

Parish Pastoral Council  
August 19, 2021

<b>Attendees:</b>			
Present	Name	Present	Name
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Father Tom Fangman	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Kay Doyle
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mike Rasmussen	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Vitus Schmidt
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Charles Olson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brett Sims
<input type="checkbox"/>	John Beacom	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Michelle Kieny
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Deb Gustafson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Nicole Vossen

Guests: FF Committee: Erin Keller & Adam Stephenson  
School Advisory Board: Meg Schwartz  
Finance Committee: Vicki Payton  
Brian Krejci

**Opening:**

Fr. Opened with ["Build My Life" by Housefires featuring Pat Barrett](#) (link and page 2)  
And reading of Esther 4:4-16 (See page 3)  
And Quote from Pope Francis in 2013: (See page 3)

**Review of minutes from the previous meeting:**

PPC Notes from May Approved.

**Committee/Staff Updates**

FF Committee (Erin Keller & Adam Stephenson):

Encounter School of Ministry: 2 yr program - 10 parishioners from St. Pat's participating  
Mentorship Program: 2 yr program – 2 parishioners from St. Pat's participating  
Marriage Mentors: New program for new marriage couples.  
Alpha/RCIA: Focus first on Love of Jesus

School Advisory Board (Meg Schwartz): In process of selecting officers for upcoming year.

Finance Committee (Vicki Payton): Preliminary financials are looking good.

**Items for discussion and planning**

Covid Updates:

School Update: Based on consultation with medical professionals and the health & well-being of the students & staff, decision has been made that mask will be required for the time being. Will be reviewed every 2 weeks. Some families have pulled their families out of the school due to the decision.

Parish Staff Updates: Hired accounting & finance mgr. Looking for data entry position to fill. Also looking for Advancement Director and Engagement & Events Director.

Knights of Columbus: Cornhole Tournament coming up – Want to make Knight more visible in the Parish.

Tour of St. Wenceslaus: Recommend that Building Committee visit to look at the opportunities that might fit our needs.

**Closing**

Meeting adjourned with prayer by Father Tom Fangman



# One family living our Catholic faith, inviting all to know the love of Christ.



## Build My Life

Worthy of every song we could ever sing  
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe  
We live for you

Jesus, the name above every other name  
Jesus, the only one who could save  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe  
We live for you  
Oh, we live for you, Holy

Holy, there is no one like you  
There is none besides you  
Open up my eyes in wonder  
And show me who you are and fill me  
With your heart and lead me  
In your love to those around me

Worthy, worthy of every song we could ever sing  
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe  
We live for you  
Oh, we live for you, Jesus

Jesus, the name above every other name  
Jesus, the only one who could save  
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe  
We live for you  
Oh, we live for you

And Holy, there is no one like you  
There is none beside you  
Open up my eyes in wonder  
And show me who you are and fill me  
With your heart and lead me  
In your love to those around me (Holy)

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There is none beside you  
Open up my eyes in wonder  
And show me who you are and fill me  
With your heart and lead me  
In your love to those around me

Take me in your arms  
Leave me in your love

And I will build my life upon your love, it is a firm foundation  
And I will put my trust in you alone  
And I will not be shaken  
And I will build my life upon your love, it is a firm foundation  
And I will put my trust in you alone  
And I will not be shaken (Holy)  
Holy, there is no one like you

There is none beside you  
Open up my eyes in wonder  
And show me who you are and fill me  
With your heart and lead me  
In your love to those around me

Holy, there is no one like you  
There is none beside you  
Open up my eyes in wonder  
And show me who you are and fill me  
With your heart and lead me  
In your love to those around me (I will build my life)

And I will build my life upon your love, it is a firm foundation  
And I will put my trust in you alone  
And I, I will not be shaken

All my life for you  
All my days  
You can have it all  
You can have it all  
You can have it all

And I will build my life upon your love, it is a firm foundation  
And I will put my trust in you alone  
And I will not be shaken (build my life upon)  
And I will build my life upon your love, it is a firm foundation  
And I will put my trust in you alone  
And I will not be shaken

I will not be shaken  
I will not be shaken

God is working  
in the waiting





"Even if you now remain silent, relief from deliverance will come to the Jews from another source; but you who know your father's house will perish. Who knows - perhaps it was for a time like this that you became queen?"

Esther sent back to Mordecai the response:

"Go and assemble all the Jews who are in Susa; fast on my behalf, all of you not eating or drinking night or day for three days. I and my maids will go fast in the same way. Thus prepared, I will go to the king, contrary to the law. If I perish, I perish!"

Esther 4:14-16

This "is a grace that we priests must implore: the grace of pastoral fatherhood, of spiritual fatherhood."

"Indeed, although we can all have sins, even many sins. But not have spiritual sons and daughters, not becoming pastors, is equivalent to an incomplete life, that stops half way."

"And therefore we have to be fathers, but it is a grace that the Lord gives."

The Roman Pontiff reflected on Abraham's sacrifice, in which he slaughtered and divided several animals, which birds tried to devour - but he "drove them away," according to the reading.

"I find it really moving to see this 90 year old man, stick in hand, defending the sacrifice...it makes me think of a father defending his family, his children." - Pope Francis, 2013



#### Faith Formation Office Updates

- Encounter School of Ministry
- Mentorship Program
- Marriage Mentors
- Alpha/RCIA