Parish Council Minutes February 10th, 2016

Attending: Fr. Tim Kozak, John Anderson, Marie Johnson, Ray Johnson, Cecelia Lisle, David Gloeckner

John called the meeting to order. Fr. Tim did a scripture reading and a few minutes were taken to reflect on it. The meeting continued with the reading and approval of the previous minutes. A motion was made by Marie Johnson, and seconded by Ray Johnson, to accept the minutes as written. All were in favor.

Committee Reports:

Building and Maintenance

Hupp Landscaping is doing a good job with the snow removal.

Liturgy:

- Lent began February 10th. The Ash Wednesday Mass was well attended.
- There are Rice Bowls and also more Rediscover Jesus books available.

Religious Education:

 Only four CCD students attended the March for Life. Several others canceled because of the bad weather. On the return trip the bus was stuck in the middle of the snow storm for 17 hours. Nobody was hurt.

Finance:

- The DPSC dinner was February 2nd. It was well attended by the parish.
- The Diocesan Liability Insurance has been paid. The funds that are left will go towards the next bill.

Social:

The Knights will have only three fish fries this year.

Old Business:

- There was discussion on changing the Saturday Mass time. A vote was taken and it was decided that the time will remain at 5:30pm.
- There was discussion about the prayer at the beginning of Mass. Fr.
 presented a prayer to focus on drawing people back to the church. Fr.
 asked for suggestions for changes to the prayer. This has been tabled
 until the next meeting.

New Business:

None

With no other business, a motion was made Ray Johnson, and seconded by Marie Johnson, to adjourn. Fr. Tim ended the meeting with a prayer.

The next Parish Council meeting is Wednesday, March 9th, and the Executive Committee meeting is Thursday, March 3rd.