

## Pastoral Council Meeting

### Minutes

May 25, 2017

Sacred Heart

6:30 pm

**Roll Call:** Present: Fr. Klag, Vicki Rush, David Borho, Christine Brenner, Jim Ellis, Dan Gillig, Rhonda Westerhaus

Guests: Rita Hitt and Alison Ricke

**Opening Agenda:** After an opening prayer by David, the minutes from last month's meeting were accepted.

#### **Old Business Reports:**

**Finance:** Jim reported that the Finance Council met and approved the allotment of identified preschool items for the purpose of continuing the community service. The preschool is to relocate to the First Baptist Church. It was agreed that an announcement should go in the bulletin. Jim then reported that a down payment for the new organ had been paid. Lastly, the Hope Center monthly donation was raised to \$200 per month.

**Liturgy Commission:** Rhonda reported that the committee continues to meet on Saturday for the regular liturgy business. A lector workshop was held to train a group of new volunteers.

**Religious Ed:** Fr. noted that there had been discussion with the Bishop regarding Sacred Heart Religious Education and that he was listening to the various voices regarding goals and mission of the Task Force towards religious education. Summer religious education will include Totus Tuus.

**Hispanic Ministry:** No report, but Marcos has agreed to be the liaison.

**Stewardship:** David reported that the commission had met the weekend before. The group will sponsor a parish picnic on Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm at Lemon Park. Parishioners are asked to bring a side dish. The Time and Talent renewal form will be a description of each committee to be displayed at the back of church, on poster board, changed on a rotating basis along with available committee members in case of questions. This will take place in November.

**Property and Maintenance:** Fr. reported that he would be contacting the organ installers about the building set up for speakers and more. Fr. also noted a thank you to all the property volunteers who have helped with lawn mowing, bush trimming and more.

**Kof C** Dan reported that the group had met on May 3<sup>rd</sup>. A contribution to the organ fund is being made in the amount of \$500 in the name of Women of Sacred Heart in appreciation for

their help with the K of C Lenten fish fries. A K of C representative will also attend the June 3<sup>rd</sup> ordination in Dodge City. Lastly, the K of C elected new officers.

**Women of Sacred Heart:** Rhonda reported that the women would be providing a summer meal for the Circles group along with a luncheon for the Miss Kansas program.

**Parish Task Force:** Vicki reported that the group met with Jeanette Siemens in matching objectives to match the goals for parish formation.

**Fr.'s Report:** Fr. noted that the diocesan sponsored Vibrant Ministries appeal is underway. Parishioners will get a letter soon. After a prayer, the names for Pastoral Council were reviewed and a new person was named. Dan will let all 4 candidates know of the results.

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**Next Meeting:** Thursday June 15 at 6:30 pm. Rhonda noted that she would not be able to attend and that a substitute secretary would need to take the minutes.

After a closing prayer led by Fr., the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Rhonda Westerhaus, Secretary