

SLDM Parish Council Meeting Minutes

Date: August 12, 2020, 7:00pm (Ministry Center)

Scribe: Louie Jorczak

Attendees: Father Pat, Louie Jorczak, Chad Greene, Patrick Carter, Bryan John, Gene Dustman, Jeff Oelker, Ange Bailey, Emily Colemanar, Jamie Anderson, Jeff Grasser, Scot Boutcher, and Mark Mader.

Absent: Alan Lessard, Father Travis.

Agenda Items:

1. Opening Prayer:

- Father Pat led the Council in opening prayer.

2. Fall Welcome Event “SLDM Homecoming”

- Discussion was held about the planned SLDM Homecoming event. This is still planned for August 30, 2020 after the 11:30 a.m. mass and will go until 3:00 p.m. Food trucks will be available until 2:30 p.m. Fathers Haan and Aaron will have a place set up under shade to greet parishioners.
- There will be a formation tent where the young adult, youth, and adult ministries can meet and greet as well.
- Parish Council needed to help set up and clean up.
- No more than 250 people allowed pursuant to government regulations. People will wear masks, social distance, and hand sanitizer will be made available.
- Angela Exner is the point person, and Parish Council and the staff will assist where necessary.

3. Proposed Updated Evening Mass Schedule.

- Certain weeknight masses have been eliminated, and there will be no confession on Wednesdays. Further details about these changes, and others, will be finalized and implemented.

4. Open Forum

- COVID-19 is an ongoing concern and clean-up and sanitation after mass is quite an undertaking. With school opening up this puts more pressure on the facilities team. The Council discussed how getting groups to volunteer to assist with clean-up and sanitation would alleviate that burden on the facilities team.
- School is reopening and plans are in place to deal with COVID-19.
- All members present shared their favorite stories about Father Pat and thanked him for his many years of dedicated service to God and His people.

5. Closing Prayer – Father Pat led the closing prayer.

Next Meeting: The meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 8th @ 7:00pm – Ministry Center - All Saints Room.