Meeting Notes for the March 13, 2017 St. Christopher PTO

In Attendance:

Kira Bradley, Mary Kincaid, Stephanie Cooper, Colleen Kandel, Beth Davisson, Penny Stoffel, Jen Sowers, Amanda Palmer, Lara Moeller, Kim Oakes, Ashley Schwieterman

Opening Prayer: Jen Sowers

Welcome: Jen Sowers

Minutes: Kira Bradley

Reviewed and approved minutes from the February meeting

Treasure Report: Amanda Palmer

Budget given to those in attendance. Receipts from catholic schools week, science fair, power of pen lunch, teacher supplies, and ball room lessons for 8th graders all came in and checks will be going out for those events.

Principal Report: Mrs. Kincaid

- *2017/2018 school calendar will be available by April 1st
- *First day of school will be Aug. 23rd
- *Spring Break will be different next year due to the NCEA conference in Cincinnati. It will not follow the usual after Easter week it will be the same week as Vandalia Butler schools Spring break the week of March 26-April 3rd
- *Grandparent tea on March 21st
- *Air testing for ed choice students going on now
- *Thank you from Mrs. Kincaid for PTO support for catholic schools week, power of pen lunch and science fair
- *Mrs. Kincaid proposed the idea for PTO to purchase a buddy bench to have outside near the playground. This will be a great addition to our catholic identity at the school.

Old Business:

- *Father daughter dance-Colleen Kandel has agreed to continue again next year if committee is formed as well as Mother/Son and Teacher Appreciation
- *Lara Moeller has agreed to be PTO president for next school year
- *Fundraising ideas-read-a-thon, Kroger rewards

New Business:

- *Stephanie Cooper will be our Treasurer for next school year
- *Pastries with Parents on March 24th
- *Mother Son Event on April 8th
- *PTO sponsored dinner April 6th
- *Decided on Read-a-thon fundraiser for next year. Date needs to be set to get it on the calendar-Possibly the week of National Young Readers Week the second week of November
- *First week of May will be Teacher Appreciation Week