

Church of the Resurrection – Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) Monthly Meeting Minutes
April 22, 2020

Members Present:

Valerie Coolidge ('21) Matthew Doty – Youth, Sandy Doty ('21), Al Hannum ('21) Adora Gallagher John Hodges ('20) , Bill Hohman ('22) , Matt Lofy ('20), Steve Maxwell ('21), Mia Slanoc – Youth, Mark Samborsky ('22), Rob Womeldorph ('20)

Pastoral Staff Present: Father Denis Kigozi, Kevin Murrin, Suanne Gettings
Larson

Members Absent: Tom Bindi

The meeting was a video meeting due to the stay at home order and was called to order around ~7:05pm

TOPIC	DISCUSSION
Prayer	Led by Father Denis
Roll Call	Joy Dancer, Secretary
Opening of Meeting-Matt	Matt, welcome Mark Samborsky, as the newest member of PPC, replacing Beth Ware. Mark's term runs through June 2022.
Minutes and Reports	Read and corrected by email: Moved and approved at meeting
Northland Deanery – Al	No report
Youth Activities – Matthew & Mia	No Report
Ministry report	Report from calls made to ministries : Attached
Pastoral Associate Update - Suanne	No Report
Suggestion Box-Matt	One suggestion asking for the Mass to be streamed during the stay at home order. Another suggestion was to add Music to the live streamed Masses. Both suggestions are being done
<i>Old Business</i>	
Pastor Comments – Fr. Denis	Father shared that during the stay a home order the church staff is working from home. All are working very hard to best serve the parish. Most Funerals have been memorial service and weddings have been postponed. Father acknowledged and thanked Chip Cogswell for all the time and effort he has put into streaming the Mass live on Facebook. Chip would like to train another one

	<p>or two people to do this job.</p> <p>Father also thanked the Music Ministry for the music at Sunday's Masses.</p> <p>He shared that the Bishop is working on a plan on how Confession can be heard during this stay at home time.</p> <p>The question came up should we continue the streaming of Mass after the stay at home order is removed? Father said that it is a possibility for the sick and vulnerable, but no decision has been made.</p> <p>During this last month 10 new families have registered either through the website or calls to Suanne.</p>
Activity Bags- Matt	Information about our Activity Bag program was posted on our Facebook page and other parishes reached out to Matt about more information about this ministry
PPC Lottery Selection and confirmation of Mark- Matt	Mark Samborsky name was picked from a drawing of 3 candidates from last year elections to fulfill the term of Beth Ware. His term will run through June, 2022
PPC Election and Timeline- Sandy	This year PPC election will be done by lottery. Nominations will be asked for at the May 3-4 Masses. Nominations will close Friday, May 29 th . A selection by lottery will be done on Sunday, May 31 st . The Election committee will consist of: Adora Gallagher, John Hodges, Matt Lofy and Rob Womeldorph.
<i>New Business</i>	
Parish Picnic- Valerie	<p>Valerie Coolidge, Suanne Gettings and Katy Wyatt will co-chair this year's parish picnic.</p> <p>Date :TBD</p> <p>Discussion about having a T-shirt contest; more information to come.</p>
Faith Formation	<p>Faith Formation opportunities during the pandemic, Suanne reported: RCIA is still meeting using zoom, Walking with Purpose several tables are still meeting virtually. Young at Heart are saying the Rosary together using Zoom at 11am each Thursday. Healing Prayer Ministry is meeting weekly to pray for our parishioners and will be extending an invitation for healing prayer to individual parishioners who request healing prayer.</p> <p>Suanne also reported that she has been calling 300 at-risk parishioners just to touch base with them. Decision was made to have PPC members divide up the rest of the parish and touch base with them. Father will get the list for Matt.</p> <p>John Hodges mentioned that Windows of Grace prayers authored by Fran Weise are being sent to 400 PEA members a couple times per week. Suggestion was made to put the prayers on the web site for all parishioners to read. John also suggested using Ascension Press on faith formation opportunities thru that web site. John will</p>

	<p>follow up on how to obtain the link.</p> <p>Father also reminded everyone that the Forum on our website is a good resource</p>
<p>Volunteer Recognition Event</p>	<p>Committee will be Valerie Coolidge, Sandra Doty Adora Gallagher.</p> <p>Need to determine the number of volunteers (Father will get a list of all volunteers)</p> <p>and to determine if such an event is in the budget.</p>
<p><i>Closing Prayer – Matt</i></p>	

The meeting adjourned at – 8:20 pm

Respectfully Submitted

Joy Dancer