

**St. Francis de Sales Parish
Pastoral Parish Council (PPC) meeting
August 14, 2018**

Members Present

Fr. Gene, Phil Louis, Rick Kammerer, Bro. Bob Politi, Don Yelton, Kacey McAdoo, Madison Kramer, Mike Homm, Donna Griffith, Mary Ragland, Joe Nurre, Michel Keidel, Ellie Wilke

Not Present

Sheri Curran, Joanne Browarsky

Pastor's Report:

Fr. Gene reported:

- Sunday Religious education classes will begin on Sept. 9 after the 8:30 mass.
- We need to pursue 2 new members for parish council for the 2019-22 term.
- We now have 2 new cantors from CCM, Doug Easterling and Mathew Worth.
- Francis at Four Concerts are scheduled for the following dates:
 - Sept. 23 – Indiana String Quartet
 - Nov. 4 – A visiting pianist from France
 - Nov 11 – Michael Shertock Chorus Group

Cemetery Report

Donna Griffith reported that The Calvary Cemetery is working on new signage for the entrance to the cemetery. Michel Keidel indicated that he would assist with creation of the sign and also look at creating a new cemetery promotional brochure for distribution to interested families.

Finance Report

Don Yelton reported that the close of the past fiscal cycle resulted in income outpacing expenses. The parish finances are sound and we are thankful to our parishioners for the ongoing support. Financial reports can be obtained by calling the parish office and requesting a statement.

New Business

Final details for the annual parish picnic were reviewed. We had a high number of volunteers' signup this year which should make for a successful event for all.

Mary Ragland volunteered that she has organized a parish book club group which will begin meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 11 and every other Tuesday going forward. They will begin with a book by Fr. Jim Martin, S.J. Religious books and topics will be reviewed and discussed by participating members.

Meeting Adjourned.

Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 18, 2018.

