

St. Theresa Pastoral Council Minutes

NOVEMBER 6, 2019

St. Theresa School Room

DATE/TIME	LOCATION
November 6, 2019	St Theresa School Room
<b>ATTENDANCE ( indicate excused members if any)</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● present: Erin Kupkovits, Peter Gottgetreu, Tammy Adams, Jerry Heckel, Ben Holzem, Gail Jolliffe, Kathy Sherbarth, Darlene Sterzinger, Newel Thomas (PLT)</li> <li>● excused: Claudette Krestan, Cole McCormack, Craig Markham, Fr. Loyola</li> </ul>	
TOPIC	Notes/Discussion
Meeting began at 6:35 with prayer led by Erin	
Approval of October minutes	Approved with necessary spelling and name corrections via email
<b>Review of Capital Campaign</b>	Peter G spoke of the announcement made at the 3 Masses on the weekend of November 2nd and 3rd and the response to the request for volunteers. Discussion followed regarding the different aspects and timeline of the campaign. All is progressing as planned.
<b>Review of Turkey Dinner Success</b>	Peter, Jerry H and Newel T all contributed with the information regarding the successful Turkey Dinner. Peter shared that 1,406 dinners were sold and the Net so far, was \$19,849.00 which was down just a little from last year. Discussion followed regarding possible reasons for this, even though the numbers were still very good. It was explained that there could be extra bills that need to be paid and that there are still items for sale which will all change the final numbers.
<b>Stewardship Update</b>	Kathy explained the progress of the Financial portion of the Stewardship Campaign and that a second notice will be sent out soon to remind people who have not yet made a pledge. She stated that the TIME & TALENT portion, which she coined as “Stewardship 2.0”, will be done later. Kathy also spoke of the <b>February 11, 2020</b> Stewardship Assessment that will be held here at St. Theresa with Barb Vite. Tammy and Kathy shared in the discussion of who would be invited to take part in the assessment. The list is being compiled.
<b>Review of the Collaboration Goal for a joint Mass</b>	Erin reported that Shelley Evers, Chairperson from St. James is working with Erin to get a date set. It was determined to try to get a date outside of Lent, possibly right after Easter so no Masses would have to be cancelled at St. T’s as had been discussed earlier. A spirited discussion followed with Ben H making some suggestions for more Family promotion to reach the younger couples and children involved.  Prayer and Worship and CFM should be contacted to share some of the ideas that were suggested.
<b>Review of Children’s Mass in December</b>	This was <b>tabled</b> until both Claudette and Cole would be available for a status report. Suggestion was made that it may be too difficult to plan for December, but <b>definitely</b> move forward with the plan.
<b>December 5th Potluck Joint Meeting</b>	Erin reminded all of us of the next PC meeting to be held jointly with St. J, at St. James. There is an E-vite and Sign-up Genius that was emailed to everyone. We are reminded to check the email and confirm that committee members are on the list so they can come share in the evening.
<b>Question re: Dan Schutte Concert</b>	Question was asked if Peter or anyone else had heard that there was concern by a small amount of people of the legality of charging for the concert. Assurances were shared that all the right contacts were made through the Archdiocese ahead of time and this

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	<p>“concern” is false. Sale of ticket numbers are still coming in, but there is a good number for the retreat/reflection that is offered on Saturday morning.</p>
<p><b>New Business/Information</b></p> <p><b>Salvation Army Band Concert</b></p> <p><b>Sacramental Prayer Cards</b></p> <p><b>Placement of Committee and Pastoral Council Minutes</b></p>	<p>Tammy A reported that for the 1st time the Salvation Army Band Concert will be held in a Catholic Church, and it will be here at St. Theresa’s on Sunday, <b>DECEMBER 15TH</b>. More information will be in the bulletin. Tammy encouraged all of us to support this music ministry. Suggestions to have this information put on our Website and FACEBOOK page.</p> <p>Kathy S spoke of an idea to have those children/youth who are receiving sacraments put on a Prayer Card so we as a parish would keep them in our prayers. Discussion followed which included sharing this at the collaborative Mass in Spring. Details need to be developed. Darlene will mention this to Laurie T and Pam F when she meets with them on another matter.</p> <p>There is a concern regarding the Minutes (especially PC minutes) posted on a board in the back of church. Kathy S has been checking other churches and their websites. Suggestions were made. Possibly just posting the minutes on the website and having a sign stating that contact should be made with the Parish Office to get a copy of current minutes if there is no access to internet.</p>
<b>GO FORWARD MEETING SCHEDULE</b>	<b>Action items for next meeting</b>
<p>Nov 17, 2019</p> <p>SUNDAY @ St. T 11:00 a.m.</p>	CAPITAL CAMPAIGN KICK-OFF CELEBRATION in School
<p>Dec 5, 2019 @ St. T 6:30 p.m. **</p> <p>THURSDAY</p>	Christmas gathering/joint meeting- <b>SIGN UP AT E-VITE &amp; SIGN UP GENIUS (for food)</b>
<p>Jan 8, 2020 @ St. T 6:30 p.m. **</p> <p>WEDNESDAY</p>	** Tentative meeting date-further discussion needed**
<p>Feb 6, 2020 @ St. T 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>THURSDAY</p>	
<p>Mar 4, 2020 @ St. T 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>WEDNESDAY</p>	
<p>Apr 2, 2020 @ St. T 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>THURSDAY</p>	
<p>May 6, 2020 @ St. T 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>WEDNESDAY</p>	Possible discernment-new council members
<p>June 4, 2020 @ St. T 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>THURSDAY</p>	

Respectfully Submitted by Darlene Sterzinger