

## **Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes**

April 20, 2017 7:30 p.m. Parish Rectory

- 1) Call to Order The meeting was called to order by Matt Sternig, with Fr. Pat, Andy Gonring, Marv Wolf, Greg Bohn, John Butschlick, Michael Darvin, Steve Stanek, Brian Glaszcz, and Don Felix present from the Pastoral Council and parish staff member Lindsey Vander Wielen.
- 2) Opening Prayer Fr. Pat
- 3) Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting The March minutes and the minutes from October were approved by consensus.
- 4) Pastor's Report Fr. Pat said he started working on job descriptions. Fr. said Lindsey Vander Wielen now has the title of "Parish Life Co-coordinator". Lindsey shared the many tasks that fall under her job description. Some of her main responsibilities include communication, soliciting volunteers, and parish life outreach.
- 5) Council Chair Report The schedule for the election of three new members to the Council was developed and elections will take place on the weekend of May 20th & 21.
- 6) Fr. Pat's Installation Ceremony & 40th Anniversary Celebration Invitations will be sent out and a lunch will be served in the Walnut and Cedar rooms after the Ceremony.
- 7) Finance Council Report The proposed budget looks good and will be published in the bulletin in the coming weeks. A vendor and cost for upgrading the speaker system in church has been finalized. Metro Sound who initially installed the current system will be doing the upgrade for a cost of \$20,000. The moneys to pay for the project will come from the excess collected for the kneeler project.
- 8) Committee Reports & Updates and Liaisons
  - a) Prayer & Worship (Lent and Easter and Beyond) Fr. Pat said it was a great weekend, all went well.
  - b) Christian Formation We will be celebrating First Communions, Confirmations.
  - c) Evangelization Covered.
  - d) Human Concerns A lot going on. The minutes from the last meeting were shared with the Council.
  - e) Stewardship Working on the welcoming Committee.
  - f) School No Report.
- 9) Deacon's Report No Report.
- 10) Announcements Open to All Nothing new.



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11) Adjournment & Closing Prayer – John Butschlick lead the closing prayer.

Next meeting: Thursday May 18, 2017 at 7:30 p m. Parish Rectory

Opening Prayer: Glenn Bell

Topics: TBD

Respectfully submitted, Don Felix