

Meeting Summary

Date of Meeting: July 11, 2018

Meeting: SLDM Parish Council Meeting

Scribe: Jennifer King

Attendees: Fr. Pat Click, Fr. Travis, Jerry McConnell, Jennifer King, John Petrie, Alan Lessard, Gene Kroeff, Patrick Clark, Chad Melloh, Jamie Anderson, Chris Harper

Absent: Steve Schwegman, Louie Jorczak, Mark Mader

ACTION ITEMS:

1) OPENING PRAYER: Father Pat read upcoming Sunday's gospel. Council indicated what word or phrase resonated with them.

2) UPDATE ON MINISTRY VIDEOS: Steve was not present so Jerry reviewed in his absence. Children's RE is 75% complete and awaiting photos. Choir is 75% complete and going to add a video from actual mass. Fall Festival is 25% complete. PTO is planning to do video in September. Marriage prep is also planning for near future. Need to continue to solicit ministries to plan and execute videos.

3) PARISH SURVEY: Survey was reviewed by a few of the council members. Postcards are going to be mailed to parishioners to alert of survey and process. Priests will be doing video to promote parishioner response to survey. There will be two ways to complete survey—hard copy and link on website with preferred method online. Survey target rollout is August 18th.

4) PARISH PICNIC: Father Pat is scheduled for 5 pm parish picnic mass. Vivian will be working with John to plan and secure all necessary altar supplies. KFC is set to grill. Insert in bulletins has begun advertising picnic and indicating "pitch-in" contributions needed by last name. John will get with Terry confirming musician participation. Request all PC members be at park by 4 pm to help set up.

5) APPLICATIONS FOR MINISTRIES: Reviewed applications for new ministries:

a) Seven Sisters Apostolate: Ministry involves members assigned to day of week to pray for our parish priests. Kerin Buntin is ministry leader. Jerry has sent out copy of application to PC members.

b) Legion of Mary: PC heard presentation of ministry back in December. We need clarity on leadership plan/ budget/ particulars of ministry. Ministry could be helpful in visiting and/or taking communion to homebound and sick. Jerry has sent out copy of information to PC members.

PC members are requested to review information Jerry sent out regarding ministries and be prepared to vote on ministry application at next meeting. Jerry will followup with Legion of Mary applicators to understand details of ministry more thoroughly.

Nursing ministry has started and was responsible for presentation on opioid addiction. Presentation got terrific exposure in recent Catholic Moment.

6) OPEN FORUM:

- a) Steve Seitz will become permanent deacon on September 15th.
- b) Fruitful Harvest is coming up. Kevin Shetty is chairman. Diocese launch meeting is in August.
- c) Annie Harton has started in position of faith formation.
- d) Gym floor is currently being redone, parking lot has been redone, dead trees are being removed all in summer work project.
- e) Jamie asked about having a section in parish bulletin about school. Jamie will talk to Principal about having consistent section regarding school news and updates.
- f) Parish app is still on the docket for rollout. Jerry/Gene are to followup with Jeff about it as there is reference to it on upcoming parish survey.
- g) Ministry videos are not on website. They need to be on website. Father Pat and /or Father Travis will followup with Amanda about this. Jerry is to talk to Steve and Jeff about this.

7) CLOSING PRAYER: Father Travis led council in closing prayer.

Next Meeting August 8th 7pm