

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE
PARISH COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEMBERS	ATTENDANCE
Father Bill Lucas	Yes
Mary Burns	Yes
Bernie Funderburg	Yes
Debbie Gossett	Yes
Meagan Price	Yes
Jeff Reach	Yes
Brenda Rochford	Yes
Allen Ross	Yes
Jorge Solis	Yes
Paul Thomas	Yes

The meeting was opened in prayer by Mary Burns. Previous month's minutes were read and approved.

Building Committee Report- Father Bill

The niches and plates for the memorial wall have been installed by Eichoff. Goodgame will start work on brickwork. There is still a wrought iron fence, landscaping, and the shrine for the Blessed Mother Statue. A Columbarium Board will come up with the prices for the memorial wall. They will meet twice a year and be responsible for finances and maintenance of the columbarium.

Finance Council Report

Steven Reese presented the financial budget for the coming year.

Knight of Columbus - Bernie Funderburg

Bernie reported that 19 people had attended the prayer service on Sept 9th. Jeff Reach said that the Knights would cook the hamburgers and hotdogs for the church picnic.

Latino Committee - Father Bill

Due to the lack of volunteers to host the Pilgrim Mary, they have gone back to once-a-month. The next gathering will be Oct 21st at 6:30. Our Lady of Guadalupe Spanish Mass and Fiesta will be December 12th at 7:00 p.m. Novena to be prayed starting Dec 4th in homes. Posadas, the eight days of prayers before Christmas, details are still being worked out.

Liturgy Committee - Father Bill

The Diocese wants a count of Mass attendance for four weekends during October. Training sessions will be held for new and current liturgical ministers October 14th 9-11.

All Saints Day Masses at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Music at 7 p.m.

Immaculate Conception Masses at 9 a.m and 7 p.m.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Masses at 9 a.m. English and 7 p.m. Spanish. Fiesta after 7 p.m. mass

Religious Ed

Confirmation Class to help with set up of the picnic for service project.

Old Business-

It was suggested that a Chili-Cook off would be another idea for building community.

Stewardship Fair - Mary, Bernie, and Allen would hang the signs and help set up. Shelley has sign up sheets and brochures.

Pilgrimage to the Shrine was set for April 20, 2024. Thrasher Brothers has been locked in for \$1400.00 for a bus to hold up to 55 people. A nominal fee will be charged and Mary will wait until after Christmas to start advertising for the trip.

New Business -

Welcomed Paul Thomas as the new council members to take the place of Leslie Hutto.

Next meeting set for October 18th, 2023

Allen Ross will open with prayer