

Pastoral Council Minutes

April 17, 2018

Attendance: Mark Migaleddi, Jan Kuhs, Fr. Jay, Kendie Hudson, Kevin Wein, Sterling Rapposelli, Gladys Collado, Sharon Rapposelli, Taylor Rapposelli, Dara Montgomery, Martha Holmes, Matt Raymond, Sharon Hodges, Wayne Lorandean

Excused: Terri Yackley, Robinson Collado, Deacon Luke, Bobby Rando

Opening Prayer

- Father Jay said the opening prayer at 6:35 pm.

Approval of Minutes

- February's minutes were approved.

New Business:

- Vision Committee
 - Nothing to report. Meeting was cancelled.
- Elections 2018/2019
 - Bobby Rando, Matt Raymond, Wayne Lorandean, Kevin Wein, and Robinson Collado are appointed for the following year.
 - Kendra Hudson was re-elected for one more year. Gladys Collado, Martha Holmes, Beth Tapera, and Taylor Rapposelli were re-elected for two more years. Dara Montgomery and Sterling Rapposelli were re-appointed to another term.
 - Re-elections are to be noted in the announcements about how the returning pastoral council will return.
- Survey Discussion
 - On a high level, the survey was a success.
 - The survey had an increase of participation about 25%. Around 179 parishioners of 701 registered Parishioners responded to the survey.
 - Overall, there is very little movement from where the church was to where it is now.
 - Unlike what the pastoral council thought, the age range demonstrated that the parish is getting younger. Therefore, it makes sense to have a push for more youth activities.
 - Where does this leave us now? – Plan of action for milestones to accomplish the objective. Who is going to handle each part? Each of the committees will decide how to conquer their particular goal.
 - There were also no school questions because they had enough feedback from their own survey.
- 60th Anniversary – School and Church (October 14, 2018 from 12pm and 5pm) – Alumni, parents, and school families.

Committee Updates/Reports:

- School Report
 - GSCS – reported by Sharon Hodges
 - Upcoming or Current Profit for the School
 - Gala – Gross \$37,600 for Saturday night
 - Over \$5000 was targeted towards scholarships.
 - Fun Activities at the School in February and March
 - Pilgrimage
 - Stations of the Cross – very inspiring
 - Commercials were created for the health department in Cecil County Public Schools.
 - Gala was held on April 14, 2018.
 - Upcoming Fun Activities for the School in April

- Spelling Bee and Buggy Jr.
 - Sustainability of the School
 - In need of a 5th grade teacher, Mrs. Stacey Veers was hired from New Jersey. She just moved here. This is her first full-time job, but she has had many long-term substitution positions.
 - Up and coming tuition plan was sent out with the families. The all in payment plan will be issued to new families..
 - Registration as of today is 44 for next year.
 - Renaissance Flow will be used instead of TeraNova due to issues in the past year. This type of testing tests students three times per year. It creates a display that will allow students a more accurate representation of their education success. Teachers received training.
 - Dioceses assistance was given to
 - Awarded on May 21st – Boost Scholarship Program
 - 2nd Annual Open House – Next Tuesday
 - Non – something school grants – reimbursement for doors - \$24,440 for a plan for the upcoming 2018-2019 school year
 - The Crusador was made on the school wall – Mark Hedron made it. BEA-UTIFUL!
 - Chromebooks are all in place in the lab. Teachers have received the training on chromebooks. Junior High will buy the chromebooks.
 - Issues for the School
 - TeraNova had a \$10 credit for each test. The testing for last year will be paid.
 - One student left since we last met.
 - Two families leaving for the 2018 – 2019 school year
 - Mrs. Anderson had to leave due to family reasons. She was the computer class.
 - 5k run/walk held in May will probably be postponed.
- Finance
 - \$7577 from the Annual Catholic Appeal
 - Gala reported a magnificent amount of money.
 - Offertory is down still a little bit. Easter was pretty good in the offertory.
 - Ceiling tiles at St. Agnes were paid for.
 - Second run of the new budget will be on April 18, 2018.
 - We will start switching banks from PNC to Harford Bank. Financially, PNC was not apt and helpful.
- Liturgy
 - Holy Week was good.
 - Liturgy meeting is next on May 9th.
- Christian Formation
 - First Holy Communion is coming on May 5th.
- Building and Maintenance
 - Bud McFadden sent a message to the council regarding the new brewing company where the Clark property was. Do we have an issue?
 - No meeting in March. Meeting is next Tuesday, April 24, 2018.
- Hispanic Ministry
 - Nothing to report.
- Social Concerns
 - Nothing to report.
- Respect Life

- Respect Life footnote in the bulletin last week.
- Youth Representation/Committee
 - YLT's last meeting was a few weeks ago. It was the last meeting for the year with pizza.
 - Look for another member to go with Taylor for a shared drive. YLT is once a month on a Sunday. Identify a few other members.

Closing Prayer

- Deacon Luke said the closing prayer at 7:30 pm.