

**CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION
PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
Meeting Minutes**

Date: June 2, 2014	Time: 7pm	Location: Emmaus Hall
Members Present: Bridget Callard, John Callard, Sr. Joan Cawley, Anthony DiBernardo, Jean Greco, Linda Keefe, Lauren Michelsen, Charlie Roberts New Members: Eileen Johnson, Paul Procaccini		
Members Excused: Chuck Moynihan, George Keefe		
Members Absent: Joe & Diana Daggar		
Guests:		
Recording Secretary: Sr. Joan Cawley		
Next Meeting: September 8, 2014 (?)		

Action items appear in **RED** font.

OPENING PRAYER – Jean Greco

MINUTES REVIEW/ REVISIONS/ ACCEPTANCE – Minutes accepted

PASTORAL ADMINISTRATOR’S REMARKS –

- CMA Goal has been met – 101.17%
- Leadership Development Training sessions with COTA end Saturday, June 7th
- Last 4/5 weeks have been very helpful as we formulated goals to move forward for when the transition is underway
- Linda Keefe received no questions re: the common bulletin cover for COTA & COR on May 11 about the upcoming transition
- Bloc meeting reviewed the draft of the proposed Sacramental Guidelines; group desired more recognition of lay ministry in the Guidelines
- A training session for the new marriage prep program, **Fully Engaged**, is June 3, 1-3pm

LIAISON REPORTS

Development – Charlie Roberts

- Energies are on the June 13 dinner cruise on the Colonial Belle
- Future endeavors are the Golf Outing in Sept. and the fall raffle

Finance – Anthony DiBernardo

- Financial records are now up-to-date
- In process of acquiring an AED; training will be needed
- Need to invest some of parish savings in diocesan Communis Fund
- Budget for 2014-2015 is in process

Liturgy – Linda Keefe

- Lent & Holy Week liturgies went well
- Suggestions for ideas for banners for the driveway are welcomed
- Committee will be concentrating on an educational piece to better inform members

Stewardship – John Callard & Paul Procaccini

- Producing “Wanted” posters to recognize the service of volunteers
- Stewardship Campaign will emphasize treasure this fall & will produce a time line
- Supporting future Capital Campaign to ensure its success

Social Justice – Jean Greco

- Discussion occurred as to the role of the SJC as they move forward. A sense of social justice should permeate the parish and its committees. Committee should be grounded in prayer and scripture.
- Both outreach and advocacy should flow from the group.
- It was suggested that the works of outreach ministries already in place at Resurrection be heard from periodically.
- It was decided that Child Poverty will continue to be a focus for the group, since that issue has been a focus locally and nationally. The Lenten project was a success because it involved the whole parish. More education is needed within the group before presenting a plan of action to the parish.
- Sheila Katz will be the committee leader for a year with Bob Hinds as backup

Youth – Lauren Michelsen

- Graduates’ Mass & Brunch held Sunday, June 1
- Reach Meeting, June 22, 6-8pm
- Reach Mission Trip: July 12-20
- Garage Sale fund raiser at rectory, June 20-21
- Camp fire get-togethers planned for mid-August

NEW BUSINESS:

- Parish Picnic feedback: Some committees were not in favor of a Sea Breeze day as it would divide the community; picnic also divides community as not too many young families attend
- Development has offered to help with Sea Breeze Day and so it will be tried this year to see how things go
- Sister Joan thanked Charlie Roberts for his time on Council and his work as Chair for the past two years
- **Selection of Officers:** Chair-Anthony DiBernardo; Vice-Chair-John Callard; Corresponding Secretary-Jean Greco; Recording Secretary - open

AGENDA BUILDING FOR NEXT MEETING –

- Date for next meeting TBD; Sister will check with Father Ed about his schedule
- Parish Budget
- Outreach letter – Still needed? Wrapped in with Stewardship Campaign?

CLOSING PRAYER – Jean Greco

The evening ended with a social.

