# St. Odilia Social Justice Ministry Area Council

#### Minutes 04-18-2023

Name	Attending? Y/N	Name	Attending? Y/N
Beth Aune	Y	Phil Aune	Y
Sheba Fernandez	Y	John Hunt – PLC Rep	N
Blaine Mably - Chair	Y	Bonnie Miller	N
Lynn Belgea	Y	Bernie Wiwel - Recorder	Y
Steve Kahat	Y	Attending PLC Rep –	

(PLC Reps: Vicky Cherne, Troy Gregory, Nancy Dieckmann)
Parish trustee Brian McCool also attended this nights meeting.

## **Opening Prayer**

### Review of Last Minutes

Last minutes approved.

## PLC Update

Discussed events from last PLC meeting.

### Admin Business

#### Discussed Endowment Funds

- Discussed funding and efforts for replacement of Styrofoam cups with green alternative. There will be a coffee and donuts gathering around this topic after this Sundays mass.
- Reviewed and discussed other funding efforts.
- Discussed speaker fees.

# Recent and Current Evangalization/Education Events

### Update from last REM meeting:

- There is a desire to interact more with the Latino ministry.
- Had some discussion about past efforts and ideas to improve solidarity with Latino ministry.

- There is an interest to learn more about what the Latino community finds important for our parish growth and the different ministries it serves. This is to become a focused area for REM.
- Phil mentioned also that there is an interest from the school for future engagement with REM.

### Racial Covenants Speaker

• The event went well with 50 people and two speakers. There was some expectation that more people would have attended.

## **Upcoming Events**

- Reviewed articles that are due.
- Discussed Earth Day coffee and donuts.
- Gave reminder of discernment and retreat.

### St Peter Claver Opportunities

• Support needed for selling tickets after mass May 13-14 for Chicken BBQ (BBQ to be held May 21)

## **Closing Prayer**