

**REPORT – PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY JULY 10, 2018 – 7:00 PM**

In Attendance: Billy Austin, Chery Lutz, Ricardo Palacios, Angie Reynolds and Dan Wierzbowski – Members; Susan Bonner – President; and Father Charlie Garza – Pastor

Opening Prayer –The Team said the **Building to Heal** prayer together.

Minutes adopted from June 19 meeting as written.

Reports

- Building – Construction update
 - Final completion date for build factoring in delays is now Jan. 17, 2019
 - First availability for use of new facility is Feb. 1, 2019
 - Electrical primer and secondary are in progress

- Alan Ames Follow up/Reviews
 - Emotional evening for attendees and “catchers”
 - Sometimes difficult to hear and understand Mr. Ames
 - Noise in the narthex distracting while Alan speaking
 - Would like have heard more of his story and conversion
 - More training needed for catchers in the future especially for specific scenarios (Mothers holding babies)
 - Consider alternatives for participants approaching/lining up for healing to avoid over-crowding and ease/safety for catchers
 - Leave front 2 pews empty to allow for more space up front
 - Consider providing color shirts for Ushers/Catchers to identify their roles

- ACTS Fundraising Weekend – Nov. 17/18 vs Dec weekend
 - PC agreed with Nov. 17/18 weekend for all ministries fund raising weekend
 - Susan will add to Ministry Mentor Newsletter to give Ministry Leaders (ML) pre-notice

- LifeTouch – Parish Photo Directory – PC/Welcome committee for sign-ups:
 - Pastoral Council (PC) and Welcome Ministry (WM) are being asked to manage photo appointment sign-ups after all Masses the weekends of Oct. 13/14, 20/21, Nov. 3/4 and 10/11. Susan to reach out to Cindy Falbo
 - Partner one PC and WM member for each Mass Date of those weekends
 - This will be an opportunity for both the PC and WM to introduce themselves and have more face time with Parishioners
 - Susan will talk to Cindy Falbo and obtain email addresses for Chery
 - Chery will create a Sign-up Genius and email to the group
 - Consider including a table at the Fall Festival for sign-ups if Volunteer available (Chery will discuss with Charla Miller)
 - Photo appointments will take place Nov. 13–17 from 8 AM – 9 PM
 - The PC will also help with check-in for the Photo taking sessions primarily during the evening hours of 6pm – 9pm

- PC review of Billy's draft - ML questionnaire
 - The Council reviewed draft of abbreviated questionnaire
 - We agreed to keeping it to a maximum of 5 questions and conduct interviews with ML's either in person or by phone prior to the Sept. 29 QML meeting
 - Susan will send an email to ML's this weekend with pre-notice of the interviews
 - Billy will send draft out again to the PC and ask for edits/comments
 - PC will report out on interview progress at our August Council meeting

- The Mass – discuss instrumental music prior to Mass, and Mass opening greeting and closing announcements.

NOTE: Tabled for next PC meeting

Old Business

- Hispanic/English Community Event – Chery, Susan, Angie
 - Seminarian Antonio Aviles reception moved to weekend of Aug.25/26 after Masses
 - Details and assistance need to be finalize

- Ministry Mentor – July
 - Susan will provide access to Mail Chimp for Dan
 - Targeting end of July for release of Newsletter

New Business

- “Forming Intentional Disciples” - by Sherry Weddell
 - PC reviewed and discussed Chapter 1 and the Workbook questions
 - Read and complete workbook questions for Chapter 2 by August meeting

- Teen ACTS Retreat
 - Will require some specific fundraising and recruitment activities by Fr. Charlie

Announcements

- The next Pastoral Council meeting is August 14 with a delayed start time of 7:30 PM
- PC to mark their calendars for Dec. 7-8 for “Equipping Event” led by Bart Schuchts
 - Dec. 7 – 5:30 PM to 9PM
 - Dec. 8 – Mass at 8 AM, Session time following Mass: 9AM – 4PM
 - Hoping to strongly incentivize ML's to attend
 - Early registration will open in August

Closing Prayer – Led by Susan Bonner
 Meeting Concluded at 9:55 PM
 Respectfully submitted – Chery Lutz