

ST. JOHN'S PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
TUESDAY NOVEMBER 23, 2021

Present: Vince Kirby, Connie Wees, Fr. Gnirk, Tom Manhart, Pat Costello Jim Mangimeli and Jenny Boothe.

Excused: Rachael Urban, Tom Oehler, John Leise, Pauline Pesek, Quentin Bliss and Brenda Thiessen.

The meeting began with a prayer.

The minutes of October, 2021 were accepted.

Gather, week two was led by Deacon Tom.

Connie spoke regarding Devine Renovation. The social justice bulletins are being edited and updated and will be sent to Brenda to insert in the bulletins. This will happen after Advent. The goals for Spiritual Nourishment and Social Justice were discussed, including adult faith formation and participating the Archdiocesan Pastoral Council.

Fr. Gnirk encouraged members to consider doing Encounter with a small group or with their families during Lent. He updated people about his health. An adult faith formation on the Gospel of Luke was held on Nov 17 with about 30 people in attendance. People were encouraged to attend the Paatrish Reconciliation Service on Dec 1. This is also First Reconciliation for the second graders. Father also reminded people that his retirement plans are being made for next Spring.

The meeting adjourned with prayer.

Next meeting is January 4, 2022 at 7 PM.