

St. Joseph Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)
Rosemount, Minnesota
Meeting Minutes
November 3rd, 2022
6:00 pm

Attending: Fr Paul Kammen-Pastor, Jon Guden-Chair, Ron Sailer, Mike Vanderheyden, Patricia Cina, Dan Wells, Aleksandra Spiess, Pat Croke
Excused: John Wollersheim-Trustee, Brian Hoyland, Randy Haney.

1. Opening Prayer

Ron Sailer

2. Parish Updates

Worship: Ron reported that the Youth Choir has begun practice, first Mass 10:30 on November 13; Advent starts; Communal Reconciliation December 5

Engagement and Communication: Dan indicated that there was an email update from Jordan

Pastoral Care and Outreach: There was the normal monthly email from Deacon Gordon

School: Ola reported Nov 10 Information Night Preschool - 2nd Grade; Ron asked if we had Test Score data to compare with the test scores in the Public Schools that would reflect the positives of being open in person during the Covid response.

Ola, as liaison to the Finance Council, said there was nothing to report concerning the parish annual update. Dan Peplinski (Chair of the Finance Council) sent a draft Saturday, so Ola and Jon will work this issue.

Lay Advisory Board

Jon spent time speaking about the most recent LAB meeting. There will be 2 meetings/year going forward. The Archbishop's letter regarding his goals resulting from the Synod process that has taken place over the last couple of years, should be out before the end of November. Each parish is to have an "evangelization team", established by Father Paul, to help formulate a plan for implementation of the goals of the Archbishop.

3. Strategic Plan

A discussion took place surrounding feedback that Kayla provided to Randy in reviewing the initial draft of the plan. Randy has yet to pull together feedback from other members of the church staff. Hopefully that will be done prior to the December Council meeting. With the introduction of the goals the Archbishop want introduced through the diocese, it

appears that there will need to be further changes to the plan to incorporate the priorities of both, and avoid duplication of efforts.

4. New Business

Conversation was opened to any topic.

The next Capital Campaign looks like it will be sometime in 2023. Before it is initiated there will need to be a committee to help determine priorities for the money raised. It will need to be in alignment with the strategic plan and synod mandates.

Closing Prayer

Ron Sailer

Prayerfully submitted,

Mike Vanderheyden