

Parish Council Meeting- November 19, 2018

Monday, November 19th, 2018 at 7:00 to 8:00 PM-Parish Hall

Attendance: Fr. Clement, Tita Gontang, Matt Zoller, Barbara Reed, Claudia Alcantara, Fred Silva, Joe Woodhead, Lynn Amaty, Paulette Sammons, Ron Bisson, Tonie Holodick, Tony Terracciano, Gordon Ramey

Guests: Jean Edwards/Greg

Opening Prayer: Tony T.

Minutes for October 2018 Meeting: Adjusted and Approved

Pastor's Perspective: Fr. Clement

There are many approval processes that need to be met in order to proceed with the new building, all of which have been approved. Meeting with architect to take place on December 11th. Fire Marshall had recommendations for new building such as a firewall between new building and church, and at the elevator. New fire alarms should be installed in the basement of the church for safety. Plans for the old rectory to be demolished in the spring. Father Clement, along with Fred Silva, have stressed the importance of new pledges to make this project financially possible.

Sesquicentennial Celebration: Tonie H. & Jean E.

17 church members attended the celebration. Jean and Tonie passed out information pertaining to the celebration in Ocean City on November 3rd. Some of the observations at this event included making our parish more hospitable, greeting people more before mass, thank all visitors to the church, and to have the various church ministries make a welcome packet for new members of the church.

Liturgy: Ron B.

Ron will be doing the music for masses Thanksgiving weekend. He stressed the need for a choir director to increase the effectiveness of a stronger music ministry. Claudia has been asked to reach out to the Spanish members of the church community to help with music for masses.

Taste of the World:

To take place of January 20th, in conjunction with the youth, as part of a community building event.

Anointing Mass:

December 1st, at 11:00 AM. Light lunch afterwards (Pastoral Care)

Christmas Creche: Joe W. & Fred S.

Fred and Joe need assistance in setting up the Christmas Creche on December 16th at 10:00 AM.

Christmas Party:

The Parish Council Christmas Party is to take place on December 17th, at 7:00 PM at Tita's house.

Closing Prayer: Joe W.

Adjournment