

St. Frances de Chantal Parish Council Meeting Minutes  
December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020

[Updated 2/1/2021 by Sean Mota – Added John and Sarah attended Via Zoom ]

**Opening:**

The regular meeting of the St. Frances de Chantal Parish Council was called to order at 7 pm Dec. 1st, 2020 by Jim Corbett.

**Attendance:**

<u>Present in St. Frances de Chantal</u>		<u>Attended via ZOOM</u>
Christi Costa	Margie DiSilvio	Joy Costan Vandio
Fr. Ricardo Garcia	Margie O'Brien	Rosemary Lillis
Fr. Robert Mensah	Marianne Hughes	Marge Wiehler
Deacon Don Vazquez	Monique Moussot	Sr. Patricia Brito
	Monsignor John Graham	Johnathan Trosa
Jack McCarrick		Sarah Trosa
Jim Corbett	Peter Moussot	<b><u>Excused</u></b>
John Connolly	Sean Mota	Nancy Carfora
Liz Castagna		Bernadette O'Hara
Liz Donnelly		Heribito Diaz
Joy Vanadio		

**Opening Prayer / Pledge of Allegiance**

**Approval of Minutes from October / Pastor's Report**

- The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.
- **Pastor's Report** Msgr. John Graham ... report was reviewed, and one items discussed:
- **#5** Christmas Eve Mass Schedule ... Option 1 of the coupons was the most popular. Christmas Eve 4pm English, 7:30pm Spanish. Christmas Day 8:30 am. An addition 11:30am mass will be considered in order to ease crowding at the other masses due to Covid regulations.
- Their was also discussion of announcing at masses the covid rules to refamiliarize parishioners of the requirements.
- **School:** -SisterPatricia
  - Thanksgiving food drive was a success.
  - School has been very successful, both in class and remote classes.
  - Limited in bringing the children to mass due to covid.
  - Christmas break is coming up.
- **CDD** - Christi Costa
  - There will be only 2 classes in December

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- Dec 16<sup>th</sup> will be the last class. Normally it would be a mass but, due to covid it will be a class.
- There will be no need to close down due to Covid.
- Everything has been progressing well

- **Holy Name Society** – Jack McCarrick

- Planning a Blood Drive for Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>. Registration and safety precautions will be in effect.
- Dec 20<sup>th</sup> will be their next meeting with Christmas carols all are welcome yo attend.

- **Nocturnal Adoration** – Jack McCarrick covering for Bernie O’Harra

- New prayer Books were purchased for Nocturnal Adoration.
- There will be a new schedule for Nocturnal. Mass followed by one hour in English, followed by one hour in Spanish.

- **Social Activities Committee** - Maria Brogli - No news.

- **Spirituality / Liturgy** – Margie DiSilvio

- Nothing will be taking place until the beginning of the year
- They are working on a survey to give to parishioners at the beginning of the year.

- **Evangelization** - Monique Moussot

- No plans for any events this year. They will re-evaluate in the new year due to Covid.

**Next Meeting** – February 2<sup>nd</sup>. There will be no January meeting

### **Closing Prayer / Adjournment**

- Meeting was adjourned at 8pm by Jim Corbett.
- The next general meeting will be at 7pm on Feb 2nd in the church