

ST. JOHN'S PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
TUESDAY APRIL 23, 2019

Present: Pam McCarville, Connie Wees, Pat Costello, John Leise, Peggy Staup, Don Peters, Pat Troshynski, Vince Kirby, Pauline Pesek and Fr. Gnirk.

The meeting began with a prayer.

The minutes of March 26 were accepted.

Connie worked with us on the Divine Renovation Project. The Council talked about the Clifton Strengths Definitions, with each member identifying their strengths. This will help us choose new members for the Council. Work on a three year plan continued. Members are to identify parish goals for the next three years. Also, Connie will provide more notes about our next step in the process. These will be attached.

Discussion about the capital campaign ensued. Fr. Gnirk reported that we are back on task. Leadership asks are in the process of being made. The campaign will be rolled out to the entire parish on May 11 and 12. Don Peters will be doing this at the Masses that weekend. People will have to opportunity to gather in the parish hall after the Masses to offer input. Prior to the roll out, there will be a series of planning meetings to refine the plan. Letters with FAQ's was mailed on April 22. The campaign may be tiered meaning that there may be various goals to be met throughout the campaign.

John Leise has downloaded the program for the carillon and will set that up in the near future, so soon we should have working carillon.

Pastors Report: a business manager has been hired, Sue Morse; we will begin offering baptism classes on a quarterly basis; RCIA will be offered in the Fall; Tom Manhart will be ordained a deacon on May 4 with First Mass on May 5 at 10 AM followed by a reception.

Meeting concluded with a prayer.

Next meeting is May 28 at 7 PM at church.