

*Highlights of the Feb. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2007 Parish Advisory Board Meeting Continued...*

The Bazaar Committee is in place with 12 parishioners.

A representative of the French Language Committee provided a short verbal update as to the work that they are doing to prepare for their meeting with the French Episcopal Vicar, Fr. Roy.

The Lenten Card Parties are ongoing. Come out on Sunday and have a great time.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul boxes have been removed from the church. The continued damage to these boxes has made this move necessary. You are encouraged to use generic envelopes and specify these monies to the Society.

Lorne Rocheleau, our liaison representative from St. Thomas of Villanova Secondary School, updated us on activities within the high school community. The Grade 9 students will be having a retreat, the topic being: "Created in the Image of God". St. Joseph Parish information is now posted on the Villanova website.

A request from St. Joseph Elementary School to have a representative from our parish sit on their school council has been made. Al White, a member of our Parish Advisory Board, has volunteered. We are still awaiting an appointment from École Msgr. Caron of a person to attend our Parish Advisory Board meetings. We believe that we must have a strong connection between Church, Home and School.

All registered parishioners will be receiving a letter and census form with their Easter mailing. We need to update the telephone and other information of our parishioners. We also would like (with permission) to start communicating through email with those parishioners who have computers. Our parish website has to be updated and once done, we want to provide information about our church and what is happening throughout our school communities and church on an active site. We have the most photographed church in Windsor-Essex county. Imagine viewing exterior and interior coloured pictures on our site!

The food prep committee announced a \$5,000.00 donation to the kitchen renovations. Donations are still needed to clear this debt. Many thanks to all who work in this group and the many other parishioners and friends of our parish for all that you do.

*Highlights of the March 8<sup>th</sup> Parish Advisory Board Meeting will be published shortly.  
You are encouraged to attend the next P.A.B. meeting to be held April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2007.*