

**Parish Council Minutes**  
**January 9, 2012**

**Members Present:** Marie Lachapelle, Loree Vento, Pam Improta, Marjorie Keefe-Canetti, Marci Rackliffe, Jim Ginda, Andrea Heineman, Sheila Greene, Nancy Souza, Paul McConnell, Frank Pazienza, Eddie DeCesare, Joe Creedon

**Opening Prayer:** Jim Ginda

**Minutes approved with the following change under Committee Reports - Peace & Justice should be Family Life**

**Committee Reports:** Those which were not on the original report are listed below.

**Peace & Justice** – not much happening right now. They did not cook for Ascension Church (usually cook for 30 or so people)

**Stewardship** - still trying to decide which book to bring to Council

**Parish Activities** - Band name is T J's Cryin' Time

**Liturgy** – the committee evaluated Advent. Reconciliation services were poorly attended. There was mixed feedback on the booklets for Advent. The environment was beautiful.

**Views from Council:** Joe's homily was awesome.

**Old Business:** The transition team met last week. There will be a bulletin announcement and an email sent to the community asking what made them to come to CTK and why they stay. This will help to assist in developing a report stating what CTK is all about. The report will be sent to anyone applying for the pastor position. When the new pastor is announced, a 'welcome' letter will be sent out.

Previous suggested changes were made to the pastoral letter and a paragraph was added about the Catholic Center. The letter was approved by the council and will be mailed by Wednesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>.

**New Business:** The Stewardship Sharing committee was set. Those involved this year will be Loree Vento, Paul McConnell, Marci Rackliffe, Mary Carol Kendzia, Nancy Souza and maybe Fr. Matt.

**Meeting adjourned**

**Next meeting: Monday, February 13, 2012**