

ST. MARY, QUEEN OF ANGELS PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

Opening Prayer & Introduction: Father Vincent

Approval of Minutes: February Minutes Approved as written

Finance Council Report: Mark Ptacek
Contract for parking lot being reviewed

Commission Reports:

Chairman	Beverly Nichols
Vice Chairman	Dave Zachman
Secretary	Sarah Hurla
Liturgy	Stacy Moore—NTR
Evangelization	Deb Strobel—4 New families to the church
Family Life	Tammi Buhrle—March 19-Lenten Luncheon
Religious Education	Nathan Myers—NTR
Cemetery Board/ Church Grounds	Gail Ogle—Work continuing to maintain the accuracy of the cemetery map. Merlin gathering ideas for replacement/removal of cemetery fencing.
Respect Life	Dave Zachman—NTR
Stewardship	Beverly Nichols—Time and Talent survey in the next couple weeks. Maintain the energy from Parish Mission to encourage participation.

Parish Organizations:

Knights of Columbus: Bruce Heier—Shrovetide Dinner served 125 people. Donation of \$1400 made to the music ministry. Coffee and Rolls for Father Michael attended well. Special Olympics March 21st and 22nd. Crosses up on April 15th.

Russell Council of Catholic Women:
Sandy Ochampaugh—Preparations for Lenten Luncheon and May 4th
Senior Recognition Breakfast.

Old Business:

- a) Parish Council Commissions expiring July 2025.

New Business:

- a) Gail Ogle, update on cemetery directory and proposed deadline for bringing this to fruition.—Continuing to work on map
- b) Mission wrap-up and plan to keep the momentum going.—Idea for a behind the scenes tour of the church. Continuing to encourage singing louder and responses.
- c) Update on sign-ups for Lent Small Groups. 3 groups
- d) Adoration/Jubilee Year—once a week adoration ideas. Original idea having it weekly from 7-8 on Wednesday, but this will interfere with some CCD time.
- e) Rectory Housekeeper—Current one is unavailable for a short time. Fr. Vincent could probably do without one, but we will see if someone is available to help in the meantime.
- f) Sound System training—A few more people from the parish should learn the system.
- g) Stations of the Cross—Weekly at 5:30 during Lent. Discussion about an outdoor event using the Knights Crosses in the church yard.

Closing Prayer: Nathan Myers

Next Council Meeting: April 1st, 2025

Closing Prayer for April 2025: Deb Strobel

Closing Prayer:

2025	March	Nathan Myers
	April	Deb Strobel
	May	Mark Ptacek
	June	Bruce Heier
	July	Beverly Nichols
	August	Fr. Michael
	September	Sandy Ochampaugh
	October	Gail Ogle
	November	Stacy Moore
	December	Sarah Hurla
2026	January	Gail Ogle
	February	Stacy Moore
	March	Sarah Hurla
	April	Dave Zachman
	May	Tammi Buhrlle

Three Years (July-2027)

Gail Ogle, Stacy Moore, and Sarah Hurla
Two Years (July 2026)
Tammi Buhrle, Nathan Myers and Deb Strobel
One Year (July 2025)
Dave Zachman, Beverly Nichols, and Mark Ptacek

