

## **Parish Council Update – Fall 2025**

Dear Parishioners,

We hope you had a joyful start to fall! We want to take a moment to update you on some of the recent work of the Parish Council, especially since the arrival of our new pastor, Monsignor Baker.

The Parish Council has been actively supporting Monsignor Baker as he gets to know our vibrant community. Some of the initiatives we've been involved in recently include:

- **Organizing the Fall CYO Sports Mass** – We were pleased to help coordinate this special liturgy to bless and support our young athletes and their families as they begin the new season.
- **Preparing data for the Stewardship Report** – We assisted with collecting and organizing important data to help present a clear and inspiring picture of parish life, participation, and support. You should receive the Stewardship Report soon (if you haven't already).
- **Improving Parish Communication** – We are working on a comprehensive outreach strategy that will help us connect with every parishioner—whether through email, text messages, video content, or other means—so that everyone feels informed, included, and engaged.
- **Adding a QR Code for Online Giving** – To make supporting our parish more convenient, we have included a QR code in the bulletin that allows parishioners to make donations quickly and securely from their phones.
- **Combining Parish Council & Pastoral Council** - To aid in counsel for Monsignor Baker we have combined our Parish & Pastoral Council meetings to coordinate every other month

These are just a few of the many ways the Parish Council is striving to assist Monsignor Baker and serve our parish family. As always, we are grateful for your prayers, your participation, and your continued support as we work together to build up our parish community in faith and fellowship.

In Christ,

**The Parish Council**