

**Ave Maria Parish Council Meeting**  
Wednesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

1. Call to Order by President Sam Thielen & Opening Prayer led by Father John Paul.
2. Members present: Father John Paul, Sam Thielen, Dale Przymus, Hank Frisch, Julie Deal, Kevin O’Leary, Becki Stueve, Paul Frisch and Carol Nelson. Members absent: Laurie and Armon Karsky, Philip Deal and Doug Frisch.
3. Acceptance and approval of minutes from Tuesday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Motion to accept and approve by Kevin O’Leary and second by Hank Frisch.
4. Acceptance and approval of agenda for Wednesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Motion to accept and approve by Dale Przymus and second by Hank Frisch.
5. Committee Reports
  - a. Finance: Report given by Father John Paul, excellent budgeting thus far as we are in the 7th month of the fiscal year. Fuel expense is reported lower than expected. Overall, on track.
  - b. Guild Report: Several funerals over the past month. Thanks to everyone for stepping up and assisting, it is very much appreciated.
  - c. Cemetery Report: Nothing to report.
  - d. Faith Formation: Classes are back after the holiday break in full swing.
  - e. Building Committee: Nothing to report.
6. Old Business
  - a. ACC: Father John Paul gave an update of the proposal submitted, the proposal is for the continuation of the current plan. Final approval is expected in April.
  - b. Pancake Breakfast: Good participation in spite of stormy weather. Profit reported to be \$874.00.
  - c. Dylan Bainbridge quote: Window cleaning bid was approved for all windows to be done once a year. The tall windows on the west side will be done twice a year. Total cost is \$1215.00. Motion made by Hank Frisch for acceptance and second by Dale Przymus.
7. New Business
  - a. Additional Envelope for Food Shelf: Discussion on having an envelope added to our box of weekly envelopes for the food shelf. This year since the boxes have been distributed the envelope would be handed out in the pews the first Sunday of November. Next year in 2027 we will have this as an option in the box. Motion to accept by Hank Frisch and second by Kevin O’Leary.
  - b. Classroom lights fixtures & bathroom sink by classrooms: will be addressed at the next meeting.
  - c. South Door Threshold: To be assessed for water leaking in.
  - d. Floor Tiles in Choir Loft: Concerns of tiles loosening up; Siegel Flooring to be called to look at for options of repair or replacement. Motion by Hank Frisch and second by Kevin O’Leary.
8. Next Meeting: Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 12, 2026 at 7:00 pm.
9. Adjournment: Motion by Hank Frisch and second by Kevin O’Leary. Father John Paul closed with prayer at 7:48pm.

+ Pete & Jerry, pray for us+