

QUEEN OF APOSTLES PASTORAL COUNCIL

MEETING MINUTES

Chairperson: Christy Rosenberger
Date/Time: Wednesday, October 19, 2022, 6:30 p.m.

Secretary/ Minutes: Christy Rosenberger (filling in for Stephanie Fong)
Location: Grellinger Hall

Participants: Becky Wagner, Chris Behrndt, Ellen Donley, Debbie Bisswurm, Christy Rosenberger, Fr. Chuck Hanel, Dale Servais, and Tim Dondlinger

Absent: Stephanie Fong, Tom Farley, Cindy Klopp

Guest(s): --

Item	Discussion	Next Steps & Responsible Party
Welcome and Prayer	The meeting began on time with a prayer, led by Becky.	
Picture	Postponed until November meeting.	Picture – Nov. Mtg.
Minutes	The Minutes were approved with a minor correction.	Stephanie – correct and provide to Lisa.
Fr. Chuck / Trustee Update	<p>Fr. Chuck:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Middle of Capital Campaign - In public phase. Mailings being sent to remaining Parish members requesting a pledge. Over 50 Parishes in Phase 2 and QoA is #1 in the total number of pledges (more people have committed). The continuing generosity of QoA parishioners was noted and applauded. Also, all of the campaign Chairs and volunteers were applauded for their diligent work. It was noted that every dollar above 100% of goal is split 80/20 with Archdiocese and Parish and reaching over 125% of goal, Parish keeps every dollar. Catholic Stewardship Appeal – Mary Weinlein will continue to be the Parish representative. At 93.55% of goal. Parish Annual Appeal – starting soon. Working to roll the campaigns out carefully, being sensitive to timing. Nationwide Eucharistic Revival push – instill and understand the importance of the Eucharist. <p>Trustees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nothing to report. 	
Commission Updates	<p>Lifelong Faith Formation (Cindy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Report <p>Human Concerns (Debbie)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No meeting. Bereavement and funeral lunches on hold until January. Prayer Shawl knit layettes for Life's Connection and will display them. 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christian Women reported that the baby shower was a tremendous success. In addition to diapers, wipes, and clothes, there were many handmade items donated and also over \$1,250 given. Three agencies will benefit, with the larger donation to Life's Connection. • Respect Life sculpture – good response. Have through October. • Movie October Baby will be shown. • The Band has not gone out. • Red mailbox in gathering space to submit requests for St. Vincent DePaul gifts to be handed out. • Next meal November 17th. <p>Prayer and Worship (Stephanie / Ellen)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Report • Showed rendering of possible doors for the side chapel being used for Reconciliation. <p>Stewardship (Becky)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Parishioner dinner was wonderful. • Possible comeback of welcome baskets. Looking at commissions donating items. • Delay Stewardship campaign: 1st week in November assemble material; weekend of Nov. 5/6 envelopes in gathering space along with Stewardship prayer and bulletin announcement; Nov. 15 lay witness testimony and explanation of campaigns; Nov. 14th envelopes mailed if not picked up; Nov. 19/20 commitment weekend. • Fish Fry this upcoming Friday, Oct. 21. <p>Finance Council (Tom / Chris)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sent out a large Mission payment and it is reflected in budget. • Donations outside of collections down. • Waiting on electronics for: bathroom door, security system, fire alarm. <p>Strategic Plan/DMI Update (Christy)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning for next installment of School of Discipleship. Looking at Parish activities as well as Archdiocese activities (GalileeU, Eucharistic Revival). 	
General Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PC Training – being a vibrant parish incorporates a lot of help from Parishioners. Talked of structure of Parish. If you have any questions or want information on something related to PC, see Christy. • Active Shooter Training October 31st. • Deanery Meeting coming up next week. Ask about relaxing covid protocols diocese-wide; masking, wine, etc. • Fr. Chuck asked PC to think about and bring ideas for relaxing covid protocols, especially for Christmas. We will discuss in November. 	Christy will email PC to remind them to think about Covid protocols and bring ideas to next mtg. If you know someone sitting in section and feel comfortable, ask them.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Instead of having each Commission come separately to meetings, what about having a rep (and any other members that would like to come) of each Commission come to March 2023 meeting and that will be the focus for that night. Each can present their 10 minutes, but will have dialogue with everyone present.	Ask PC about having all Commissions at March mtg.
Next Meeting	Next meeting is Wednesday, November 16, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. Prayer leader will be Debbie.	Prayer Leader - Debbie.
Closing Prayer	The meeting ended with a prayer.	

Attachments: None.