St. Mary’s Church

Parish Finance Council Meeting

October 30, 2014

4:00 P.M.

Cluster Office

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| Attendance: |
| Term | Member  | Office | Aug. 28 | Oct. 30 | TBD | TBD |
| 2016 | Steve Baumler | Chair | P | P |  |  |
| 2015 | Wayne Schmitt | V-Chair | P | P |  |  |
| 2016 | Amy Hanson | Sec | P | A |  |  |
| 2015 | Shirley Riha |  | P | P |  |  |
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Others in attendance:

Rev. Nick March-Pastor

Terra Kuennen-Bookkeeper

* At 4:00 Father Nick led the opening prayer. Present for the meeting were Wayne Schmitt, Shirley Riha, and Steve Baumler.
* Minutes and finances were reviewed and approved.
* Tuition for the 2014/2015 school year is $6,400 for 4 children and it has been decided to pay a 1/3 of the tuition now.
* About 80% of the Fall Festival money has been turned in so far. Gary Lynch donated all the meat. Other donations have been coming in for the food and raffle.
* Adams Lawn Care no longer wants to do snow removal. Walt Wenthold has agreed to clear snow in the parking lot. Wayne Schmitt will look into finding someone to clear the sidewalks.
* The safety inspection was done with a few issues.
	+ Sanctuary and steps carpet will need to be replaced. Shirley Riha will make some calls to have someone look at the carpet.
	+ House TV’s need to be recycled as well as a ladder in the church. Steve Baumler will take care of this.
	+ The electric organ cords are tip hazards and need to be tucked away. This will get looked into.
* The furnace was serviced this spring and should be in good shape for the year.
* The Walnut tree has been taken down and the stump will be removed.
* The parish averaged 200 people during the October count.
* The 4:00 mass has been running out of bulletins. We will have Leslie look into the bulletin count.

Fr. Nick closed the meeting with a prayer. Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Terra Kuennen, Bookkeeper