

# *Christ the King Church*

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October 15, 2013

*Present at Meeting:* Rita Selby, Anna Conca, Anna Skorski, Sue Paquette, Terry Benton, Janice Rousselle, Irene Slezak, Fr. Tim

*Absent:* Pauline Cote

Anna Conca led the group in prayer.

**A financial overview** was made available to each present at the meeting. Several questions were raised and then the following items were reviewed:

- People served 01.14.13–07.15.13: **1,631**; since began counting 12.12.11: **4,939**
- **\$6,319.72** (Out Reach Checking) [Includes monies collected from Poor Box.]
- Gross income/store receipts thru 06.30.13: **\$19,007.70**
- Net income thru 06.30.13: **\$12,831.80** (actual amount put in checking account)
- Expenses: *Telephone*: **\$385.63**
- Donated to Parish (25%) **\$4,286.87**
- Food certificates/cards: **\$4,500**
- Other monies distributed: **\$2,279.05**
- Total payout: **\$6,779.05** (Does not include items given freely in store.)

**A concern** was expressed by Fr. Tim concerning the counting of money in view of customers. This led to a lively discussion about the need for 'checks & balances', if it was necessary for the money to be counted at the end of each shift, and possibly counting the money in the closet in order to be out of view of customers. Following the discussion, Fr. Tim indicated that: the money in the register will continue to be counted at the each shift; the money should be counted discreetly.

**Janice asked** if would be possible to recruit more volunteers to work the store. It was agreed that an announcement will be put into the Parish bulletin.

**Two questions** arose about: the items that Janice has brought to the Estate Sales; and having a sale on summer clothing. Janice replied to the first inquiry via email. The group decided that a sale could commence.

**Fr. Tim** informed the group that the fire alarm system in the building will be upgraded in the near future. Janice made the suggestion that GA could possibly help with the costs. Fr. Tim thanked her and informed the group that the upgrade is a Parish expense and that Joyful Noise will help with the cost.

**There being** no further items to discuss, the meeting adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 15, 2013, at 1:30pm.