

**Visitation Pastoral Council Minutes**  
**Approved Minutes of Tuesday April 26, 2016**

Meeting called to order by Matt Hemann at 7:00 P.M., opening prayer by Matt.

Members present: Matt Hemann, Father Burkle, John Krebsbach, Mark Koenigs, Luke Marzen, Mike Mullenbach, and Ron Pitzen – finance council rep. Also present was Barb Brumm and Annette Uker.

Minutes from February meeting were reviewed with two corrections being made. Motion by Ron Pitzen to approve the corrected minutes, Luke Marzen seconded.

**Finance Report:** Report by Ronnie Pitzen. Church roof fundraising still going well, we are within 40,000. dollars of our goal. Thank you cards will be sent to people who donated more than 250.00 from outside the parish along with their statement. Luke Marzen will check with Dave Randall on reimbursement for his time when he looked at the steeple.

**Committee Reports:**

**Faith Formation:** No report meeting coming up next week.

**Parish Life:** Report by Barb Brumm. Bus trip to Dubuque is this Sunday, April 30.

Mass servers bowling party is next Wednesday, May 4, and Father will be having a chili supper at Visitation this year.

**Liturgy:** No Report

**Pastor's Report:** Report by Father Burkle. Everything seems to be going well at the moment. No new items were discussed.

**Old Business:**

**Church Roof:** Matt has been in contact with Krause construction and they plan to start the tuck pointing April 2.

**Chicken/Turkey Dinner:** Discussion on possibility of making this an annual event. The idea will be presented to the leader of the womens circle group and see how they respond to it.

**Pest Control:** Father has signed a new contract with pollards which will include winter pest control.

**New Business:**

**Nominations and Elections:** A list of names was passed out to council members and divided up for council to contact and see if they would consider running for parish council. Willing participants need to have their names into Annette Uker by Monday.

**Parking Lot:** Discussion on the construction of a parking area after the new entrance is constructed on the community center.

**Brat Parade Entry:** John Krebsbach had one idea for parade, otherwise everyone else is still thinking on it.

**Church cleaning:** Visitation Church is looking for someone to take over cleaning of the church. There is one interested party. Should really have two in case of schedule conflicts. There was some discussion on contract wording for new cleaners.

Motion to adjourn by Luke Marzen, seconded by John Krebsbach.

Next meeting June 21, 2016

Mike Mullenbach secretary

