

Church of St. Anne's of Le Sueur
Pastoral Council Meeting
August 9, 2018 at 6:30 PM

Present: Pastoral Council members Tom Rabaey, Pam Williams, Terry Genelin. Absent: Dave Pfarr, Jim Sullivan. Carol Ward, Bob Wagner, and Bob Millard were also present. The meeting opened with prayer at 6:30 PM. The June minutes were approved.

1. Council Member roles (to be confirmed at September meeting):

- a. Tom Rabaey - Chair
- b. Pam Williams - Vice Chair
- c. Dave Pfarr - Secretary

2. Fr. Shofner updated on Parish Activities:

- a. Transition is going very well Very welcoming.
- b. Working on relationship building including between Church and School
- c. Parish is moving towards better financial stability
- d. Pastor schedules will not be published but Pastors will rotate through the weekends on a regular basis
- e. Parish Rectory will be used by regularly on weekends.

3. School updates:

- a. There are currently 4 openings at the school
- b. Currently 2 are close to being filled

4. Discussion on Mission and Vision of the Council

- a. Council discussed the need to fine tune the mission and vision on the council. A better mission statement will help define what we are called to do. And does it make sense. We could use Michael Laughery to lead a session. We would include other members from school, CCW, KC's, Faith Formation.
- b. Will need to determine at next meeting.

5. Building and Grounds:

- a. Terry provided an indepth update on the various needs of the school and church.
- b. Leaking valves, gophers, School roof situation, mowing situation, steam pipe leaks, and electrical use were the topics.
- c. How can we formalize this work, to ensure continuity?

The next meeting is Thursday September 13th, at 6:30 PM at the Parish Center.

The meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Rabaey Parish Council Chair

Our Mission and Vision (as posted on Parish Website)

Our Mission: As a rural parish family, we are greatly blessed yet ever challenged to live out the mission of Jesus Christ in today's world. We seek to be a living presence of Christ in our community through our Catholic faith.

Our Vision: As a Christ-centered community, St. Anne's Parish aspires:

- To be stewards of God using his gifts of time, talent, and treasure to evangelize his word
- Evangelization through education: bible study, faith formation and school
- An increase in participation at vibrant Sunday liturgy
- Active leadership involvement through parish governance models
- Efficient accessibility of parish services, functions and resources