committee / team was brought to the attention of council. With this milestone coming up in a few years, we want to be well prepared and commemorate it properly. This could be with parties, special masses, a program / book. It would be beneficial to form a team that would be able to plan all of these things and possibly more.

5. Committee reports:

There was nothing to add to the presubmitted reports.

6. Date for next meeting – Monday, February 11, 2019 at 7:00 PM

7. Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.