

St. Patrick Parish Council Meeting-APPROVED
Tuesday, March 24, 2015
Annunciation

Members: Mary Ann Daniel, Ann Hanchek, Mary Simonis, Carolynne Younk, Sharon Zakowski, Nancy Cornwell

Absent: Krista Evrard, Susan Wirtala

- I. Opening Prayer: Ann Hanchek
- II. Approval of Minutes: Approved
- III. Approval of Agenda: Approved as amended
 - IV. New Business
 - i. Add Latin Rite
 - ii. Add St. Jude/St. Patrick Event
 - iii. Add St. Pat's Rummage Sale
 - iv. Add St. Pat's Mission Statement
 - V. Old Business
 - i. Add 5. Kitchen & Bingo Management
- IV. New Business
 1. **Latin Rite:** As of 7/1/15 the Latin Rite (St. Patrick Oratory) will be paying 50% of the cost of running the parish (electricity, garbage, snow and maintenance).
 2. **St. Jude/St. Patrick Event:** Instead of hosting a picnic together, it has been decided to host an evening event on 5/30/15. This will include a chicken dinner, beer and raffles. More info to come.
 3. **St. Patrick's Rummage Sale:** St. Patrick's will also be hosting a rummage sale on 5/30/15. More info to come.
 4. **Mission Statement:** Fr. Don asked us to consider a one or two sentence statement to show the feel of the parish, what the parish is and who we are. Carolynne Younk started a mission statement. That statement is listed below. This council will work with Carolynne's suggestions.
- V. Old Business
 1. **150th Anniversary Events Updates:**
 - a. **4/24/15** Special 150th Anniversary BINGO session. Payouts of \$150.00. Kitchen specials at \$1.50. They will also offer raffle prizes and commemorative items such as cookbooks, re-useable bags, mugs and cribbage boards.
 - b. **4/30/15** May Crowning. St. Agnes will have 14 students dressed as a Marion apparitions and will be part of the May Crowning event.
 - c. A summer event may be considered.
 - d. **10/3/15** St. Patrick's 150th Anniversary Dinner and Celebration. The History of St. Patrick Parish books will be available. Fr. Don suggested that previous priests of St. Patrick's be invited. And also to invite Canon Denis Buchholz.
 2. **Pantry:** No update on fund raising. Donna continues to work with others.
 3. **Roof on Sacristy:** Three small roofs will be fixed this summer.
 4. **Sacristy Floor:** After Easter a new tile floor will be put in.
 5. **Kitchen and Bingo Management:** John will be retiring from Bingo. Gloria will be retiring from the kitchen. The Knights of Columbus may consider taking over.
- VI. Additional Topics:
 1. **St. Patrick's Day Celebration:** 160 people registered for the event, 200 people were served.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Cornwell

Mission Statement Information

—Current Mission Statement

- The mission of Jesus, and therefore, the church, is to proclaim the Good News of salvation to all. As part of Jesus and His church, we, the members of St. Patrick Parish, Green Bay, are called to share this mission. To proclaim the Good News we will: witness love for one another regardless of gender, color, race; be united in worship and prayer; live in a spirit of hospitality and welcome; have compassion for those in need; deepen our awareness toward the world community; be responsible for the earth's resources.

—Suggestions by Carolynne Younk

- To live by faith, to be known by love, and to be a voice for hope.
- We, the members of St. Patrick's Church will **CONNECT** with one another and our faith community, **GROW** in our relationship with God and others, **SERVE** one another with the love of Christ, **SHARE** that same love with our world and **HONOR** our Heavenly Father by the way we live.

—Suggestions by Mary Simonis

- We will endeavor to live our faith, through service with love.