

Parish Pastoral Council

Thursday October 10, 2019

PRESENT: Fr. Tom Fangman, John Beacom, Kerry Benes, Charles Olson, Stacy Arndt, Kathy Moritz, Kay Doyle

ABSENT: Mike Rasmussen, Vitus Schmidt

GUESTS: Mark Niedzweicki, school advisory board
Vicki Payton, director of operations
Mary Hawkins, RF Committee

Fr. Tom Fangman opened with prayer at 7:02pm.

PASTOR REMARKS: Fr. Tom is very excited about how the vision committee groups are coming together. The "State of the School" last spring was successful, looking forward to the "State of the Parish" this fall.

Will be hosting a dinner for parishioners who commit at least \$5000 to the parish per year on Nov 14th. The "Love Serve Give" campaign has had a successful start.

The vision committee met this morning. The groups are making progress towards their goals. Nov 3rd will be an all vision committee meeting. PPC is invited to this meeting. More to follow.

STATE OF THE PARISH: PPC member will present the new mission statement and the new branding at this time.

PARISH BRANDING: new logo and 'brand' shared with the PPC. The goal is to introduce it to the parish at the State of the Parish meetings in November.

FINANCIALS: Finance Committee is meeting November 7th. Through 8/31/19 Sunday offertory is \$132,000 ahead of budget, \$120,000 of which came in at the end of the 2018 fiscal year plea. The parking lot bill came in over budget, most everything else is in line with the budget so far this fiscal year.

NEW MINISTRIES: discussion had regarding the process for beginning a new group/ministry, etc. at St. Patrick's. An example of the "Annual Committee Report" will be emailed to PPC members for review. Going forward, all groups in the parish will be asked to review and submit an annual report.

BULLETIN ENTRIES: discussion had regarding the process for bulletin entries. PPC may review any bulletin entries that fall outside the categories of St. Patrick's parish or school advertisements, events, and liturgical schedules. In lieu of a written policy at this time, PPC will make the final determination regarding approval of all bulletin submissions that are outside the above mentioned categories if and until a written policy is in place.

CHURCH PLANNING: plans continue and survey results will be shared with the PPC. The master plan continues to be developed for the long term.

SCHOOL BOARD: new members were introduced at the last meeting.

RF COMMITTEE: still looking for more catechists and discipleship mentors. Looking to engage families in volunteer opportunities. First Communion quilts are in process, volunteers are still needed. Catechist meeting at St. Roberts upcoming.

LITURGICAL COMMITTEE: Vicki will discuss with Anna the potential for a committee to support and advise her in regards to liturgies. If Anna would find this beneficial, PPC will move forward with recommending names for the committee.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Kay Doyle motions to approve the minutes from September 2019, John Beacom seconds this motion. Minutes approved and will be posted.

MEETING ADJOURNED: Fr. Tom Fangman closed with prayer at 9:40pm