

St. Theresa Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

APPROVED

October 3, 2018, at St Theresa Parish

Present: C. Krestan, T. Adams, C. Chacon, S. Gorichanaz, G. Jolliffe, L. Klingler, B. Zell, K. Scherbarth, J. Heckel, J. Plahuta Markham, C. McCormack, I. Radobicky, B. Zell, K. Scherbarth, J. Heckel, J. Plahuta, E. Kupkovits, D. Sterzinger

Excused: I. Radobicky, Fr. Loyola

This meeting was held immediately following a joint parish meeting.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Chair Person Linda Klingler at 7:00 p.m.

Since the minutes were emailed to Council members and approved at that time, the record will show that the September Minutes are approved and posted. Members agreed that this process works

With consideration to C. McCormack because he had to leave the meeting at 7:30, he was asked if there was any report for him to give. He stated there was nothing to report at this time.

Linda moved the meeting along by asking T. Adams about the new linen request that was discussed at last month's meeting. Tammy explained that she was told to check the Stemper Religious Goods website and select what needed to be replaced. She has agreed to take care of this matter.

Linda reminded everyone to make sure they have their Council Name Tags with them when attending Mass and other parish functions.

Although it was not on the agenda, Linda explained that the Feasibility Committee is under the leadership of the Finance Council and therefore, there was no need to compose a letter to the chairperson of the Feasibility Committee. Linda stated we will just have to wait and see what happens. J. Plahuta told us that there is a bulletin announcement that the Finance Committee developed to explain to the parishioners the new building addition update, with more information coming as information is gathered.

There has been some concern regarding the Parish Office desk situation. At this time, the issue is on hold. A discussion followed pertaining to who makes the final decision and what part the Pastoral Council has in this matter. K. Scherbarth wondered if this really something that the Pastoral Council would be handling or is Fr. Loyola the person who will make the decision. Discussion continued and topic was finally tabled due to a lack of answers.

The Fellowship on the Porch which was held on September 22 and 23, was not as well attended as previous gatherings. Some of the reasons suggested were the cooler weather and the beginning of CFM. Especially on Sunday, families were rushing to the school for classes or picking up students after classes. It was determined that since the earlier socials were a success,

they would be started sooner in the late Spring-early Summer. It was also decided that there would not be a September Fellowship on the Porch.

There was concern over the music budget as discussed last month. B. Zell explained that there were some misunderstandings, but everything has been resolved.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

All available minutes were emailed/submitted during the month.

Jerry H. handed out minutes from the Building and Grounds Meeting.

Erin K. reported that Religious Education has begun and going well. There was a guest speaker for CFM. Dr. Meske was well received. Also, on the event calendar for the Middle School students is a Retreat at Holy Hill on Saturday, October 6th.

Linda reported that the meeting for the Synergy Teams will be on October 24, 2018. Neither Kathy Scherbarth nor Melodie Haddon are able to attend. There was discussion regarding an alternate, however, it would not be possible on such short notice.

Pastoral Council Corner bulletin announcements were discussed with Kathy S. asking for suggestions. Several ideas were brought up and Kathy will prepare the article.

The meeting ended with the Our Father, and adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Next Meeting: **Thursday, NOVEMBER 8, 6:30 PM at ST JAMES**

Respectfully submitted by Darlene Sterzinger