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Parish Pastoral Council – Meeting Minutes

Monday, June 20, 2022

Those in Attendance:

Fr. Martino
Robin Smith, President
Susan Doyle, Secretary
Nelly Camacho
Aaron Gilstrap
Ron Proveaux
Mary Jane Heyman
Barbara Rafferty, Ex-Officio, Finance Committee

Those absent:

Rick Rafter, Ex-Officio, Deacon
Louisa Fisher, Vice President
Lisa Ganser

Meeting opened at 7:03 with a prayer – Hail Mary - followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Disposition of Minutes:

Minutes from May were discussed for corrections or additions. Ron made a motion to approve the minutes and Lisa seconded the motion. (Contact information for Parish Council members was evaluated.)

Unfinished Business:

- 1) **7 Sisters Program** – Tabled for now
- 2) **Special Projects Update (Parking Lot)** – Step one of completing the parking lot has taken place – it needs rain and heat to make it more even and compact. Windows in the chapel need working on. Air conditioning for the church and the office is very old. The doors on the religious education building need to be fixed. The suggestion was made that when things need to be fixed, they are listed in the bulletin so people will be aware.
- 3) **Parish Council Members Installation** – Installation of Nelly and Robin for a three year term – Louisa was not here. We voted on offices. The president will remain Robin Smith, Louisa Fisher will remain vice president and Susan Doyle will remain the secretary.

Reports:

Ministries Updates:

Prayer – Ron Proveaux – no report

Service – Mary Jane – There are new officers for CCW. Paula Minor is the new president. Celeste wants to do Boxes of Joy this year. Fr. says that parish events must take precedent over ministry events. Also, if ministries want to do something, they need to write out an action plan with specifics.

Formation – Lisa Ganser – absent – Vacation Bible School was great.

Hospitality – Aaron Gilstrap – no report

Committees:

Finance – Barbara Rafferty – She has no report this time but will next time because we will be done for the year. Special projects account has a balance of \$4,500.00.

Building – Gerry Klock – absent: no report

Discipleship – Connie Cordeira – absent: no report

New Business:

1) Painting of the Religious Education Building – This is going to be placed on hold because we are not ready to begin this project at this time and some repairs need to be done before we proceed. Aaron said there is a hole in the wall that needs to be repaired first. He has been working on the taping of the corners which must be done before they are painted.

3) Annual Chicken Dinner – Attendance is down at mass. The thought is that Covid may still be making people leery about attending mass and events, so we are postponing the chicken dinner.

4) Oyster Roast – This is handled by the Parish Life ministry – headed by Janice Howard. This will take place around the middle of November – November 12th was discussed as a possibility.

Calendar of Events:

July 1st – New Parish Council officers take office

July 5th – 8th or 11th – 15th – Painting of Religious Education building – has been canceled at this time

July 9th – (10:00) Saturday after July 4th will have a memorial mass for husband and wife.

October 7th & 8th – Chicken Dinner has been canceled at this time – there has not been much involvement in parish activities – it is believed to be connected to concerns over Covid still.

November 12th – Oyster Roast

Fr. Martino:

1) Chalice – A chalice will be given out to a family each week to take home and pray for vocations. This will take place after each of the masses starting at the beginning of the new school year. The family will put this in a place of honor in their home and pray for vocations and our priest. Fr. will order these from Poland.

2) Charline will speak to Pattie about ordering the new albs.

3) Pray for the family that wants their twin girls to be baptized. They have been hesitant to do the baptism at mass on Sunday because of a previous bad experience at another parish.

4) Pray for Fr. Dan Furmin was taken to ER on Saturday. He had a ruptured appendix. He will be there for 5 – 7 days. Janice Kosek fell and is in hospice.

Closing Prayer – by Fr. Martino – and Glory Be . . . said by all.

Meeting Closed at 7:46

Next Meeting August 8, 2022

Minutes Submitted by Susan Doyle