

MINUTES OF PASTORAL PLANNING COUNCIL MEETING

Meeting Date: September 12, 2017

Call to Order

A meeting of Pastoral Planning Council was held in the Corpus Christi Parish Office on September 12, 2017. The meeting convened at 6:30pm.

Attendance

Pastoral Council Attendees: Father Miller, Jack Carr, Chuck McCrory, Ed Somppi, Faith Hotovec, Norm Black and Jenn Bosley

Guests: Dwight Beebe, Benjamin Garriga

Absent: Barb Distelrath, Maribeth Miltner, Vinnie Nolan, Jeff Raisian, Theresa Rogers

It is with regret that we announce that Theresa Rogers is resigning as the secretary of the Parish Council. We thank Theresa for her service to our Parish. We also welcome the new members of the Council, Norm Black, and Jenn Bosley.

We need to identify a Youth Representative and Secretary for the Parish Council.

Meeting

The meeting began with Evening Prayer led by Father Miller

Minutes were approved

Dwight Beebe explained his involvement with the National Pastoral Planning Council and their activities with the Bishops and the Bishops Council.

Cemetery Board Chapel and Maintenance Building: Building is under construction. This building is being built through generous gifts of the Knights of Columbus and Catholic Daughters.

Finance Committee: Meeting in 2 weeks. The Parish savings covered last year's budget deficit. The Stewardship Campaign that is being run by the Diocese is beginning this week. Electronic giving through the web page is being used by a few parishioners.

Religious Education Report: CCD begins September 19, 2017. Monthly Family Days will be held with fun, Faith and food enjoyed by the entire family of the students. The students will also participate monthly in the 11am Mass activities.

Adult Parish activities include meetings on Wednesdays after the 8am Mass and 6-7:30pm on Wednesdays with celebration of the Rosary at 7:30pm. The Parish Book Club will continue during Advent of this Christmas season (the books are being donated again.)

"Formed" is an on-line Catholic program offered by the parish as described in the bulletin. A short presentation of this program for the whole family may help the response to this program.

Worship Committee: They will be discussing the scheduling of the Christmas Masses. The last Sunday of Advent (December 24th) and the Christmas Eve Masses fall on the same day.

Terms of Pastoral Council Members: The terms will be reviewed with Father Miller to insure a productive and fair Council membership.

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Hall Renovation: Process is proceeding with changes made. A General Contractor to oversee the project is being considered. Hoping to at least partially finish by Lent for the fish dinners.

Trail to Life USA: The Diocese has not yet responded to our Parish Ability to sponsor a troop.

Parish Festival: Mike Bartone presented the financial value of reviving the Parish Festival. This idea is to be discussed in greater detail at our next meeting.

NEXT MEETING NOVEMBER 28, 2017 @ 6:30PM