

St. Peter Parish

Pro-Life Committee

Minutes of:

Regular Meeting, December 15, 2015

The meeting was called to order, with a prayer, by acting Chairman, Vince Farrell.

In attendance were: Vince Farrell, Carol Frederick, Jerry Tomasheski and Ralph Jorz.

Vince advised members that Dutch was unable to make this evenings meeting due to another commitment and that Dutch asked him to conduct the meeting. Vince also advised us that Danny and Diane were out of town on a bus trip (to Niagra Falls, he thought) and that they too could not attend today.

Discussion was held on the sign-ups these past two weekends for the newspaper ad which will appear in local papers on or about January 22, 2016. To date we have collected 68 signatures and \$360.00. Last year we only had 42 signatures. It was decided not to extend the drive into next weekend. Ralph mentioned that there were individuals who wanted to sign up but didn't have the \$5.00 handy, Vince said that he would see if we could leave a sheet at the parish office so that if anyone so desired, they could still sign up. The information is due at the Lorain County Right to Life Committee by January 6, 2016 so we will probably send it to them by the end of the year.

The next topic of discussion was the upcoming 40 Days for Life to be held during Lent. The event will run from February 10 to March 20, 2016. The Committee has decided that once again, those members who are unable to stand outside (especially during the winter months), will meet at St. Peter Church on Mondays, from noon until 1 p.m. The Mondays are: February 15, 22 & 29 and March 7 and 14, 2016.

Vince brought up the subject that perhaps Dutch would like to be relieved of the committee chairmanship, a position he has held since the committee was formed in October of 2012. Vince has not spoken to Dutch about this but will, before our next meeting on January 19, 2016,

Jerry suggested that we might look into joining forces with St. Julies' committee and form one group. Vince will check with Joe Wing and see what the possibilities are.

The meeting adjourned with a prayer at 6:05 p.m.