

Sacred Heart Parish Council
Regular Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, May 12, 2020 - 7:00 PM - Zoom

Members Present: Father Mark, Barry Eske, Dave Burgard, Dave Vetch, Angie Walth, Justin Scott, Karen Swank, Thomas Eskro

Members Absent: Dylan Kessler, Dennis Wells

Thomas called the meeting to order. Father Mark led the council in prayer.

Bishop DeGrood has authorized the resumption of public Masses, with appropriate safeguards, beginning Saturday, May 16, 2020. Thomas presented the council with the Plan to Resume Public Masses document. Safety measures will include roping off every other pew, enforcing 6 foot social distancing between different family groups, recommended mask use, teams for seating people at the beginning of mass and wiping down pew after mass, and distribution of communion to the congregation after Mass so that Father Mark and Father Patrick can wear masks during distribution. Discussion was had on the Plan. The Plan will be distributed to the parish and Father Mark will have a letter to accompany it.

Discussion was had on farewell events for Father Mark and Father Patrick and welcome events for Father Dickinson and Father Kapperman. Thomas will check with Father Patrick on scheduling, but the plan will be to have an event for Father Mark on June 28 and Father Patrick on June 21. Barry will make contact with the Altar Society regarding refreshments and planning. Thomas will touch base with Father Dickinson and Father Kapperman on scheduling for welcoming events.

To close the meeting, Father Mark led the council in prayer.

The Council's next scheduled meeting is March 17, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Justin Scott
Secretary