

Our Lady of the Visitation

Parish Council Meeting Minutes

December 1, 2021 7:30-8:30PM

All in Attendance – Father Ben, Lynn, Andrea, Joseph Z, Rich, Frank, Joe C, Ruth, Rebecca

Opening Prayer - Rich

October Meeting Minutes – Ruth motion to approve, Andrea 2<sup>nd</sup>, All approved.

Father Ben led discussion – Pastor’s report Handout

Parish review – programs are growing and going well

1. New Musician – Michael Adams
2. Assistant Campus Minister – new job search March 2022
3. Maintenance – Grounds committee meeting Oct 27-30<sup>th</sup>
  - a. Building and Grounds committee - repairing ramp, walls, doors, gutters, etc
4. Alter Server Classes – Dec 4<sup>th</sup>
5. Veterans Day Luncheon – 8<sup>th</sup> grade class and teacher
6. Programs – Coffee hour, Run with a Priest (1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday each month – with babysitting), Youth Ministry (2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday each month), Potluck (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after 11AM Mass)
7. Daily Mass Schedule – Tues – Fri 8:30AM
8. Add an evening mass on Wednesdays starting during Advent – 6pm
  - a. Other events on Wednesdays – Adoration, Bible Study 7PM
9. New Directory for OLV Parish – 30-40 families per day needed – Wingate – volunteers to assist

Encouraging Volunteers – How to organize our parish efforts in building community

1. Coordinators and Committee members needed –
  - a. Coffee Hour
  - b. Youth Ministry
  - c. Activities and Events (ex. Potluck)

Mission Statement- in progress

Financial Report – next update February / 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter – Charlie Albright

Next Council Meeting –

January 19, 2022 – Parish Hall

Closing Prayer - Rich

RMG