

Our Lady of the Angels Finance Council meeting  
March 18, 2026 7 pm  
Centre for Christ

Present for both Our Lady of the Angels and St. Paul's – Father Kevin, Father Botzet, Adam Saltmarsh, Rachel Bosl  
Present from OLA – Audrey Roering, Jason Borgerding, Philip Polipnicks, and Joyce Frericks - not present ` Ken Leukam  
Present from St. Paul's - Mary Klimek, Kevin Herickhoff, Jamie Hooper, Sara Friedrichs and Chris H.

St. Paul's and OLA finance councils – minutes taken by Joyce Frericks

- Call to order
- Insurance went down for parishes went down
- St. Paul's applied for a FEMA grant for security at St. Paul's and Centre for Christ
- Hwy 71 is planning a round about at the intersection of Sinclair Lewis and Main Street. Centre for Christ will lose some parking and the cross walks will be moved
- Staffing – some people are getting moved around. The goal is to have and overall \$20,000 decrease in budget for next year
- Budgets for 2026-27 will be done as normal per church for now as we do not know when the corporations will be merged.
- Audrey asked about the finances per church as it was indicated at a meeting she attended that when the churches were closed in the future, the money would follow the parishioners. Father Kevin and Adam said that is what they understood

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- **Route Matters**
  - Reviewed and approved agenda - Motion to approve by Joyce, second by Jason, All in favor
  - Reviewed and approved minutes from January 28, 2026 meeting. Motion to approve by Audrey, second by Philip, All in favor
  - Financials were reviewed
    - Motion to approve financials by Joyce, second by Philip, all in favor
- **Old Business**
  - Adam came to our meeting for a few minutes to discuss the elevator.
    - It is not working again. The repair company put in a new controller. Now they think it is a pump and may be \$30,000 to fix. \$7500 is already expensed and paid for.
    - We will await a quote to fix it.
- **New Business**
  - We discussed the Bieringer Trust as the following highlighted wording was in the paperwork for the trust:
    - “The net income arising therefrom shall annually be used to support and aid the cause of foreign mission activities of the Catholic Church, and in particular to provide food for the poor and hungry”.
    - Each of the finance council members should research 2 to 3 options to use the net income each year and we will discuss at the next meeting.
  - The date for the next scheduled meeting will not work. Scheduled new meeting for June 4, 2026 at 6:00 pm

Motion to adjourn by Jason, second by Philip, All in favor

- Next meeting — June 4, 2026 at 6:00 pm – Centre for Christ
- Adjournment

Reminder Notes:

\*\*We pay \$150,000.00 or 33% whichever is greater for HF School –reevaluate every 3 years last reevaluated in 2020-addtl 5%- one-time in 2023

In July 2017 we have agreed to pay \$10,000.00 or 1% of the balance whichever is greater from the Bieringer Foreign Mission Funds to our sister Church in Kenya-(Migori) and reevaluate every 5 years but, reevaluated it in 2021 –next reevaluation 11-26. Will send the check in October each year based on September report per decision at 9-16-21 meeting----At the March 21, 2024 meeting it was decided to review this annually.  
Punkin & Monkeys -decided at May 2018 meeting to reevaluate this annually