

OLR Parish Council Sept 24, 2020 Meeting Summary

Attended		Attended		Attended		Attended	
Y	Fr. McCullough	Y	Deacon Steve	N	Deacon Matt	N	Fr. Jeff
Y	Anne Berry	Y	Jim Kircher	Y	Carolyn Tonnis		
Y	Theresa Bruns	Y	Kelly Leonard	Y	Bill Vietas		
N	Jeff Hoblitzell	Y	Mike Schweitzer	Y	Graciela Villegas		

1. Opening Prayer – **Fr. McCullough**

**OLR Parish Council Roster 2020 - 2021**

	Name	E-mail	Phone (Home)	Cell Phone All 513 AC	Term Expires
1	Anne Berry	<a href="mailto:Anneb4294@gmail.com">Anneb4294@gmail.com</a>		675-4112	2022
2	Theresa Bruns	<a href="mailto:theresabrun2011@gmail.com">theresabrun2011@gmail.com</a>		213-3909	2023
3	Jeff Hoblitzell	<a href="mailto:JHoblitzell@gmail.com">JHoblitzell@gmail.com</a>		200-1327	2022
4	Jim Kircher	<a href="mailto:JimK.Kircher@gmail.com">JimK.Kircher@gmail.com</a>		604-4397	2021
5	Kelly Leonard	<a href="mailto:kleonard@fuse.net">kleonard@fuse.net</a>	851-6811	702-4095	2021
6	Mike Schweitzer	<a href="mailto:mschweitzer@cinci.rr.com">mschweitzer@cinci.rr.com</a>	742-0741	332-7409	2022
7	Carolyn Tonnis	<a href="mailto:Tonnisc0315@gmail.com">Tonnisc0315@gmail.com</a>		253-5586	2023
8	Bill Vietas	<a href="mailto:bvietas@rbisolar.com">bvietas@rbisolar.com</a>		604-3574	2021
9	Graciela Villegas	<a href="mailto:gvpicena@gmail.com">gvpicena@gmail.com</a>		485-8769	2022
President - Jim Kircher		Vice-president – Bill Vietas		Secretary - Theresa Bruns	

2. June Meeting Minutes/Summary Approval – **June attendees**
3. Parish Council Roster & Positions, 2020-2021 session
  - a. See chart above
4. Parish Council Meetings
  - a. The three parishes in the region have switched to quarterly parish council meetings. OLR's remaining 2020-2021 meetings will be September 24, December 10, March 25 (Easter is April 4<sup>th</sup>), and June 24 @ 7:00.
5. Pastor Comments – **Fr. McCullough**
  - a. See OLR's weekly schedule below starting Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>
  - b. The St Matthias Sunday 9:00 Mass is now Spanish only.
  - c. Confessional status? Still in process. Permits extended.
  - d. Antiphons, Hymnals, what to do with "Gather". Update? This is temporarily tabled. More information in December.
  - e. Faith Formation?
  - f. Other topics?
  - g. Refreshed bids on flooring and pews and estimates are the same as last time. We were low on estimates for permits and architects, but still a small part of budget that can be covered. Suggested you wait until you have 85% of money in so that once the work starts, people don't decide not to pay the rest of what they owe. Now working on getting roof and parking lot work done. Progress has been good.
  - h. I Give Catholic Campaign – Archdiocese no longer using national platform, but still encouraging giving on Giving Tuesday. Increased need and decreased fund raising for sister community and St. Vincent de Paul for St. James. Fees on Giving Tuesday are lower this year for electronic giving. **Do we have a goal at OLR? Father is open to ideas on this.**
  - i. PC suggested we provide to the parish the additional amount that we need and not the additional percentage we need.

- j. Suggested OLR ramp design is not up to code either so design will need to be changed.
  - k. Changing the closing of the pews to every other pew. This will help out with the congestion in the back.
  - l. Are we looking into better lighting for the campus? At this point there are not excess funds for this. This could be combined with the parking lot renovations.
  - m. Question if we will be able to fix the drop off of the ramp going into the PAC or at least paint it will neon paint so that it is visible.
  - n. Question on issue with our sign. Person who had been putting up the messages on the sign, put up "Vote for Trump". It was quickly taken down. Previously had written, "Pray for President Trump". Fr. explained that naming specific politicians is not appropriate. A few calls were received.
  - o. Saturday morning Mass and Adoration and Confession is going well with good numbers.
  - p. Any thought on more permanent streaming equipment for Masses? Fr. will look into it. Would be nice to have better quality and sound.
  - q. Transitional deacon from Missouri. He will be doing his preaching practicum in the region. There will be a group of people to listen, evaluate and work with him.
6. Finance (Fiscal Year ended June 30) – Comments from David Crowe
- a. A draft of the 2019-2020 Stewardship report will be sent prior to the meeting.
  - b. Simple general comments:
    - Despite the pandemic, contributions were ahead of both budget and prior year
    - Overall expenses were below budget.
7. Capital Campaign
- a. The goal was \$200,000 We are at 70% of goal paid.
  - b. Pledges are at \$239,500 – 120% of goal
  - c. About 70% has been received - \$166,000
  - d. We need to actually receive an additional \$35,000 before work can start
  - e. Weberding will be working on an estimate for the pew, kneeler and tabernacle work.
  - f. We have \$319,000 in Capital Improvement Savings
8. Questions / Concerns of Parishioners **All**
9. Closing Prayer – **Fr. McCullough**

OLR Schedule starting Wednesday, July 1st

Sun	Mon	Tu	Wed	Th	Fri	Sat
9:00 Mass Streamed	6:30-7:15 Spanish confessions		8:30 Mass Streamed		8:30 Mass Streamed	8:30 Mass Streamed
11:30 Mass					9:00-7:00pm Adoration	9:00-10:30 Adoration & Confession
1:30 Mass Spanish	7:30pm Mass Spanish Streamed					