

St. Mathias Parish/Finance Council Meeting Minutes  
Thursday, October 12, 2017

Attending: Fr. Cole, Jim Rother, Katie Kiminski, Rhonda Rother, Steve Wagner

- Meeting called to order and opened in prayer
- Liaison Reports
  - Faith Formation – First of three Confirmation and First Communion meetings held. Last class of the faith formation year will be in Hampton instead of New Trier in April 2018.
  - Liturgy – Music still needs revamping.
    - All Saints Mass Schedule 6:30 pm Mass – St Mathias Hampton and 9:00 am Mass – St. John Vermillion.
    - All Souls Mass Schedule 7:00 pm Mass- St Mathias Hampton.
    - Christmas Eve Mass Schedule: 4:00 pm Mass - St John Vermillion, 6:00 pm Mass - St Mathias Hampton and Midnight Mass - St Mary's New Trier.
    - Christmas Day Mass Schedule 9:00 am - St John Vermillion .
    - Easter Schedule still being discussed.
  - Charitable Work Activities – Upcoming food drive for Thanksgiving, Appalachian Drive for Kentucky Mission going on now.
  - Cemetery Committee – Columbarium is ordered and will be put up in November. Setup on three annual installments. Short term loan from General Fund instead of withdrawn from investment fund. Will be paid back as graves and niches sell. Okayed by Finance Council.
  - Maintenance Committee – New sound system needed for the church. Given go ahead from parish and okay from finance council to proceed and use capital funds left over from past campaign. Approx. cost around \$25,000.
  - St. Matias Catholic United Financial Council is dissolving effective in January 2018. All members will be absorbed by other active councils.
- Financial Report (overlap with Finance Committee) – Parish finances in good condition.
- Adjourned the meeting and closed in prayer