St. Rita Parish Pastoral Council Tuesday, November 8, 2022 Cascia Hall East Meeting Room

Members in attendance: Fr. Michael, Ruth Adamczyk, Marilyn Butler, Dave Eberle, Ellie Hammond, Bill Greinke, Bob Mitchell and Jean Weaver. Also, in attendance was Dennis Collins, Trustee.

Excused: Sharon Gierhan and Pat Rossman

The opening prayer and lighting of the Christ Candle was led by Father Michael at 7:00 p.m.

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Dennis Collins to accept the October 11, 2022 minutes as read and it was seconded by Bob Mitchell.

Stewardship Presentation: This presentation has been rescheduled to our January 2023 meeting. Debbie Wollert will be presenting.

Pastor's Report:

LOA Campaign: Fr. reported that the Capital Campaign is progressing successfully. To date, we have 12% participation (79 parishioners pledged). The push now is to reach out to the remainder of the parishioners in hopes to obtain additional participation.

Siena School Update: Fr. advised the PPC about his meeting with the COO and President of Siena Schools. Their discussion pertained to the 10% versus 15% subsidy payment to Siena. This was reviewed in other recent PPC meetings.

<u>Cascia Hall Investigative Committee (CHIC):</u> Myra is talking to individuals to recruit and coach as member of this committee. She is diligently working on the Project Plan and hopes to have it completed by January 2023 in order to move forward as to the options for Cascia Hall.

<u>Liaison Reports:</u> Reports were sent out prior to our meeting for Human Concerns and Deanery meetings. As liaison for the PFC Bob Mitchell reported that collections have improved from last year; festival profit was \$64,000.00 (due to keeping expenses down, plus attendance increased); they are also working on the relationship between the parish and the school; they are in the process of reviewing and updating their manual; they are also reviewing the volunteer compensation issues and a new policy documentation will be forthcoming.

New Business:

<u>Parish Council Congress</u>: Bill will send out the information to those who might want to attend the conference on November 19, 2022, 8:30a to 12:00p.

PPC Meeting Location: We will be having our meetings in the church Narthex starting with our next meeting. Accessibility is easier and we'll set the example that it's time to move out of Cascia Hall. Everyone agreed.

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PFC Update: Michelle Remfry is the new Chairman for the Parish Finance Council.

Old Business:

Annual Presentations: Prayer and Worship (Jessica Knierim) will be at our December 2022 meeting; Human Concerns (Deacon Greg) will be at our February 2023 meeting. No date, has been set for Building & Grounds (Dave Eberle will check when they would be available at their next meeting) and no date has been set for Religious Education.

<u>Kiosk Update:</u> Marilyn will recruit helpers on Saturday to move the kiosk back to the position by the TV in the Narthex. Also, we need ideas on what information needs to be replaced or added to the kiosk.

Upcoming PPC Dates:

Tuesday, December 13, 2022 Tuesday, January 10, 2023 Tuesday, February 14, 2023

The closing prayer was led by Father Michael at 8:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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