

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE  
PARISH COUNCIL MEETING  
APRIL 17, 2024

<u>COUNCIL MEMBERS</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>
FATHER BILL LUCAS	YES
MARY BURNS	YES
BERNIE FUNDERBURG	YES
DEBBIE GOSSETT	YES
MEAGAN PRICE	YES
JEFF REACH	YES
BRENDA ROCHFORD	YES
ALLEN ROSS	NO
JORGE SOLIS	NO
PAUL THOMAS	YES

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

**BUILDING COMMITTEE REPORT- Father Bill**

Deacon Serge will pick up engraved plates for the columbarium and they will be installed. We are waiting for about 10 or 11 families to determine when the urns of their loved ones will be placed in the columbarium. A new committee will be formed to work with the architect on building a new parish hall and gymnasium.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE - Father Bill**

We are ahead on income and behind on spending for the first  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the year. We will start working on the budget for the new fiscal year which begins July 1st. We are still waiting on the final bill from Goodgame for the Columbarium.

**KNIGHT OF COLUMBUS - Bernie Funderburg**

The Knights will have a BBQ on Memorial Day. There will be an honor guard for the Confirmation Mass on April 27th since the Bishop will be here. The next prayer service will be in June.

**MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE- Father Bill**

No report

## LITURGY COMMITTEE - Father Bill

Will review Holy Week at meeting

## RELIGIOUS ED

We have 5 children for First Communion on May 5, 2024. Confirmation will be held on April 27th with Bishop Robert Baker at 5:00 Mass. John Bryant will take pictures of First Communion. Retreat for First Communion will be April 28th.

Old Business - We have enough families signed up for the new church directory so it is scheduled for October 10, 11, 12th. The pilgrimage to the Shrine has 39 people signed up. Will meet at church 7:00-7:15 on Saturday April 20th. Mary Burns, Jeff Reach & Paul Thomas will have another 3 year term. Bernie Funderburg, Debbie Gossett and Allen Ross will rotate off of council next year ending their second term.

New Business -Knights of Columbus have had inquiries about adult bible study which would start when religious education starts in the fall. New order of Christian Education of Adults says that only catechumens can be brought into the church at the Easter Vigil and candidates must be brought in at a different time which will be determined. Father Bill would like to start a Saturday night or Sunday evening Spanish Mass. The need for a new sign was discussed.

Next meeting will be May 15, 2024

Opening Prayer - Meagan Price

Closing prayer - Father Bill