

SKT Finance Council Meeting Minutes SMM Sacristy Meeting Room

Date: Monday June 26th, 2017 at 7PM

Attendance:

Members:	Present	Absent	Staff:	Present	Absent
Richard Barone	\boxtimes		Fr. Paul English		X
Paul Crane	X		John Aloisio		X
John Gantert	×		Tim Reetz	X	
Kathy Kane	X		Annette Syracusa		X
Lori Klafehn	X		Carol Wilke	X	
Mike Messenger	X		Pastoral Council:		
Ellen Muratore		X	TJ Verzillo	X	
John Schoen		X	Buildings & Grounds:		
			Jason Messenger		X

The meeting was opened with a prayer and the SKT Vision Statement.

Meeting Minutes Review (see handouts) - Lori Klafehn

1) The May 2017 meeting minutes were approved by consensus.

Investment Sub-Committee Review - Lori Klafehn

2) The Communis Fund realized \$10K in gains for May. The \$1,369K, May 31^{st,} balance reflects an approved \$70.6K withdrawal, made to cover capital expenses.

Parish and School Financial Review (see handouts) - Carol Wilke

- 3) Revenue & Expenditures (May 2017):
 - a) Collections for May were \$15K below budget. YTD Collections were \$37.6K below budget. Collections exceeded the monthly budget amounts for December and April
 - b) Salaries and Benefits are \$38K favorable YTD. Some positions have transferred to "Purchase of Services" (RBA). Kathy asked if the Council may see a subset of the RBA employee expenses.
 - c) Gifts and Donations: Two wish list projects were funded by donation in May new controls for the boiler room at CTK (\$6K) and an automatic door operator at CTK (\$5K).
- 4) Ministry Report (June 22, 2017):
 - a) Net Operating Income for May was \$8K positive. YTD was \$67K negative.
- 5) 2017/2018 Budget
 - a) An initial review of a Budget draft was conducted by Council members.
 - b) Collections, Donations and Fund Raising will be key income generators in the upcoming fiscal year.

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Standing Committee Reports

- 6) Pastoral Council Report TJ Verzillo
 - a) Volunteers are needed for all ministries.
- 7) Planned Giving Sub-Committee
 - a) There was a brief discussion on how to revive this effort.
- 8) Fundraising Committee Carol Wilke
 - a) Carol distributed a document containing information from NYS about new Charitable Gaming Laws that are effective July 9, 2017.
- 9) Real Estate Sub-Committee Carol Wilke
 - a) The SS closing will transpire this summer.
 - b) The potential STA school buyer will present at the Irondequoit Planning Board meeting this evening.

Old Business

10)Online Giving

- a) A suggestion was made to change the title of this designation to: AUTOMATED GIVING. Hopefully this change will encourage folks who do not use computers to set up auto debits with their banks.
- b) Automated Giving is becoming a more urgent tool to meet Collection budget predictions.
- 11)Commitment to Giving 2017 Carol Wilke
 - a) A tear-off form in the June 11th and June 18th Bulletins yielded a few additional responses including 2 one-time donations. The Finance Council members felt that publishing the form in the Bulletin is a useful gentle reminder.
- 12) Parish Wish List Carol Wilke
 - a) Published in the June 11th Bulletin.
 - b) Suggestions were made to promote responses: break up donation amounts into smaller increments / provide information at Welcome Centers / publish on SKT website / publish a smaller list in Bulletin every week.

New Business

- 13)Recognition to Paul Crane for his years of service on the Finance Council. Best wishes for your new adventures, Paul!
- 14)Recognition to TJ Verzillo for your service to the Parish Council and representation at Finance Council. Good luck with you new assignment in Corning, TJ!

The meeting closed with a prayer and the SKT Mission Statement.

Next Meeting

Monday - July 24th, 2017 - 7 pm St Margaret Mary Sacristy

Finance Council Meeting Schedule:

07/24/2017	10/23/2017	01/22/2018	04/23/2018
08/28/2017	11/20/2017	02/26/2018	05/21/2018

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