

**St Stephen Parish Pastoral Council Minutes**  
Meeting of October 15, 2020

**Call to Order:** 7:01pm

**Opening Prayer:** Gutierrez

**Roll Call:** Eric Jones, Amy Marvaso, Chris McLennon, Jim Piasecki, Doug Wechter, Audrey Zavodsky, Doris LaBeau, Mickey Smith, David Haener, Mark Schuon, Jason Osborne

**Absent/Excused:** Karen Hubbard, Father John Hedges

**Approval of the Agenda:** Motion: Zavodsky, Second: Schuon, Unanimous

**Approval of the September 17, 2020 Minutes:** Motion: LaBeau; Second: Zavodsky, Unanimous

**Comments from Guests:** AD-Zach Zsolcsak-Resigned effective Oct 31, Basketball starts Nov 1<sup>st</sup>; Recommends getting someone who lives closer to parish as he lives in Wyandotte; recommend a retiree as job can be close to full-time

**Vicariate Report:** None. Have not received any communication from Vicariate

**Pastor's Report:**

**Old Business:**

- 1) Parish Council Bylaws-Motion by Jones to adopt, Second by Smith, Unanimous
- 2) Letter of Affirmation: Motion by Zavodsky to adopt, Second by Schuon;  
Discussion Haener wondering why we'd go with something Church says profession of faith...which goes above and beyond; Wechter: We need to be examples in roles such as parish council, deacon, lector, etc.
  - a. Call for question by Zavodsky, Smith second; Haener opposed
  - b. Motion to sign-all in favor; Haener opposed
  - c. Timing for signatures is by year end
  - d. McLennon will give us our own signed copy at next mtg
- 3) Over 60 Mass (McLennon)-23 RSVP'd for lunch; others RSVP's only to Mass
  - a. 4 chairs per table
  - b. Lunch bags include: chips, wrap, water, apple
  - c. Sat 10:30 Wraps delivered from Tony's - Piasecki, Jones, Zavodsky will put wraps in bags
  - d. Offer coffee and Fraser tea

**New Business:**

- 1) Jones: Trunk of Treat-Oct 30<sup>th</sup>- cars by 5:15pm; pop, popcorn, movie: Incredibles; Hold under pavilion unless rains then inside: Costume are angels, saints and biblical figures; Costume contest: 1st place gets \$50 plus ticket to EImagine theater; if St Stephen student, will get a jeans day

**Commission Reports:**

**A. Education/Faith Formation**

- a. School: Christine Vaughn-No report.
- b. DRE: Gutierrez CCD-71 same as ended last year; 1<sup>st</sup> virtues seniors – field trip to Our Lady-Shrine of Little Flower; 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat Jr virtues; mini-virtues girls went well yesterday

**B. Stewardship**

- a. McLennon: June 30-end of yr fiscal report; revenues down for collection; Christmas collection \$120,000 gift ended in black, \$146,000 went to the school

**C. Worship**

### **Correspondence/Communication**

- A. **Collection report:** Sunday + mail collections---same period 2020 vs 2019 only \$8,000 difference-very close-good; 25% vs 20% last year subsidize the school; with reduction of student; last report in black---2 months in fiscal year; place visitor envelop in pews
- B. **Financial:** all deposits paid, festival bands have deposits; in the end will wash out
- C. **Festival Meeting:** Starts Jan-Jones volunteered to chair in an area if needed

### **Comments from Council Members:**

Audrey Zavodsky: Bible Study going on Pilgrimage to Cary this Sunday-no bus, small group in personal cars; Fr Lewis very complementary about the Bible Study Group

Doug Wechter: None

Mickey Smith: None

Jim Paisecki: \$30 circular table-total of 10 (\$300) available for personal or church if want to purchase

Eric Jones: 1) Exodus men getting concrete done before Thanksgiving—get cash to cover concrete cost; guys will do the work 2) Request addition to next mtg agenda---move school to classical, Check with Mrs. Vaughn to get help from parents, Eric Jones & wife will take action to help

Amy Marvaso: None

Chris McLennon: None

Mark Schuon: None

Doris LaBeau: None

Dave Haener: None

Jason Osborne: None

Closing Prayer: Gutierrez-Election prayer

8:08pm Motion to adjourn by Zavodsky, second by Schuon