

St. Adalbert's Parish Pastoral Council – Nov. 29, 2018

Next meeting Jan 24, 2019 at SM

Council Meeting Attendees: Fr. Hennes, Theresa Glodowski and Fred Simonis

Joint meeting with St. Mary's

Next meeting dates: 01/24/19 at SM, 03/21/19 at SA and 05/23/19 at SM

Old Business Revised Mass Stipend guidelines seem to be well received.

- New Business**
1. The Bishop wants each parish council to read **CHRISTIFIDELES LAICI (Christ's Faithful People)** written by John Paul II in 1988 and discuss contents. Members are to read the introduction and chapter 1 for the next meeting.
 2. Steubenville North (MN) has been reserved for high school students the weekend of July 26, 2019. Space for sixteen students and four chaperones from Saint Adalbert's and St. Mary's.
 3. The "Word Among Us" booklet will continue through Easter for now
 4. New missals are out in both parishes. The Prayer of St. Michael is in the inside back cover.

St. Adalbert Meeting

Finance	The Bishop's Appeal is \$5,000 behind last year at this time.	
Committee Reports	Education	A small parish library was set up in the church entrance. Hope to expand, if successful.
	Sacred Worship	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Liturgical calendar is set. January 1 Mass will be at 10:30 am. St. Adalbert feast is transferred to April 29 with Mass at 1:30 pm. 2. Advent confessions will be at Sacred Heart. Lenten confessions will be held at Saint Adalbert.
	Family Life	Mailing Christmas cards to the homebound and nursing home parishioners.
	Buildings & Grounds	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Church basement water heater will be replaced with a tank less model. A water softener will be purchased with most of the funds coming from a bequest. Installation of both is planned for the end of the year. 2. Rectory soffit and gutter project is delayed until the weather is warmer. 3. Church sidewalks were patched and will be replaced in 2019. 4. Front school doors will be replaced using funds from a state grant.
	Societies	The PCCW (Parish Council of Catholic Women) will make an offering for heat in lieu of sponsoring the Christmas cookie and noodle sale.
Old Business	<p>Council membership is a 2 year term, renewable 3 times with elections every spring.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cindy Rivay's term expired. Thank you Cindy for your years of service. 2. Up for election in 2019: Theresa Glodowski - Secretary, Gary Ross, Pat Esser and 1 vacancy. 3. Up for election in 2020: Christine Kaminski – VP, Fred Simonis 	
New Business	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fred Simonis will be our parish contact with the Diocesan Pastoral Council representative, Jacob Prater. 2. A diocesan audit was conducted which changed some of the money handling procedures. Overall, only minor items were questioned. 3. Dennis Kosmalski was hired for snow removal on the campus. 4. No ideas or volunteers have come forward with a replacement of the fall fund raiser. 	

Meeting ended with a prayer.