

**St. Frances of Rome  
Parish Council Meeting  
March 12, 2024**

**Present:** Fr. Johnson Thekkudan, Mary Masick, Jane Wehner, Bill Johnston, Laura Harpring, Sr. Agnes Coveney, Greg Brotzge, Mary Keyer, Therese Bawa, Julia Basher, Dutch Boehnlein

**Absent:** Shannon Burns

**Opening Prayer-** Fr. Johnson opened the meeting with a prayer.

**Financial Update** – Dutch Boehnlein provided an update on SFR finances through February 2024. While collections are behind YTD, salaries are below budget due to staff vacancies and therefore there is a \$31,832 positive variance for our overall budget.

**Staffing Update/Assignment of Fr. Pepper** - Mary M. gave a staffing update. Fr. Pepper will be assigned to our parishes March 26 to June 19, 2024. Thank you to Fr. Johnson for his support. If you wish to support Fr. Johnson's water project in Tanzania, make a check out to Fr. Johnson.

**Comments Regarding Fr. Lou** - PC members discussed how to contact Fr. Lou, thank him for his time with the parishes. Letters can be sent to him through the parish offices. SL PC members discussed inviting him to celebrate Pentecost Mass with them.

**St. Leonard's Homecoming** - September 7. Julia B. discussed a joint picnic with SFR. PC members discussed supporting the picnic. Mary M. to find out when the No Picnic Picnic flyers go out to parish.

**Committee Reports** - Mary M. Emailed the PC members the reports from all committees. Team reviewed list of second collection information.

**Open Discussion** - Reminder of upcoming Penance service, on March 13, 2024 at 6pm at SFR. Adoration will be offered on Thursday evenings until Palm Sunday.

**New Business:**

Mary M. emailed February meeting minutes to the team. Greg B. motioned to approve the minutes. Mary K. seconded. Motion passes.

Fr. Johnson closed the meeting with a prayer.

**Next meeting – April 10, 2024, joint meeting with SL in SFR room at Clifton Center.**