

CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING  
PASTORAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
MINUTES OF MEETING  
FEBRUARY 15, 2011

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Deacon Schofield. Members present were Roland Roy, John Lavallee, James O'Leary, Suzanne Paquette, Deacon Bill Schofield, Patricia Rose, Rita Selby, and Walter Richardson.

Father Lemlin inquired if there were any questions or comments regarding the minutes of the previous meeting. There being none, a motion was made by Roland Roy to accept the minutes. The motion was seconded by James O'Leary and unanimously approved.

Father Lemlin reported that 138 insulation panels for the Parish Center had been purchased at a cost of \$16.83 per sheet. The panels are to be delivered on February 16<sup>th</sup> and will be installed by Steve. They will have a 10 R rating.

According to Father Lemlin, the Catholic Charity Appeal will take place on March 19th, 20th, 26th, and 27<sup>th</sup> with in pew solicitations. The goal this year for the parish is \$31,000.00.

Father Lemlin initiated a discussion regarding the heating system. One possibility is a geothermal system which employs the use of an artesian well having a depth of approximately 1500 feet. Two or three units may be required. The system would be a forced hot air system and ductwork would be required. The system operates with electricity and does not require any additional fuel. According to Father Lemlin the existing three phase electrical service is adequate if the new system were to be installed. One advantage is that the existing system could be eliminated without having to immediately remove it. As such asbestos abatement would not have to take place. Max Girouard, from the Diocese will assist in evaluating the feasibility of the new system. One additional advantage is that air conditioning would be possible without additional cost.

Deacon Schofield inquired as to how long the system would last. Father Lemlin noted that the pumps would have to be occasionally replaced as well as the heating units. He also noted that it is rare for the well to go dry. Roland Roy noted that heat pumps used in apartment buildings can require quite a bit of electricity. Also he expressed a concern about cutting the flexi core floor when the ductwork is installed. James O'Leary noted that a recent newspaper article described this type of system being installed in a building. Roland Roy suggested that estimates should be obtained for the geothermal project as well as a conventional boiler, with asbestos abatement. Father Lemlin noted that whichever system is chosen a capital campaign will be required. Roland Roy provided some information regarding past capital campaigns. Walter Richardson noted that the air conditioning aspect could be a strong point in soliciting

donations. Father Lemlin advised the board that the matter will be studied and information will be provided to the board at future meetings.

Father Lemlin advised the board that the blood drive would be held on Wednesday April 6<sup>th</sup>. He also noted that on Tuesday March 1<sup>st</sup> there would be a program for Ongoing Faith Formation for Adults. The program is from 6 to 7:30 and will be conducted by representatives of the diocese. Father Lemlin also noted that the parish presently has a bible study program.

On the topic of the May Breakfast, Father Lemlin advised the board that parishioners have volunteered to help, but that so far no one had volunteered to be the chair person. Due to scheduling issues the breakfast would be held on May 15th.

Father Lemlin inquired if there were any issues or concerns by board members. Patricia Rose inquired about the Marian statue. Father Lemlin responded that we would not sponsor it this year.

The next meeting will be held in the Sacristy on Tuesday March 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.

There being no further business, Roland Roy made a motion to adjourn which was seconded by Suzanne Paquette and unanimously approved.