

## **St Matthias Paris Parish Council Meeting May 11, 2021**

Council members attending: Bob Green, Kim Lynch, Mike McDermott, Mike Otting and Jean Lynch.  
Excused was Matt Naumann.

Ex-Officio members: Kerri Takes.

The meeting was called to order by Bob Green, President at 7:32 pm at Aquin Elementary, Cascade. Fr. Mark Osterhaus led opening prayer. The agenda was presented and Mike McDermott made a motion to approve and Kim seconded. The minutes of the March meeting were read. Mike Otting made a motion to approve and Mike McDermott seconded. Motion carried.

Kerri presented the financial report. Mike McDermott made a motion to approve and Jean seconded. Motion carried.

Old Business:

The church rain spouts and/or steel gutters need to be replaced. Several bids have been submitted, but more research will be done to ensure the best and the longest lasting repairs will result. This will continue on the agenda.

The local access channel for Mass has some kinks in it and is being worked on.

The exterior stone on the outside of the church has been cleaned.

Interior church cleaning was done before Easter.

Parish council elections are set for May with 3 open positions. This has been posted in the bulletin.

The landscaping around the church and behind the church was done by Schockemoehl's.

New Business:

Fun Fest – Mike Otting made a motion to continue same approach as last year, that is to have a separate collection instead of Fun Fest due to limits from the pandemic. Jean seconded. Motion passed.

Exterior projects around the rectory need attention. The stone around the porch and the landscaping is done but need to remind those involved to replace the lamp post.

2021-2022 budget will be presented at the June meeting along with the CFAD distribution.

Sound system is a concern in church. This will be investigated.

Next meeting date is set for June 8 at the St. Peter's, Temple Hill.

Mike Otting made a motion to adjourn and Kim seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Jean M Lynch, Secretary.