

Parish Council Meeting

December 11, 2022

The meeting opened with prayer.

Present were Fr. John, Fr. David, Bobby, Cheri, Amy, Jan, Janet, Barbara, Radislav, Joe

Minutes from October 16 parish council meeting. Janet moved to accept. Fr. David seconded. Unanimous.

Priest's report. Welcome to new parish councilors and goodbye to departing. (Incorporated by reference.)

Treasurer's report. (Incorporated by reference.) Need to find new property and liability insurance because our carrier decided not to carry us anymore. Janet, Joe, and Fr. John have an appointment to speak to a representative of Church Mutual, the same company Church of the Annunciation uses. Fr. John will ask what company Holy Trinity uses.

New pension requirements. Rector's pension, church contribution. Synod of Bishops raised amount church contributes by 2 percent, 10 to 12 percent. That will be about \$2k in 2023. In 2024 there will be another 2 percent raise.

Alaska donations today approximately \$2700.

Find new location to place parish directory for parishioners to update. Move to candle room, so that it's easy to access.

Wall between rector's office and bookkeeper's office for privacy. Radislav will get list of materials to see what it will cost.

Regarding Alaska clergy giving, the Charities committee will take up the question.

Coffee hour: Suggestion to try alphabetical potluck. Social fellowship will take up the question.

Sacristy project update: It's done except for the mirror, which is in process. Came in on budget; workmanship is excellent.

Wall safe: Wall safe arrived yesterday. Not installed yet. Can bolt to floor or wall.

Fr. David's schedule is filling up for 2023. May, June, July, August. First three Sundays in July he will be filling in for Fr. John.

Next meeting January 22, 2023. Will bless new council members January 1.

Janet moved to adjourn; Joe seconded. Acclamation.

Jan Bear

Secretary