



HOLY ANGELS PARISH

138 N 8th Ave
West Bend, WI 53095
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Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

March 21, 2019

7:30 p.m.

Rectory Conference Room

- 1) Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by Angie Bell with Fr. Pat, Greg Bohn, Nic Meyer, Michael Darvin, Richard Stommel, Mike Wagner, Mike Melaney and Jim Gardner present.
- 2) Approval of minutes for February meeting:** The February meeting minutes were not available for review.
- 3) Stewardship Committee formation:** Fr. Pat. Stewardship Information meeting had low participation. Next steps are for council to touch base with invitees to verify if interested. Lindsey will schedule follow-up meeting after feedback received.
- 4) Clergy Report: Fr. Pat:**

The Archdiocese is celebrating its 175th anniversary. Events include multiple walking and bicycle paths to Explore 175 miles of the archdiocese and will run from April 28 – November 28, 2019. Holy Angels will participate in the “Purple route” starting at HA and following Eisenbahn trail to Holy Trinity in Kewaskum, St. Matthew in Campbellsport, Shepherd of the Hills in Eden and finishes at Holy Family parish in Fond du Lac. There will also be a “7 Days of Service” event in September.

Fr. Pat will leave Holy Angels after the Festival (June 7-9th). The placement board is considering his replacement at this time. Fr. Pat and HA parish staff to provide input. He expects decision to be made in early May.

Weekly and ongoing Lent programs include: CBS (Called by the Spirit) Mini-series, Stations of the Cross Friday nights at 7:00 PM, Brown Bags and Bible Scripture discussion on Thursdays from 12:00 – 12:45 PM,

Marv Wolf to chair a “HA Building Use” committee. Expected to review all facilities for potential expenses and determine five year plan for building expenses.
- 5) Committee Reports & Updates:**
 - a) Worship** – Has not met recently. Upcoming meeting to discuss preparation for Easter.
 - b) Formation** – March meeting rescheduled. Middle school retreat opportunity over spring break. Religious Ed classes are nearing end of year.
 - c) Evangelization** – No report.
 - d) Human Concerns** – Hygiene products were collected in March for St. Bens, Rice Bowls available during Lent (proceeds to benefit Angels for Life and Harvest House. July 28th All Saints Parish gospel choir to return to Holy Angels for 11:00 AM mass.
 - e) Stewardship** – see above
 - f) School:** Ad-hoc committee for HA school principal recruitment/replacement has been conducting initial interviews (7) and second-interviews (3) during the past three weeks. Committee consists of 13 members (including school committee, teachers, staff, and HA Human Resources committee members). Committee hopes to make recommendation to Fr. Pat by end of week. School is on spring break from March 23-31st.



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Annual Fish Fry and Gifts from the Heart Raffle was held on Friday, March 15th. Attendance was down from 2018 (greater than 2017). Some complaints received about lack of availability for printed raffle booklets.

Holy Angels School Rummage sale scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, March 30th and 31st.

3rd Annual Adult Trivia night fundraiser scheduled for Saturday, April 6th at 7:00 PM.

Grandparents Day scheduled for Thursday, April 11th from 8:00 – 11:30 AM (includes school mass).

Spring performance and Art Fair on April 25th at 6:30 PM.

8th Grade graduation on Friday, May 31st.

Reception to celebrate HA School principal Mike Sternig's retirement to follow 11:00 AM mass on Sunday, June 2nd.

Last day of school is Tuesday, June 4th.

6) Finance Council Report: The budget was finalized and approved. The Stehling project funds (previous annual funds to Holy Angels school approximately \$120,000) will expire this (2018-2019) school year. The Rohl's foundation has approved a \$55,000 contribution for the 2019-2020 school year and will consider future requests from Holy Angels for specific needs on an annual basis (subject to availability).

7) Pastoral council election timeline for spring 2019: Timeline for April and May reviewed briefly starting with announcement before weekend masses (April 6th & 7th) to ask for nominations the following week.

8) West Bend area parishes' committee leader meeting: Took place at Cabrini on March 12th. The four pastoral council chairs initially met in November 2018. March meeting was opportunity for Human Concerns, Prayer & Worship and Stewardship committee members to meet and share calendars to help avoid conflicts and help promote other parish events. Also intended to discuss Faith & Family Fest (September 2019) but event coordinator was not able to attend. Will evaluate feedback and see if follow-up meeting can be scheduled in six months/later.

9) Open to all: Nic attended spring deanery meeting at Cabrini on March 19th. Discussions include recent security process changes throughout deanery and archdiocese.

10) Closing Prayer / Reflection: Fr. Pat (Handout)/Greg Bohn.

11) Adjournment – Adjourned at 8:35 PM

Next meeting: Thursday, April 11 @ 7:30 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Angie Bell