

Present	Fr. Mosimann, Pastor	Bob Hodge	Margaret Santos	Wendy Wagner
Members:	Mary Davis, Chair	Bill Knauer	Kate Trask	Tom Van Nuys
	Joe Ange	Charlie Rash	Ken Tschida	Jim Wynn
	Gloria Cañas			

1. Opening Prayer and Review of Minutes

Fr. Mosimann opened the meeting with a prayer at 7:30 PM. The minutes from the last meeting were approved.

2. New Church Report

Mr. Knauer reported that we have two tentative dates on the bishop's calendar for the dedication; it will be on a weekday in the late afternoon. Mr. Knauer explained that we are reviewing two bids for decorative painting. The marble crucifix is being modified so it and the figures of St. John and the Virgin Mary will all fit. The contracts are in for the pews and the stained glass for the ambulatory, confessional, and lower transept. Eighty percent of the light steel is finished and the large bell tower should be complete by mid-November. We also have two webcams taking photos every 15 minutes. The images are compiled into a video and posted on our website each week. We have sent memorials program materials to people who have not pledged in the campaign. We have collected more than \$3.7 million so far in pledges for the Capital Campaign, including \$826 thousand this year.

3. Committee Reports

The Knights are looking for someone to assist with the administration of the car raffle. They are planning a coat drive on November 12 and 13 as well as multiple family events for the holidays.

Mr. Ange summarized the state of our accounts and noted that we are currently ahead of budget and average \$24 thousand in offertory a month.

Ms. Wagner noted that the Outreach Committee is currently in the midst of the interfaith Thanksgiving coalition drive.

Ms. Trask reported that Sign-Up Sunday was a success, with about 200 new recruits for parish activities.

4. Old and New Business

Mr. Rash reported that we are investigating types of wood flooring to go under the restored altar rail in the Little Church.

Ms. Davis asked for ideas for the auction basket the council will sponsor. She also asked members to consider more ideas for managing council meetings to maximize the time spent discussing parishioner concerns and questions. Members suggested adding question-and-answer topics to the bulletin to help publicize this function of the council.

6. Next Meetings and Adjournment

The next meeting was scheduled for January 11. After Fr. Mosimann led a closing prayer, the meeting adjourned at 9:10 PM.