

Holy Name of Jesus Cemetery Committee
Meeting Minutes
Thursday, June 26, 2014

Members Present: Father Bob Kollath, Dave Gossens, Louis Martin, Tim Paltzer, Peter Van Dyke

Members Absent: Tom Vandehey

Non-Voting Members: Wayne Grishaber, Patty Vande Voort

Guests: Jim Mork, Mork Mauseleum

Prayer and Introductions

The meeting began with introductions of all committee and non-committee members. When introductions were complete the committee was led in prayer by Father Bob.

Terms of Office

The committee reviewed the terms of office. Dave Gossens and Tom Vandehey will continue for another three year term. Tim Paltzer was welcomed as a new member. Father approved all members.

Underground Tiling

The underground tiling took place. Another area needs to be completed. Dave, the grave digger, believes it has made a big difference.

The committee is looking to get rid of extra dirt. If anyone has an idea they should let Wayne know.

Financials

Patty reviewed and answered committee questions regarding the financials. At that time it was discussed that a new lawn mower is needed. A larger mower with zero radius, 50 – 60 inches. Louis will look into prices at Fleet Farm and Carstons. The committee asked Patty to add the cemetery as a possible place for people to donate when families would like to give to the church in honor of a loved one.

The committee will look into putting in roads in the future as well as parking.

Cremain Burials

Jim Mork of Mork Mauseleum presented different options for cremain burials. Jim distributed options, which included pricing for the committee to review and discuss. After a lengthy discussion the committee has decided that the next meeting will be one to tour different cemeteries that offer special cremain areas.

Tombstone – Unknown Dead – Chilton Cemetery

Father Bob, Patty and Louis visited the Good Shepherd Parish Cemetery in Chilton. The cemetery has a special place with a tombstone for stillborns. Each year the parish has a service on Mother's Day in honor of those children. The Holy Name Cemetery Committee will relocated the tombstone for the stillborns and move it to the baby/infant section at the cemetery.

Next Meeting:

September 25, 1:00PM. The cemetery committee members will tour other cemeteries that have cremain burial sections. Holy Cross in Kaukauna and St. Joe's in Appleton will be visited.