

Pastoral Council
Summary Meeting Minutes
July 6, 2022

In Attendance: Fr. James Aboyi, Jerry Biegler, Pam Boggs, Marilyn Johnston, Frank Polimene, Martin Ruggiero, Jennifer Sentz, Chris Smith, Alex Van Vianen, Deacon Ed Winklebauer

On Google Meeting: Lani Gore, Russ Spencer

Excused: Jamie Bescak, Fr. Manasseh Iorchir, David Portillo

Roll call verified a quorum

6:40 pm Russ called the meeting to order and offered the Opening Prayer

Minutes from June 1, 2022 were approved (Alex), seconded (Frank) and unanimously accepted as written.

Russ thanked Frank for his assistance in transition to President. He met with Chris and Jerry last week and provided an orientation to the Council. All Council members then introduced themselves.

MINISTRY REPORTS- Russ-we will try to have these reports kept brief and keep our meetings to 1 hour.

- Building Update – Deacon Ed-The room surveys are complete, concrete work is scheduled for August, much of the work now is underground and not visible.
- Events – Lani had to step away from the meeting
- Knights of Columbus – Alex
 1. The Fr. Bob Binta Council was named council of the year out of 148 councils
 2. Isauro Amaro is the new Grand Knight
 3. Four new members became 3rd degree knights at the Charity, Unity and Fraternity Degrees ceremony
 4. Adopt-a-street cleanup was on June 18th along Frye Rd.
 5. Knights led the parish rosary on June 29th.
 6. \$500 was donated to a brother knight whose wife is struggling with cancer.

PASTOR'S REPORT – Fr. James thanked everyone for their prayers and support.

- Construction Finances-We are experiencing a \$1.2M gap in funding; funding strategies are being explored to raise this amount plus.
- Finance Council has worked on a Capital Budget and an Operational Budget. Presentation to the parish will be in the Fall.
- St Benedict Feast Day will be celebrated on July 11th with Mass at 6pm followed by a movie about St. Benedict.
- Possibly have a Family Movie Night 1x/month; Fr. will reach out to the Knights to host this.
- Number of attendees at Daily Mass is increasing to 20+ even in this summer heat. Weekend Mass numbers seem to be holding steady; 2-3 new parishioner registrations per week.
- **Walking With Moms** is in need of a new leader for our parish and a representative to the diocese.
- There is the possibility of a **Legion of Mary** starting in our parish

- Fr. James is covering Corpus Christi for pastor-type emergencies
- Bishop Olmsted's last Sunday Mass is July 24th
- August 2nd is the Installation of the new Bishop (a ticketed event).
- August 19th will be a memorial Mass for Fr. Bob
- SJB-Jamie is on vacation but lots of landscaping activity is going on. Security cameras have been installed.

NEW BUSINESS – Russ

- Chris and Jerry have signed Confidentiality forms
- Please let us know if you would like to be considered for the position of Vice President.
- Jen noted that we're still trying to get everyone to change over to Realm. The Funding Committee is meeting to come up with ways to bridge our construction money gap.

7:29 pm Alex closed the meeting with a prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Marilyn Johnston, Recording Secretary