

# Pastoral Council Agenda January

## **Committee Reports:**

### Building and Maintenance:

- Fr. Tim has been looking into installing a telecoil loop system in the church.

### Liturgy:

- The penance services in Gallipolis and Point Pleasant were not as well attended as the one here in Pomeroy.
- There was good attendance at the Christmas Vigil and the Midnight Mass. The attendance at the Christmas morning Mass was sparse.
- The holy day of obligation for the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God was well attended, though still below the normal weekend attendance.

### Religious Education:

- Five CCD students have been sponsored by the Culture of Life Group to attend the March for Life in Washington, DC on January 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### Social:

- The Christmas brunch on December 14<sup>th</sup> was well attended. The Social committee did a great job of preparing, serving and cleaning up after the meal.

### Finance:

- The Diocesan property insurance bill has been paid in full.
- The financial report will be distributed at the meeting.

## **Old Business:**

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## **New Business:**

- A parishioner complained that the Knights' display area is permanent and is a problem when decorating the hall. It was also mentioned that it is not a good idea to drill into the stone walls of the church.
- A parishioner recommended that the basement of the church could be made more appealing. The exposed lighting, wiring and plumbing is an eyesore. A drop ceiling could hide the problems. It was also mentioned that an operable partition system could be used to section off parts of the basement.

The next Parish Council meeting is Wednesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, and the meeting for the Executive Committee is Thursday, February 5<sup>th</sup>.