

Parish Council Meeting Minutes

October 16, 2016

- I. Opening Prayer (*Oh Heavenly King*)
- II. Review/Approve September 2016 Meeting Minutes
 - A. Approved (M/S/A)
- III. Financial Reports
 - A. Low income in September
 - B. Did not get a statement from the Diocese of the South
 - C. Financial Reports Approved (M/S/A)
- IV. Growth and Development - New Property
 - A. Permitting
 - 1. City records show the other church still owns the driveway
 - 2. City records have been updated.
 - 3. The other church leased parking from the VFW; the city does not have records of the other church's lease agreement.
 - 4. The city will not approve the permits until the parking issue with the other church is resolved.
 - 5. City permitting is backed up because of the hurricane.
 - B. Vinyl Siding
 - 1. The building will have to be re-sided
 - 2. Looking at siding samples
- V. Fr. John's comments
 - A. Book Study going well
 - B. OCF going well
- VI. Education
 - A. Church School
 - 1. Going ok so far
 - 2. A huge time commitment for Anastasia
 - 3. Would like to purchase prayer books for the Church School at the end of the term
 - B. Adult Education

1. Orthodoxy 101 on Saturdays at 4:30
2. Book Study on Wednesdays – going well

VII. New Business

- A. Set Date for Next Meeting – 20 November

VIII. Old Business

- A. Church Signs on hold – would like to have a durable alternative
- B. Bake Sale November 12th
- C. Advent fundraiser for seminarians – will pass the tray throughout Advent
- D. OCF fundraiser
 1. Could be done in conjunction with the other Churches
 2. Could start in January
- E. Christmas Cookie walk (cookie exchange)
 1. Make trays of specialty cookies
- F. Gospel Cover – no news
- G. Temporary Building
 1. Needs easement
 2. Needs permission from the homeowner behind us.

IX. Close Meeting (*It is Truly Meet*)