

OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

September 4, 2013

Members Present: Msgr. Daniel Pilon Todd Zimprich Jean Capouch
 David Groven Karen Gapp Samantha Delong

Msgr. Pilon lead the meeting with prayer.

Minutes from the previous meeting on August 15 were reviewed.

Concerns expressed:

Did the trees get trimmed?

Have the shed doors been repaired? David will take care of this.

Light bulbs need to be replaced in the church before the Bishop comes.

Bulbs are very expensive. Can we replace the fluorescents with LED. Al Koshney is looking into this.

Balance in the parish account at Goose River Bank as of Sept. 4 is \$7,735.00

Mortgage Burning Service will take place on September 25 beginning with a prayer Service at 6:00 p.m. Bishop John Folda will be in attendance. A meal will be served following the prayer service with the Religious Ed students serving.

The prayer service was reviewed. An invitation will be sent out. Discussion on who should be invited to attend who are not regular parishioners.

Final details of the meal were discussed. Setup will be done following Mass on the 22nd with those in attendance asked to help.

Parish Charity. Fort Totten has been selected as the parish charity. Father Charlels Leute will come to talk to us about the mission of the parish, possibly in October. A second collection will be taken up once a month for this mission. There was discussion on whether this could be a service project for the youth of the parish.

We need a parish representative to the Deanery Pastoral Council. Jean will contact Mary Stocking to see if she wants to continue.

Recovering the kneelers was discussed. Kurt Moen of Clifford recovered the kneelers from the other church and will be contacted to see what the cost would be to redo our present kneelers.

The Polka Mass will be held on September 15. The cost is \$300. There will be a potluck meal following the Mass.

Parish Bazaar will be held on October 5. A lunch will be served.

The next meeting will be held on October 2. There will be no November meeting as there is a retreat that week.