

**St. Peter Garden Committee**  
Minutes of:  
Regular Meeting, August 10, 2015

The meeting was called to order by acting Chairman, Vince Farrell, at 7:02 p.m. with a prayer.

In attendance were: Vince Farrell, Kathy Mills and Jenna Mills.

Vince noted that our chairman was absent due to a meeting she had to attend for her daughter in girl scouts; Vince L. was attending a meeting with his son for the school band, Tom is under the weather, as is Eddie and Adam had another engagement.

Copies of Christies' August 2015 update were passed out and we conducted our meeting using that as agenda. Again, without a quorum, we were unable to conduct any business, but we did discuss many things.

Last Sunday, August 9th, the garden committee was committed to host donut Sunday after all the Sunday Masses at St. Peter. In addition, Christies picked some produce from our church garden which she had placed downstairs in Apostle Hall. Cathy Farrell and Joyce Solomon also contributed some produce. Christie took in \$28.50 in donations.

Unfortunately, Christie had to cover 3 Masses by herself, although Vince F covered the 6 a.m. Mass and Cathy F. helped Christie after the 10 o'clock Mass.

With Tom under the weather, there is no way to fill the 250 gallon water tank that we use for watering the garden. Christie is going to ask Father Bob for permission for the gardeners to use the hose on the side of the parish center to fill their containers.

Vince said he'd measure the distance from said water outlet to the water tank and see if it was practical to run a hose from that point to the tank. He did mention that the hose would only be out to fill the tank and then be put somewhere for storage, until needed again.

The rows have been labeled with the names of the persons who have adopted same.

Our community garden is being devastated this year by the local wild life. Vince L has gone to using agricultural lime instead of liquid fence. Vince L. plans on rototilling as soon as he can and mowing down the taller weeds.

The individual plots seem to be well taken care of.

August's outreach meal is suppose to have coleslaw , with the cabbage being donated by our committee. Or, if they want to make stuffed cabbage, there should be enough.

Discussion was held regarding manning manning a table on Sundays after the Masses. Christie would like to have a sign up sheet to help spread the load.\

Kathy, with her new job, will be working weekends but Jenna said that she could help

Christie also point out that there isn't much to harvest due to the deer problem. Our next meeting is scheduled for September 14, 2015 at 7:00 pm. in the parish center.

The meeting adjourned with a prayer at 7:21 p.m.