

CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Meeting Minutes – November 21, 2023

| Parish Staff | | Present |
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| Pastor | Rev. Sean P. Horrigan | Yes |
| Parochial Vicar | Rev. Vincent Tran | Yes |
| Deacon/ Parish Administrator | Deacon Kerry Bourque | Yes |
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| Parish Pastoral Council | | Present |
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| PPC Member 2020-2023 | Michelle Allien | No |
| PPC Member 2020-2023 | James Brown | Yes |
| PPC Member 2020-2023 | Sue Fielding, Chair | Yes |
| PPC Member 2020-2023 | Tom Jones | Yes |
| PPC Member 2022-2024 | Harry Conte | Yes |
| PPC Member 2022-2024 | Jessica Juarez, Vice Chair | Yes |
| PPC Member 2022-2024 | Sarah Seidman | No |
| PPC Member 2022-2024 | Keith Thomas | No |
| PPC Member 2023-2025 | Ed Crosson | Yes |
| PPC Member 2023-2025 | Gretchen Towe | Yes |
| PPC Member 2023-2025 | Juan Davila Recorder | No |
| PPC Member 2023-2025 | Cindy MacDonald | Yes |

Meeting began: 7:00 pm

Opening prayer: Sue

Open Forum: No members from the parish were in attendance to address the council.

Information sharing from Fr. Sean:

- Prayer garden is scheduled to be dedicated on 12/12/2023 after the 9:00 am mass on Feast Day of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Dedication plaque will not be ready by the dedication date. The prayer garden is on time and on budget.
- Riverside Project is where the group supports foster care and supporting families who foster. Opportunity to see how we can partner with this group. Survey in January to see how we can help those in our community.
- No advent penance service this year, but penance times will be extended.
- Successful chili cook-off. Auction raised \$50k.
- Painting touchups to be done in church.
- Angela Sengenberger is leaving her position 12/31. Open position for Assistant Youth Minister.
- Hosting CAMS luncheon on 11/30.
- Largest RCIA welcoming (20) at 9:00 am mass on 11/26/2023.
- Epiphany social will be held on 1/6/2024.

Open Discussion:

- Discernment will be scheduled in January. Suggestions needed from members of 3-4 names.
- Increase number of case sponsors for annulments. Case sponsors needed to help those in need understand the annulment process. If anyone is interested, let Deacon Kerry know. Classes are usually 6 weeks long.
- Eucharistic ministers and ushers needed.

Next Meeting: TBD**Prayer Volunteer for next meeting:** TBD**Closing Prayer:** Sue**Meeting adjourned:** 8:00 pm