St. Bernard's Finance Council Meeting Bulletin Summary 5/21/2018

Attendance: Fr. Gregory, Leo Willems, Andy Kleindl, Sherry Witte, Laura Templin, Ralph Laumann, Kelli Starkey

7:02 Fr. started meeting with a prayer

Approved April 16th minutes.

Approve May 21st meeting agenda.

April Financial Reports, Sherry

- Revenues for the month are \$3,700 less than budget. Year to date revenues are \$25,000 higher than budget.
- Expenses are running near budget.
- Year to date net income of \$43,000.

Motion approved to table the decision regarding the choir stairs.

Church Beautification

• Committee Responsibilities: Decorating decisions, ensure keeping of look with what parish desires, ensure project remains within the stated scope, communication to parish, communication to finance council, ensure project remains within financil scope.

Church Steeple: Contract with Lifetime Shingles, LLC. has been signed and down payment sent in.

School Roof: Shingles and Roof

Reviewed bids and asked for clarification from several vendors.

Bat remediation – first half of invoice has been paid, working to schedule a time for work to be completed.

Approved filling in the pea rock at the playground to meet insurance requirements. Cost expected to be minimal.

We reviewed the Catholic Mutual inspection report, nothing of note.

Sherry:

- Catholic Mutual Insurance seminar on June 12th
- THANK YOU to Casper Tellers for his generous \$15,000 donation to the Church

Reviewed the preliminary 2018-2019 Budget.

Importance of the Joint Leadership Team and its work on developing strong and empowered committees for ministries.

Next Meeting June 18th.

Fr. ended the meeting with a prayer 9:30.

St Bernard Church Beautification Committee Update

The committee met for the first time on Saturday, June 16th. At that meeting, we began exploring the scope of the project, the budget, as well as challenges within our church. The following is a list of the committee members.

MaryAnn Monsen Fr Gregory Abbott
Mary Lou Wildung Roger Storms
Elroy Knaur Julie Monsen
Judy Jenkins Doris Mielke

Julie Kleindl

We are just beginning to explore the many options involved with this project. We plan to give parishioners up-to-date communication through the bulletin, displays in the narthex, and pulpit announcements. We have been blessed to have received a donation from the Adrian Wickenhauser estate combined with a donation from Leon Wickenhauser that is large enough to complete the redecoration of the church interior. The committee needs to keep the project within the budget of these generous donations.

We have THREE WAYS for parishioners to be involved in this process—

- 1. Get in touch with any member of the committee and share what you would like to see and experience in your church, related to this project. You may also email Julie.kleindl@gmail.com with your insights.
- 2. Do YOU or any family members have any wedding photos, first communion photos, or baptisms that showcase St Bernard Church? We would like to borrow them to create a historical display of how the church décor has changed through the years! Do you remember the purple curtain? How about the communion rail? There were angels on the high altar—any photos of those? You can drop them by the parish office or scan and email them to Julie.kleindl@gmail.com
- 3. Pray for everyone involved in the project. Holy Spirit, guide us as we meet and plan for the church beautification project, may it bring more people to a deeper relationship with Christ.

Below is the History of St Bernard Church Decorating/Maintenance

June 1959 \$1,200 redecorating of sanctuary of church

February 1961 \$1,700 new light fixtures in church

March 1962 \$3,000 repair of church ceiling

March 1963 \$5,000 redecorating of church

March 1964 \$2,000 enclose North and South entrance of church

March 1976 proxy to spend \$42,000 for church repair

August 1978 removal of sanctuary curtain

October 1980 redecorating contract with Liturgical Arts Co. Mankato, MN

February 1981 fans installed in church

1985 repair stained glass windows

April 2008, proxy \$79,756 new seating and carpet

July 2008, proxy \$91,000 new heating system

CATHOLIC UNITED FINANCIAL MATCHING GRANT RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE

On Wednesday, July 25th 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Thursday, July 26th 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Friday, July 27th 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. is Bag Day. The St. Bernard's' Society of Catholic United Financial will hold a Rummage Sale at St. Bernard's' School Cafeteria. This is a matching grant fundraiser for the benefit of religious Education. We are asking the members of our Parish to help support this event by donating items and helping to organize and carryout the sale.

In order to make this sale successful; we have a few reminders:

- 1. Please do not bring Dumpster items-we can't afford to pay to have them removed after the sale.
- 2. No electronic equipment will be accepted (anything that is computer related).
- 3. Names and phone numbers will be required for large items-if the item doesn't sell you will be responsible for removing it as soon as the sale is over.
- 4. Electric items must be in working order (e.g. tools, appliances, etc.)
- 5. Clothing must be in clean, usable condition-not stained or in need of repair.
- 6. Please remove all garage sale tags.
- 7. No encyclopedia sets or window blinds will be accepted.
- 8. No Infant Car Seats, High chairs, Cribs etc. We are not allowed to sell these items because of safety codes.

Can you help? We have sign-up sheets located at the Scrip table for people to help organize drop off items and help on the sale dates. Please consider joining us—we have a wonderful time together!

Drop off dates and times for Rummage Sale items are:

Saturday, July 14 th	After the 8:00 p.m. Mass.
Sunday, July 15 th	9:00 a.m. & after the 10:00 a.m. Mass
Saturday, July 21 st	After the 8:00 p.m. Mass.
Sunday, July 22 nd	9:00 a.m. & after the 10:00 a.m. Mass
Monday, July 23 rd	9:00 a.m. — 7:00 p.m. Last Chance

No drop offs will be accepted after 7:00 p.m. on July 23rd NO DONATIONS ACCEPTED ON TUESDAY!!

Drop off dates and times for Bake Sale items are:

Wednesday, July 25th Beginning at 7:30 a.m. Thursday, July 26th Beginning at 7:30 a.m.

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THE MONTHLY PRAYER REQUEST FOR PRIESTS

ARCHDIOCESE OF SAINT PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS

-JULY 2018-

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
POPE FRANCIS	2 REV. GREGORY ABBOTT OUR PASTOR	3. REV. JEROME FEHN	4. REV. ETTORE FERRARIO FSCB	5 REV. RICHARD FICHTINGER SJ	6 REV. BRIAN FIER	7 REV. JOSEPH FINK
8 REV. KEVIN FINNEGAN	9 REV. THIOMAS FITZ- GERALD	I0 REV. ROBERT FITZ- PATRICK	II REV. JOHN FITZ- PATRICK	12 REV. MARTIN FLEMING	13 REV. JOHN FLOEDER	14 REV. DANIEL FRIBERG
15 REV. FRANCIS FRIED	16 REV. NICHOLAS FROEHLE	17 REV. THOMAS GALAR- NEAULT	18 REV. EDISON GALARZA OCCSS	19 REV. JOHN GALLAS	20 REV. WILLIAM GAMBER	21 REV. JOSEPH GILLESPIE OP
22 REV. PAUL GITTER	23 REV. NELS GJENGDAHL	24 REV. EDMUND GOLDBACH OFM CONV	25 REV. RALPH GOMAN	26 REV. XAVIER GOULET OFM CONV	27 REV. ROBERT GRABNER	28 REV. GEORGE GRAFSKY
29 REV. GERALD GRIEMAN	30 REV. PATRICK GRIFFIN	31 ABP BERNARD HEBDA		For subsequent months or extra copies call or write:	Mert Lassonde 20953 Junco Trail Lakeville MN 55044	Phone: 952-683-9294 Email: mertlass@ usfamily.net

WILL YOU PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY?

PRAYER SUGGESTION

O my Jesus, I beg You on behalf of the whole Church...give Holy Priests. You yourself maintain them in holiness. O Divine and Great High Priest, may the power of Your mercy accompany them everywhere and protect them from the devil's traps and snares, which are continually being set for the souls of priests. May the power of Your mercy, O Lord, shatter and bring naught all that might tarnish the sanctity of priests. For You can do all things. (Prayr of St. Faustina from her Diary 1052)