

**HOLY CROSS PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA**  
**Monday, September 25, 2018**

In attendance: Picnic Committee-Nathan Rudolphi, Travis Weber, Christine Hall. Pastoral Council members-Gail Niebrugge, Cindy Blank, Tony Kuentler, Kevin Blank, Heather Blank, Carl Will, Sherry Geier, Fr. Mark Stec.

1. Call to Order—Michael Kistner
2. Opening Prayer/Mission Statement
3. Naming of Concerns by Parishioners/Guest Present –  
Picnic Committee requests for the upcoming year's picnic.
  - electrical work to the lunch stand and chicken fryer
  - fans for the pork burger cookers
  - six-8ft tables
  - white chairs for outside
  - Possible purchase 1 tent for one of two options (one for the day bands, or one tent to put in beer garden where the band will be)
  - Medical supplies approximately \$500.00 (cot, blood pressure cuff, stethoscope, wheelchair).
  - Grind out some of the stumps, specifically, by the lunch stand and beer garden

2018 Picnic Financial Report was ready and submitted.

Fr. Mark requested input from the Finance Council and the most updated Parish financial report before a decision will be made on purchases for 2019. Fr. Mark requests the electrical work to be itemized and an estimate be presented with the request.

4. Discussion of Minutes of Previous Meeting-additions or corrections?

Vice-Chair: Tony Kuentler

Secretary: Sherry Geier

**Committee Reports:** -

**Building & Grounds (Maintenance Commission)** -Michael Kistner & Tony Kuentler

Old Business- brickwork appears to have been successfully completed. Rains this late summer/early fall have been a good test. The plaster inside remains dry.

New Business-

Plaster/paint repairs to church-need to get new estimates. Michael Kistner will call Robards and Roepke for updated schedules and prices.

Hall work projects-will be updated.

Rental of Hall-letter of concern from parishioner; should the rental agreement be re-written; set charges for additional requests (i.e. removal of curtains, use of kitchen towels/utensils, etc.)

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**Finance Council (Stewardship Commission) – Carl Will, Sherry Geier**

Nothing at this time.

**Cemetery – Carl Will**

New Business- Cemetery map needs to be shared. Questions about what happens if someone dies when both Walter Volk and Gary Fehrenbacher are out of town.

Sherry Geier will work to scan the documents to save in electronic format.

**Education (Faith Formation Commission) – Heather Blank**

New Business-

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Traditional/Home-Based/Hybrid(students will attend at their home church site and a supervisor will be onsite to work with the student). Caroline Trimble will organize and monitor home-based and hybrid students. Currently, there are 18 students anticipated for enrollment at St. Joseph Stringtown, 16 at St. Joseph Olney, and 63 at Holy Cross Wendelin.

Maria Rudolphi, CRE for Holy Cross Wendelin has resigned her position. Maria will serve until November 1. A replacement is being sought.

High School Youth Ministry (Open Gym at Olney)-a person has been found to fill this position.

**Family/Life (Community Life Commission) – Cindy Blank**

175 served at Parish Appreciation. Considering catering the meal next year.

**Liturgy (Liturgy & Worship Commission) – Gail Niebrugge**

Mass Schedule-see Fr. Mark's report below

**Parish Renewal and Restructuring – Kevin Blank, Michael Kistner**

The recent mission with Fr. Jim Schicko was well received.

**Pastor Report – (Fr. Mark)**

Mass schedule changes-each Pastoral Council submitting two possibilities for an amended Mass Schedule.

These suggestions will be considered at the next Tri-Parish Council meeting.

**Date & Time of Next Meeting –**

Tri-Parish Pastoral Council Meeting at 7:00 PM, Monday, October 29, at St. Joseph-Stringtown

Holy Cross October meeting will be held with Finance Council. The date is to be determined.