

Pastoral Council Agenda

October

Committee Reports:

Building and Maintenance:

- Plaster damage in choir loft needs to be repaired, but there may still be a leak. Waiting on contractor to look at it.

Liturgy:

- There was a pet blessing on the feast of St. Francis of Assisi.
- Sound system needs to be evaluated. Have been getting some noise at times.
- This past Sunday was Respect Life Sunday. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament was held for seven hours. A half dozen members of the parish joined with about a dozen other people of the area to stand along Main St. in Pomeroy holding Pro-Life signs.
- We have a new Bishop. About a dozen people from the parish attended the ordination in Steubenville.
- Mass stipends are low. How do we encourage Mass intentions?

Religious Education:

- CCD and RCIA have been going on for a month now.
- About seven of the CCD students attended the Youth Rally in Belpre this past weekend.

Social:

- The Culture of Life sponsored a car show.
- There will be a social after Mass this Sunday.

Finance:

- See attached financial report.

Old Business:

- Cemetery damage from storm, old stumps and a tree that is dying.
- There is a storage problem in the church. Many things are stored in the hall, in the open, giving it a cluttered look.
- There is no good spot in the church for someone in a wheelchair. May want to consider removing two of the rear side pews.
- Publishing of birthdays.
- Replacing John Spencer as a Council member.
- Coat racks in hall are back.

New Business:

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