

Cemetery Committee Meeting Agenda September 6, 2023

Call to Order- -Leon

Opening Prayer - Fr. Rick

Roll Call -Suzanne

- Members Present: Leon Breun, Sandy Wussow, Dave Wosmek, Bill Ziebler, Wayne DeCock, Jan Anderson, Kevin Lauer, Todd Wentworth, Fr. Rick, Rodney Roers- Pastoral Council Liaison
- Approved Absent: Jerry Otto, Fr. Matthew

Administrative Thoughts -Fr. Rick – no updates

Financial Report – Todd

- Reviewed financials - perpetual care fund is performing well
- Now have inventory for niches, crypts, plots in balance sheet

Pastoral Council Input – Rodney – no updates

Inventory Report - Leon

Ground plots	245
Niches	364
Crypts	<u>45</u>
Total	654

Long Range Planning Committee Report - Dave

- See maintenance items

Old Business

- Memorial Day Mass Committee Report - Fr. Math/Sandy
 - Most handled by Luke, went well
- Maintenance Committee Report - Leon
 - No monuments raised to date-Too dry, too hot
 - Lots of reseeding done-pray for rain
 - Lots of water hauled to trees
 - Watering areas seeded before the 2+ inches of rain-grass seed sprouted
 - Hot dry summer has taken its toll on grass-even weeds are starting to die
 - There are presently 11 stumps needing removal
 - Center maple tree may need to be cut down-3rd year of poor leafing
 - Tom Wegner may be leaving mowing of cemetery
 - Tuckpointing – should be done in white columns on corners where there are cracks. Todd has someone the diocese uses so will have him take a look at fixing.

Single name for lots – Leon – no updates

Ground plot reclaim – Todd

- No updates at this time, Todd looking for lawyer to review

Statue committee report – Jan

- Move crucifix out to road and build it up or build new crucifix there? Review on clean-up day on Oct 21

Drainage by M4 - Leon

- Leon calling Tony Revering to discuss who can do the work

Green Burials – Leon

- Not available in MN at this time

Pricing increase – Leon

- Parishioner: Increase to:
 - Mausoleum crypt \$3750
 - Columbarium \$1375
 - Right to burial \$875
 - Location before digging \$170
 - Digging for cremation burial in ground \$450
 - Opening punching holes, etc. \$225
 - Rings \$60
 - Vases \$15
 - Vase holders \$60
 - Monument base prep \$400
- Non-Parishioner: Increase to:
 - Mausoleum crypt \$7500
 - Columbarium \$2750
 - Right to burial \$1750
 - Location before digging \$225
 - Digging for cremation burial in ground \$550
 - Opening punching holes, etc. \$275
 - Rings \$60
 - Vases \$15
 - Vase holders \$60
 - Monument base prep \$400
- Increase Sexton sales commission to \$200
- Motion to pass all increases, seconded, passed

New Business

Ministry Fair weekend of September 23-24 – Leon

- Look at calendars to see when available

Charge for snow removal for winter burial? – Leon

- No charge at this time.

Board Member renewal - nomination that Sandy, Jerry and Jan renew their term of 3 years, seconded, passed.

Clean up Day – Oct 21, 9am. Only committee to take down decorations and review open items

Closing Prayer – Fr Rick