

St. Marys, Ackley
Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes
ZOOM meeting
August 3, 2020

Present: Duane Sudtelgte, Jeff Frazier, Doug Lindaman, Jeff Kurth, Scott O'Brien, Dave Keninger

Also present: Father Kevin Earleywine, Mary Quinlin

Linkage Wide portion- see minutes sent by Mary Quinlin

Following the large group linkage-wide portion of the meeting, Chair Duane Sudtelgte called the St. Mary Pastoral Council meeting to order.

Minutes from the May 4th 2020 regular meeting and the July 22nd special meeting were shared.

Finance Council – An annual report and proposed budget was presented.

The council had questions about increases in religious ed's budget and other line items, and asked Jeff to report back. The proposed budget was approved by consensus, and will be sent to Mary Quinlin and Father Kevin.

Doug found out that we do have a safety deposit box at GNB, Jeff to find out what that costs and the council will consider cancelling the service as we now have a fireproof safe at the church.

Steeple repair - Duane shared that he has had a contractor out to inspect who found cracks near the statue and loose tin, crosses to be painted and shingles to replace. The contractor will report back with pricing and will try to get the cracks repaired yet this year to stop leaks and do the rest of the work in 2021.

Buildings and Grounds – Duane shared that the kitchen remodel is almost complete, with just some trim work left.

Next Meetings – November 2, 2020; February 1, 2021; and May 3, 2021.

Meeting adjourned

Submitted by Jeff Frazier, secretary