Athletics:  
No report.

Cafeteria: Appointments were mentioned: Cassie Zitzloff to HC ’08; Vinnie Minucci to HC ’09  
Students were encouraged to take responsibility for portion size and to communicate concerns.

PAC:  
PAC minutes had been sent to the secretary.  
It was explained that PAC is an “advisory” council, not a policy-making body.  
Concerns were expressed about children in the dormitory.  
1) the inconvenience of having kids running around  
2) the dorm as an inappropriate venue for children: it is coed and houses future priests; reference was made to the Archdiocese’s trouble with sexual misconduct issues.  
Safety issues were raised, including children crossing the street and the need to avoid putting oneself in precarious situations that invite accusation.  There was further discussion about appropriate events for which children should be allowed in the dormitory.  
3) bathroom usage on weekends: the bathroom below the kitchen is now open on Sundays.

A motion was made to disband PAC. The motion was seconded.  
Discussion ensued regarding the purpose and function of PAC.  
Objections were made to the manner in which students were confronted by PAC.  
The anonymity of the members was described as problematic, especially as it related to the issue of representation and a lack of dialogue with students.  
A suggestion was made to redefine what “representative” in PAC means to clarify the function of the committee. Another suggestion was made to restructure the group.  
When called, the motion carried by a 10-2 vote.

The Dean of the School of Theology expressed that much of the information discussed in the meeting was new to him and that faculty and students live in separate worlds. He said that the faculty often knows very little about these issues, which affect everyone. He affirmed that we are here to honor and serve God and invited students to come to talk to him.

The meeting was adjourned.
The Treasurers report was submitted. During the Secretary’s report, it was agreed to send and receive all the notes from SGA meetings via the internet.

Student Life:
The Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners were discussed. The basic idea is to have a family-style sit-down dinner. Nov 13\textsuperscript{th} was the date given for the Thanksgiving dinner; November 30\textsuperscript{th} was being considered as the date for the Christmas dinner. Office hours were announced and will be posted.

It was mentioned that OSL run-activities are not well-known; it was suggested that we should have flyers. The environmental aspect of flyers was raised. It was stated that all official communication was to be electronic and that the IT department is encouraging the use of email. Reference was made to the amount of money saved through electronic communication and the money the school has invested in the server.

CAB:
Upcoming events were mentioned: the ice-cream social; movie night; a basketball game between the school and the police and fire departments of Brookline; a pep rally for the game, to be held in the evening on Nov 19\textsuperscript{th}; and a Madden Challenge, to be held on Dec. 8\textsuperscript{th}.

HSA:
Had a successful event on Sunday night (OXI day).

MSA:
3 items were brought to the attention of SGA:
1) A request was made that any students, committees, or groups that have issues with children come to the MSA first (rather than to the administration building) so that we can engage in constructive dialogue.
2) A request was made to be careful about the wording used when making a recommendation involving children; “inappropriate behavior” can refer to sexual abuse and may legally call for an immediate investigation.
3) Question for SGA president: Do you believe that the school is responsible for ministering to the wives and children on campus?

The SGA president expressed his belief that it is not our obligation as a school to do HOPE and JOY.

The series of events leading to the relocation of HOPE and JOY was recounted. Of note were concerns about safety, the supervision of boys going to the bathroom in Polemanakos, and the inappropriateness of the JC room for these groups. It was mentioned that students in the dorm did not want the children there. The need was expressed to build a path to the Varletta House, to which HOPE and JOY have been relocated. Further discussion was tabled until the PAC report.

Missions:
The upcoming Missions Week was described.
The minutes of the October 4th meeting were approved.
The minutes of the October 18th meeting were reviewed and approved with minor changes.

Open Forum:

SGA title
An objection was made to the President of SGA referring to himself as the President of the Student Body; this action was described as malfeasance of duty. The President apologized for the misunderstanding.

Kitchen and cleanliness
Questions were raised regarding the removal of the kitchenette in the dormitory. The letter about the kitchen, signed by Mr. Georgenes and the president of PAC, was read. The decision-making process related to the removal of the kitchen was discussed. Also discussed were the issues that the Health Department had with the kitchen last year as well as the consequence for failing to clean it up (closing the dormitory).
Additional concerns for cleanliness were raised, especially regarding the sinks in the girls’ bathroom, which were reported to be dirty because people were washing their dishes there. The point was made that it is against the health code to wash dishes in bathroom or to wash them in a sink used to wash painting material.

Chapel speech on October 31
A request was made for clarification about Fr. Athanasios’ comments in chapel on the previous night; Fr. Athanasios responded, detailing concerns about people approaching parents and in anger correcting them about the way they discipline their children. He mentioned that married students had spoken about being evicted from the dorm.
Fr. Athanasios was questioned about the reason and manner in which he addressed the problem he perceived on campus. An objection was made about the appropriateness of the place (the chapel) in which the president’s comments were made; the distinction between preaching the Gospel and personal agendas was mentioned. Additional objections to the speech were detailed: invoking the name of SGA and using the office of SGA president and priest to make the statement. A request was made for an apology for the inappropriateness of the speech. Fr. Athanasios refused to apologize for speaking the Gospel of Christ.

Minutes of Executive Board:
Recommendations for student representatives on college committees:
Curriculum—Mierthew and Lectures—
Student life—
Catalog—McQueeny
Discussion about these appointments was invited. There was no discussion.
It was mentioned that we are obligated to have one student assembly per year.