

St. Francis by the Sea Thrift Shop Council  
September 8, 2009 Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Bart Bubnell, Lois Bubnell, Hal Wieland, Bob Doyle, Carl Fenstermaker, John Mack, Barbara Selvy, Pat FitzGerald

Bart opened the meeting with a prayer at 9a.m.

The August minutes were approved with changes noted.

Bart informed the Council that Diane Boyle has forwarded the Grants with letters to the recipients. This information will be published in the Church Bulletin. Also Bart noted the property in the front of the building will be donated directly to the Town and they will do the landscaping.

John Mack – reported the air conditioning work was completed at \$7,500 cost. \$1,800 was the cost to repair the roof. Discussed was the water problem behind the building. John also made the suggestion for a computer volunteer to help Hal in the office.

Carl Fenstermaker – suggested we continue to gather volunteer information to set up a data base to inform volunteers on a regular basis of activities and needs.

Barbara Selvy – stated that the Thrift Shop is listed on the school volunteer form as an opportunity for parents to help. She will advertise for a computer volunteer for 3-4 hours a week. The parents will be asked to bake for the bake table for the Christmas sale.

Lois Bubnell – informed the group our profit for the Art Sale was \$1,800 approx. In discussing ways to improve sales, Lois suggested a Christmas Fair sale on the weekend of November 7 and 8 after the Masses. This will be for larger items, nothing under \$3 and will be advertised in the bulletin.

Bob Doyle – Made a recommendation that a Council member serve on the School board.

Hal Wieland – informed the Council that the sales of books have increased. It was also noted, the improved appearance of the volunteer room with a special thanks to Jim Hyland. The extended hours will continue for now. With some changes, we hope to improve the amount of delivery charges. Also discussed the elimination of one storage unit in the near future.

Bart Bubnell closed the meeting with a prayer at 10:20a.m.

The next meeting date: Tuesday, October 13, 2009 at 8:00a.m.