

Parish Life Committee

August 6, 2015

We opened the meeting with a prayer of the Holy Spirit said by all.

Minutes read and approved.

Members present were Rheadawn Young, Margie Walke, Rosie Koehne, Don and Marilyn Freyer, Maureen Harpring, Amy Lesneski. Not present were Sunny Calvert, Mary Beth Freyer, Tom Geis, and Ken Dickman.

Ministry Updates

**Respect Life:** Don reported about the video of Planned Parenthood talking about selling aborted baby body parts. He also reported from the Criterion that there were decline in abortions and closing of abortion clinics. Maureen reported that she has talked to Gene and Joan Ritter about taking over the 40 days of Life. She received all the information from them. She reported that they still need to determine of date yet and will contact Fr. Stan.

**Food Pantry:** Rheadawn reported that Food Pantry is always in constant need of donations. November is our month for St. Louis Church on Wednesday from 12 to 4 pm. Carolyn Dierkman does the organizing on this.

**Hospitality/Welcoming:** Rheadawn reported about the donut social that they had a turn out for after the Saturday night Mass and also for Sunday.

**Youth Ministry:** no report

**Sports:** Don no report.

Old Business

Bringing back parishioners: We have a notice a few members coming back to our church. Rheadawn said she will get back with John S. on the letters coming back.

Summer Parish Picnic: Everybody enjoyed it and we had a great turn out. Everyone who helped in any way a Big Thank to you! Check on date for next year.

## New Business

Fall Parish Social: Talk to Fr. Stan for ideas for this.

September Donut Social will be on Sunday September 13, 2015 hosted by Youth Ministry. Carrie Wessler needs to be contacted.

We ended the meeting with Glory Be said by all.

Next meeting is September 3, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Freyer