

Parish Council Meeting Minutes

September 17, 2017

I. Opening prayer (Oh, Heavenly King)

II. Previous meeting minutes approved.

III. Financial Reports (Karl)

- A. Karl to break Misc category into "Building maintenance" and "Security" line items
- B. Karl to add "Bayview" line item
- C. Financial report approved.

IV. Fr John

- A. Book study, "The Trial of Job", underway, should go through mid November.
- B. Church school (Anastasia):
 - move to Nave
 - Peter to share folding table idea w/Father John.
 - children to sing the "Lord, have mercy" two Sundays from now
- C. Fr John has been blessed to draft 'You/Your' service books; will be an ongoing collaborative project.
- D. Fr John regularly spends out his philanthropy budget; more funds always welcome.
- E. Iconostasis:
 - woodshop is coming together
 - Elizabeth Randall can provide an icon quote once we've supplied her our choice.
- F. Dormition-hosted pan-Orthodox Vespers Veterans Day vespers
 - Thursday, November 9 at 6:30
 - Ft John to announce to parish next week, solicit helpers for post-service meal.
 - Fr John to recon service language from chancery.
 - will need a flag (Mark Mills to share) and flag stand (Fr John to purchase).
 - Choir to rehearse and sing service hymns.

V. New Business

- A. Karl: recommends adding ACH debiting (bill-pay in reverse) as a means for regular giving; Fr John recommends a formal roll-out to

parish with a one-sheet explanation and invitation to participate.

B. Anastasia: recommends a pre-Advent cookout; council agrees

- combine w/ bake sale, Veterans Day, Saturday, November 11.
- rent big inflatable for big kids
- solicit smaller inflatable from Jack & Anna
- Mark Mills to bring big grill

C. Fr John: recommends that parish sponsor a St Vladimir's seminarian;
will announce to parish

D. Fr John: we need to change lock on rear door.

E. Kevin & Peter to mount coat racks.

VI. Next meeting 10/15

VII. Meeting closed (It is Truly Meet??)