

**Church of St. Dominic
PPC MEETING NOTES**

Monday September 11, 2017 7:45 p.m.

Attending: Fr. Denny, Dick Suess, Steve Kaziolek, George Kinney, Mary Crow, Kathleen Doran Norton, Mary Schmelzer

Committee Meeting nights

October 16	January 22	April 16
Nov (No PPC)	February 12	
December 4	March 12	

Archdiocesan Bankruptcy

Mary Crow

A hearing took place on August 29 at which the Archdiocesan Plan was argued for and against. A decision is anticipated in the next few weeks.

Charitable Outreach

Approximately 1% of the parish budget is allocated to charitable outreach organizations.

Steve Kaziolek moved to continue funding at the same levels to the same organizations as was awarded last year.

Rick Nelson seconded the motion.

Motion passed.

Committee Reports

Finance/Budget

Steve Kaziolek

The committee is looking for new members. The committee is planning for the next round of capital updates/maintenance projects. Anticipate putting together a financial updates letter to be mailed to parishioners.

Maintenance

Dick Suess

Roofs are completed at the school—both the gym roof and the 2-story section.

Many updates to the school classrooms took place before school began.

Maintenance committee members conducted a walk-through of the rectory building to evaluate electrical, heating/cooling, flooring and finishes. There is no time line for implementing any updates to the rectory.

Faith Formation

Rick Nelson

Vacation bible camp had 90 campers and 60 volunteers. The theme was “Jesus Christ is Coming to Town”

August 30 was a confirmation orientation

September 13 was beginning of elementary grades faith formation

September 20 was beginning of secondary grades faith formation
October 8 is sponsor/student confirmation recognition and gathering
October 28 is Archdiocesan Youth Day
February 17/18 is 10th grade confirmation retreat
June 15-24 is Cortez, Colorado, mission trip

Environmental Care Committee

George Kinney

September 12 Jennifer Ehrlert from Metro Blooms scheduled to talk about rain gardens

Education

see attached

Pastors Report

Fr. Denny

Set dates for future PPC meetings.

Looking to invite new members to the PPC Leadership Team

Considering creating an art piece for Advent; inviting all families in the parish to participate by making a component.

Reupholstery of the chapel/choir chairs to begin soon. Volunteers needed for the project.

Seeking to have neighborhood masses where volunteers would have mass at their homes and invite neighbors to attend. Most available times would be during the week.