

SFDC Parish Council Minutes 03-06-2018

Location:	De Chantal Hall	Leader:	John Mullane
Date:	03/06/2018	Note Taker:	Sean Mota
Time:	7pm – 8:00pm	Call In #:	
Attendees:	<p>Bernadette O’Hara, Candida Rosa, Kathy Kolpak, Christi Chiapetti, Fr. Dennis Iddamalgoda, Donna McVey, Edward, McCauley , Eileen Albin, Heriberto Diaz, Isabel Soto, Jack McCarrick, Jim Corbett, Msgr. John Graham, Joy Costan-Vanadio (Excused), Leo Gonzalez, Liz Castagna, Liz Donnelly, Marge Wiehler (Excused), Margie Disilvio, Margie O’Brien, Maria Brogli, Marianne Hughes, Maryanne Keeney, Monique Moussot, Nancy Carfora, Patricia Brito, Peggy McKeegan, Peter Moussot, Reynaldo Ramirez, Rosemary Lillis, Sandra Maldona (Excused), Rebecca Mota, Fr. Stephen Asomah, Theresa Chirinos.</p> <p>Absent: Chris Falciano, Elizabeth Olivo, Judi Desouter, Margaret McCormack, Donna Racsok, Nick Blasone</p>		

AGENDA ITEMS	Presenter
1. Opening Prayer/ Pledge of Allegiance	All
2. Minutes Approval	Sean Mota
3. Pastor Reports	Msgr. Graham
4. Liturgy Report	Margie Disilvio
5. The Archdiocesan Capital Campaign	Msgr. Graham
6. Stations of the Cross	Sean Mota
7. St. Patrick/St. Joseph Dinner/Dance	Holy Name Society
8. St. Patrick’s Day Mass	
9. Area Mission	Monique Moussot

Notes (Minutes)

- **Opening Prayer:** All
- **Pledge of Allegiance:** All
- **Minutes Approval**
- **Pastors Reports:**
 1. Area Mission for April 16, 17, 18 is moving forward with the cooperation of 5 area parishes and about 25 volunteers. The Area Mission will be in English in the Upper Church and in Spanish in the Lower Church. The preachers are Father Luke, CFR in English and; Fr. Agostino, CFR in Spanish.
 2. Thank you to the Spanish Community for the donation to the parish of nearly \$1500 from the recent St. Valentine’s day Dinner/Dance. A Summer dinner/dance is being planned for the end of August.
 3. The elementary school Alumni Committee has met; a welcome back Mass planned for Sunday, April 22, at 11:30am. Followed by a simple reception.
 4. The Ladies Day of Recollection was well received last week. 52 ladies went on retreat, a donation of \$550 was given to the Sisters of Life and about \$400 was donated to the parish.
 5. The St. Patrick/St. Joseph Dinner/Dance is scheduled for this Friday. Tickets are still available. We have received donations from McQuade and Sisto Funeral Homes as well as the Marina del Rey. Gifts are being brought to the rectory for the baskets. We are still asking for Irish Soda Bread and Italian biscotti.
 6. The School is sponsoring a St. Patrick/St. Joseph Irish Breakfast with an Italian twist on Saturday, March 17 following the 9am Mass. Tickets are \$10 each for adults or children. Entertainment provided by our children.
 7. The carnival is scheduled for August 8 through August 13. Notice regarding the parking lot is being put into the bulletin.
 8. There was some interest last year in having something in the lower Church sponsored by the parish in case of inclement weather.
 9. Holy Week schedule is printed in the bulletin including bi-lingual Solemn Stations on Friday, March 23 at 7pm. Two lectures by Mrs. Falciano were well received and we are trying to re-schedule the 3rd lecture.

10. First Penance for our children on Saturday, March 10.

11. The Capital Campaign is moving along with the preliminary preparations. If needed maintenance projects are to be done, the parish will need to respond generously to the campaign.

- **Liturgy Report:**

Survey was conducted in all masses. There were 100 survey that were answered. 53 surveys were from age 70 to 80. There were suggestions like homily were not understood, choir too loud, missal too heavy, Holy Hours with Franciscan Friars or Sisters of Life. Also, it was suggested to put the survey on the parish website.

- **The Archdiocesan Capital Campaign:**

A representative of the Archdiocesan Capital Campaign, Ms. Samatha Nobilie, presented information about the forthcoming Campaign --- our goal, our including of the annual Cardinal's Stewardship Appeal in the goal and the procedures to ask the generosity of parishioner pacesetters. Letters will be sent to the pacesetters inviting them to a gathering where information will be presented. 74% of the monies raised in the goal will be for the parish projects and 26% will be directed to Archdiocesan needs such as the restoration of St. Patrick's Cathedral, assistance to needy parishes, funding for retired priests and religious, etc. There was discussion about the Campaign, about transparency, about past fund-raising campaigns and accountability and about donations to the Archdiocese. The discussion was lively and frank with many points of view expressed.

- **St. Patrick/Joseph Dinner Dance March 9th:**

There are 120 tickets sold so far. We are having the same entertainment as last year. The school is sponsoring an Iris Breakfast following the March 17, 2018 at 9am Mass.

- **Area Mission/Evangelization/Spirituality:**

We have about 30 volunteers from all parishes. The mission will be in English and Spanish. WE are having two motivators speakers, there are different sub-committees working on Hospitality, Music, Witnessing, decoration, preparation of refreshments, etc.

- **New Business:**

St. Patrick/Joseph concert on 3/18 at 3pm
Young Teen Group sponsoring the Easter Egg Hunt.
SFDC School Card Party 5/18/2018

Next meeting is Tuesday, May 1, 2018 at 7pm in the de Chantal Room.

Closing Prayer