

**Minutes for Finance Council
St. Mary's Parish, Westphalia
January 24, 2013**

Members Present: Jarrod Thelen, Greg Martin, Geri Pennell, Jon Thelen, Chad Hengesbach, Brian Smith, Lori Rademacher

Members Absent:

Also Present: Father James and Mary Enneking, Business Manager

Call the Meeting to Order: Father James called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m.

Opening Prayer: Father James led the opening prayer with a Prayer to the Holy Spirit.

Approval of Agenda: A motion was made by Jarrod Thelen and seconded by Geri Pennell to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Approval of November 29, 2012 Meeting Minutes: Minutes were reviewed and a motion was made by Greg Martin and seconded by Chad Hengesbach to approve minutes as written. Motion carried.

Old Business:

The appearance of the parish hall chairs was discussed. Chad Hengesbach will look into the possibility of getting them professionally cleaned. Jarrod Thelen will look into the possibility of getting them reupholstered.

Brief discussion regarding the need to repair the south parking lot.

New Business:

The November financial reports were reviewed. A motion was made by Jon Thelen and seconded by Lori Rademacher to approve the reports. Motion carried.

The December financial reports were reviewed. A motion was made by Geri Pennell and seconded by Jarrod Thelen to approve the reports. Motion carried.

Next Meeting: Thursday, February 28, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. in Parish Office.

Words from the Pastor: Father briefly discussed his upcoming trip to the Holy Land.

Adjournment: Greg Martin made a motion to adjourn and Chad Hengesbach seconded the motion. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Closing Prayer: Father James led the closing prayer.

Minutes taken by Jarrod Thelen.

These minutes have not been approved by the Council. (Approved by Finance Council 2/28/2013)