

ST ANN PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 27, 2018

Meeting was called to order by President Ryan Wunderlich at 7:15 PM with a Hail Mary. Present were Ryan Wunderlich, Ken Betz, Shauna Cooper, Kathy Byrd, John Cobb, Fr. Rob Hausladen, Jackie Cesnik, Amanda Gilliland, Mike Cesnik, and Keith Fournier. Not present were Jose Cruz, Rose Slocum and Chad Swain. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as amended by the Council.

OPENING REMARKS

--None.

ADMINISTRATION

Ken Betz reported that the Bulletin has been updated to show the results to date against the budget needed. The Accountability Report (State of the Parish) was delivered the weekend of November 17-18. Regarding Building-Custodial/Maintenance, John Cobb reports that 1) two, wireless, programmable thermostats are now installed. 2) A few of the "always on" lights in the hallways and above the copier are now LED lights (which use one tenth of the energy of the older fluorescent lights. 3) The Edison Building Services Company has provided an updated quote for the weekly building cleaning. 4) Fr. Rob has been cleaning the carpets in the various rooms within the church. Steve Kavamagh reports that 1) Mowing is finished for the year and preparations for winter are underway. 2) A pizza party for volunteers is scheduled for Dec. 7. 3) Gas and maintenance costs were covered by the proceeds from Bean Bag Baseball. 4) Funds from the Scrapbooking event are to be used to repair the sinkhole near the sidewalk.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Rose Slocum's written report stated that, per Donna McGrath, there is nothing to report.

STEWARDSHIP

Jackie Cesnik reported that Teri Crosley has prepared a list of parish ministries, including phone numbers and email addresses. Jackie added that the list may require some revision, but that Teri did tremendous work on this project. Jackie also reported that pledge cards for parish ministries are in. Also Frances Tooley did a great job in reorganizing the parish bulletin board.

FAMILY LIFE/SOCIAL CONCERNS

Kathy Byrd reported, regarding the Giving Tree, that Mike Duffy indicated that all tags were taken after just 2 Masses. They are looking to sort gifts on December 12 and have them delivered by December 22. He already has a handful of volunteers to deliver to families. The Men's Club had 4 people to show up to watch the Colts game. Young at Heart was scheduled for November 15, but was cancelled due to weather. Mike Duffy reported regarding a couple/family that Pro Life was assisting along with Family Promise of Hendricks County. After many months of being basically homeless,

the couple and their infant son have been able to move into their first apartment in Brownsburg. The father is working at a warehouse in Brownsburg while mom settles into caring for a newborn. Kathy said that no report has been received from St. Vincent de Paul, Ladies Guild or Funeral Dinners.

OLD BUSINESS

John Cobb reported that the cleaning contract is to begin on January 1. We have an online contract with Spectrum Janitorial Services. They will be coming once a week. The service brings all their own equipment. Shauna Cooper reported that Amy Pommer has resigned from the Preschool Committee in order to be free to apply for the position of director of the Preschool. We have volunteers for the Christmas/Advent Party. The party will take place after the Sunday Religious Education Classes for the children on December 16. Council discussed whether or not to drop Coffee and Donuts before the party. No decision was made on that matter. John Cobb suggested that people be invited to share their Christmas memories during the party.

NEW BUSINESS

President Ryan Wunderlich mentioned that Chad Swain would like Mike Cesnik to forward Council minutes to him so that he can include them on the parish website. Mike agreed to do this. Ryan also explained that he needs more help from Council members on the 4th Sunday when it is the Council's turn to provide Coffee and Donuts. A vote was taken and the decision was made to have no Council meeting in December. Next meeting is January 22. Regarding the Reverse Raffle, which will be held on February 16, Carolyn Gornick has announced that she no longer wants to chair the event. It was mentioned that Scott and Elizabeth Melvin have volunteered to chair the event in future years, but not in 2019 because they are expecting a baby in late December, 2018. Shauna Cooper had some questions about the new mom's group (Friendship Project). It was mentioned that information on the group can be found in the Bulletin or on the Bulletin Board.

COMMENTS

No additional comments from the group. Next meeting is January 22nd at 7:00 PM in the Jane Shireman Room.

The meeting adjourned with the St. Ann Prayer at 8:00 PM

Respectfully Submitted, Mike Cesnik, Secretary
(Minutes provisional until approved by the Council)