



## Parish Council Meeting Minutes October 6, 2009

| Member                          | Term       | Present | Excused | Absent |
|---------------------------------|------------|---------|---------|--------|
| Rev. Joseph Farrell             | ex-officio | x       |         |        |
| Rev. Michael McClane            | Ex-officio | x       |         |        |
| Deacon Ray Staub                | ex-officio |         | x       |        |
| Anthony Mammoliti               | ex-officio |         | x       |        |
| Deacon Vincent Ricciardi        | ex-officio |         | x       |        |
| Leo Agrillo - President         | 3 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Kerry Flynn                     | 3 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Yovone Rasor - Secretary        | 3 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Pat Vanderbeek                  | 3 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Judith Broehl                   | 2 Year     |         | x       |        |
| Robert Broehl                   | 2 Year     |         | x       |        |
| Julie Mozulay                   | 2 Year     |         | x       |        |
| Jack Trotta                     | 2 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Gerard Adamski - Vice President | 1 Year     |         | x       |        |
| Karen Homeny                    | 1 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Peggy Lestician                 | 1 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Bernard McNelis                 | 1 Year     | x       |         |        |
| Ashley Potkulski                | 1 Year     | x       |         |        |

The meeting was opened with reflection on the second reading from last Sunday.

The minutes of September 1, 2009 were reviewed and accepted with minor corrections.

**Next meeting: Tuesday November 3, 2009 at 7:30PM**

### 1. President's Report

Leo asked the members of the council to introduce themselves to the new Youth Group Member, Ashley Potkulski. Leo stated that the first Picnic on the church grounds was a great success and revenue neutral for the Knights of Columbus who sponsored the event. He also stated that the Rosary Society and the volunteers were a big help with the picnic. The biggest expense was the tent rentals which left a profit of \$45.73. Yovone recommended that for next year we ask Cream Ridge Winery to use their tents and advertise for them. Father Joe said we could also save money next year by not renting the Port a Johns. A comment was made that more supervision was needed for the children's activities. Leo informed us that the Methodist Church band played at no cost.



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### **2. Unfinished Business**

Leo handed Father Joe a letter regarding workshops on Evangelization. Father Joe discussed bringing Father Joe Muth as a speaker on this topic. The date for this was set for November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. in the New Church. Father Joe stated that a talk and explanation to the parish would be in order before November 5<sup>th</sup>. It was suggested that refreshments be served after the meeting, giving attendees the opportunity to discuss what was presented at the meeting. Leo will contact Pat Culton requesting that the Rosary Altar Society furnish those refreshments.

Leo asked Ashley what she would like to see more of at church and she stated that more involvement with the youths was needed. She recommended that the Youth Group go to the CCD classes and talk to the younger students about the Youth Group.

### **3. NEW BUSINESS**

Pat brought up a concern for discussion regarding fetal alcohol syndrome. Father Joe tabled the discussion until Deacon Tony was in attendance so he could give us more insight.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.