

St. Peter Garden Committee
Minutes of:
Regular Meeting, October 12, 2015

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Christie Ollerton at 7:03 pm, with a prayer.

In attendance were: Christie Ollerton, Adam Sonnhaller, Tom McLeary, Kathy Mills and Vince Farrell.

After discussing the matter at some length, it was voted on to donate monies to the St. Peter outreach meal at a cost not to exceed \$400.00.

Christine advised us that the St. Peter maintenance crew emptied the water tank and mowed the garden fields. They also filled the water tank while Tom was under the weather.

Due to our deer problem, the PTU's pumpkin patch was a flop this year.

Christie wondered if we could get the kids of St. Peter School involved in the garden next year. Adam advised us that Mrs. Van Dyke is the science teacher and that that would come under her area.

Tom advised us that he could buy fruit at a discount at the farmers' market and we could sell it for a profit. If so, it was suggested that any profit be donated to St. Peter PTU. The talk seemed to be centered around selling the fruit in Apostle's Hall on Donut Sundays.

Vince advised the group that organizations that sponsored the event did not like outside organizations setting up shop since they were trying to promote their group. Said they would have to clear using AH with the scheduled organization by going through him (Vince).

Christine asked if the committee would like to do another "thank you" breakfast like the one we held last year. All were in favor of same but we couldn't come up with a date. Christie will check with Father Bob to see if we can work something out.

Kathy brought some cloves of garlic which her sister grew. We discussed growing garlic next planting season but none of us are familiar with how to cultivate same. Kathy will check with her sister, who may be willing to help, and we will discuss this at our next meeting which will be held on March 14, 2016.

The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.