

SACRED HEART PARISH BOARD AND FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Sacred Heart Church - Wednesday, November 17, 2021, 6:30 p.m.

OPENING PRAYER

The joint meeting was opened with a prayer led by Father Antony at 6:30 p.m.

Present: Father Antony, Darlene Boe, Jane Boe, Heather Felten, Peggy Schmitz, Mike Schneider, Chad Steinkamp, Amy Thome and Gary Thome.

Absent: Ron Gilgenbach, Connie Hoff, John O'Connell and Tim Schneider

SCHOOL BOARD / Principal

The school is continuing to work on the requirements of the MNSAA reaccreditation requirements. The MNSAA audit team will be here sometime in the spring of 2023. The school still has an open position for the 8th grade teaching position; Jane Boe will remain teaching for the remainder of this year. The school has been offered to participate in the Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation Challenge again, this is a matching grant program. We have been offered a matching grant goal of \$10,000, if we reach our goal of raising \$10,000 the Schulze Family Foundation will match it and donate another \$10,000 to our school. Dar Boe is having surgery and will be out for six to eight weeks around Christmas break.

FINANCES

The financial and budget reports were reviewed for the Church and the School.

OTHER BUSINESS

Faith Formation classes began November 17th. Confirmation will be held at Sacred Heart on Wednesday, April 13th, 2022. The Diocese of Winona was here for a one day audit last week. They are here every 3 years. CCW volunteers Joyce Merten and Barb Kasel have announced they will no longer be handling the funeral luncheons. Shari Heimer has volunteered to take over making the funeral luncheon arrangements. We need to look at the bylaws and to the future disposition of the CCW if it is no longer viable. It was decided to get current bids on updating the heating system and removing the boilers as our most recent bid is over two years old. We would like to replace the boiler and remove any old radiators and piping so that when we paint the church that work will already have been done and no further interior remodeling will be necessary. Any Quonset renovations and repairs will not take place until the heating system in the church has been upgraded.

FUTURE QUARTERLY FINANCE/PARISH MEETINGS

Tentative meeting dates. All meetings begin at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 24, 2022

Wednesday, June 22, 2022

CLOSING PRAYER

Father Antony led the closing prayer. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Submitted by Peggy Schmitz, Secretary