

Our Lady of Victory/Our Lady of Snow Minutes

April 3, 2018 630 Our Lady of Victory Education Center

Meeting called by Chris Russell (President)
Type of meeting Pastoral Council
Facilitator Chris Russell
Note taker Angela Sheehan (Secretary)

Attendees

Fr. Patterson, David Benjamin, Chris Carroll

Gloria Kieber, Julie Darling, Chris Russell, Angela Sheehan, Peter Ogno, Brian Lewis, Kim Loccisano, Adrienne Villano, Adam Feisthamel, Mary Wootten, Maureen Cox

Excused Chuck Ciaccia, Sara Detmer

Absent: Pat Ivory,

Guests: Mary Eaton

OPENING PRAYER- FATHER PATTERSON

Agenda topic *Mission Statement* | Presenter *Mary Wooten*

Chris Carroll and David Benjamin approved minutes- Correction made to March Minutes to change meeting date to April 6th, Melissa McCann is the new bookkeeper, also add Rucinski

Agenda topic-*Pastor's Report*

Pastoral Council Discernment: April 15 Take nominations and May 15 Do discernment

Discussion held on who we need according to Bylaws

Need twelve members

Chris Carroll to chair committee on discernment

Julie Darling, Adrienne Villano and Angela Sheehan serve on committee

Frustration from last year, people said they wanted to be included but didn't show up when they had the opportunity, Father is available for the discernment,

Reigniting Our Faith-open solicitation this weekend, fill out paper even if already give; 98.7 % to our goal, 120 families have given this much out of 1200 families, 10 % of families gave 98.7 % of goal, Letters to go out to every family for Bishop's Appeal

End of Month for OLS for Reigniting Our Faith and end of May for Bishop's Appeal

Discussion about Pot Luck Supper after Holy Thursday, seems counter intuitive and do Pot Luck at another time, Polish Churches have a Resurrection Dinner, what message are we conveying relative to the Solemnity of the occasion.

Comments on the Adoration- Quiet wasn't there, no solemnity, wasn't strongly promoted in past years, could hold the Pot Luck on Ascension Thursday or Divine Mercy Saturday, 170 people came to the Pot Luck Dinner, Why did we start the Pot Luck in the first place, is celebrating the Eucharist, at OLS a Satar is held, if we change the Pot Luck Dinner day, we will need a lot of education about it. There was a small attendance to the Easter Vigil this year.

There is an issue in the office building, server back up in basement, clay pipes are disintegrating,

Prayers for Dan Cunning, he has pervasive cancer, he is the oldest altar server at the age of 90 years old.

Active Shooter Training is being held open to everyone will be announced at mass

Ear to Ground

Ann Prezio sent Chris Russell report on the ministry of visitation, including a picture of what they gave out for visitation, they visit people 5 times a year.

Meeting adjourned

Closing Prayer Father

Next meeting, May 1, 2018