

St. Jude Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, December 6, 2016

Attendees: ~~Father Mainzer~~, Danelle Urban, Gary Pond, Susan Hale, Matt McCall, ~~Larry Menestrina~~, Kim Chacon, Sally Pedruzzi, Visitor: Matt Bailey

Prayer

Principal's Update

The school had a Veteran's Day Celebration with talk.

Student Council is sponsoring a food drive.

Four teachers recently went to Kagan training.

The ACT Aspire test was taken by the 8th graders. Results shared with students and parents through the high school.

Confessions were held for Advent.

The Scholar Bowl was held at St. Jude. Eleven schools were represented.

The school will be celebrating Our Lady of Guadeloupe early this year. Dancers are scheduled again.

The school is raising money for Adopt A Family. The family is a school family who wishes to remain anonymous.

The American Red Cross did a presentation today. The blood drive is next week.

We are supporting a new program. The program is called Back Pack for Kids. Recently, 99 packs of food were donated to help our own families at St. Jude.

The Christmas Program is Dec. 13.

Mrs. Urban had asked PTO to help fund a survey to help School Council initiatives. The cost is \$204. Two generous School Council members are going to pick up the costs.

PTO Update

No updates as the rep could not be in attendance this evening.

Strategic Plan Update

The strategic plan is in the finalized state. The next step is the stakeholder's report. Mrs. Urban would like this report done by the end of January.

All School Council members are to provide feedback to Mrs. Urban by Dec. 21st.

We would like to do a survey before the end of January.

Gary Pond is to review the survey questions Mrs. Urban has already started putting together and provide her feedback.

Announcements and Open Comments

Gary Pond is now the St. Catherine Drexel Representative for St. Jude.

Next Council meeting is Thursday, Jan. 12th @5:30.

Closing Prayer