

Parish Council January Meeting Minutes

January 22, 2018

7 pm, Holy Family Room

Attendance: Peg Abeln, Jennifer Grimmer, Fr. John Vien, Abby Cole, TJ Siebenman, Chris Lawhorn, Mary Grassi

OPENING PRAYER: Fr. John

APPROVAL OF NOV MINUTES: TJ, Second: Abby

LEADERSHIP FORUM: Sat Jan 27th: Chris:

Agenda: mission, vision and values of PLT (recap), marketing presentation so organization leaders know of this resource, finance presentation by Scott on preparing organization budgets, build bridges between ministries and promote best practices, forum to be more interactive than Fall forum

Next step: Connect with PLT, finance and communications to bring organizations closer together

STEWARDSHIP: Chris

timeline in place by Matthew, low key campaign run by PC stewardship group, recruit new committee in July, PC will help transition through the rest of the year, with new committee to take over in 2019, charter to be formed, PC attending archdiocesan stewardship event Feb 27, could use help on interim committee, focus on grateful and generous with gratitude Mass in Jan and transition to generosity in the Fall

PLT UPDATES: Fr. John- PLT is working on staffing needs of parish, Communications and faith formation positions to be formed, figuring salary after parish budget put together, post positions in Feb and interview in March, search committees to be formed, hire to begin July 1st, Angela to stay on until new staff hired, parish calendar now on website, now have an online request form to reserve rooms

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS 2018: PC liaisons to contact organizations

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

HOSPITALITY: Mary: Parking team at 4:00 Christmas Eve Mass a success, looking to do Easter (9 or 11 or both), information desk at 11 going well, continue to recruit volunteers and expand to 9:00 Mass by May, potential to use to promote events (ie upcoming ACTS); 2018 goal to work on Hospitality Sundays (promotion, additional dates, activities, etc),

WOMEN'S LEAGUE: Mary: Just Lunch Feb 7, Lenten Morning of Reflection Feb 24, Social Justice Forum on Complexities of Poverty April 24, annual dues \$30, setting up square account for dues, bought new dishwasher for Lubeley room

FINANCE: no report

BOARD OF ED: no report

HOME AND SCHOOL: Jennifer: school parents provided Christmas party for the teachers this year

ATHLETIC ASSN: TJ: Athletic association covered cost of heating/cooling work on the gym, with additional assistance towards school

MEN'S CLUB: no report

PASTOR'S REPORT: Fr. John: gained some new students during the school year, Catholic school week last week in January, youth ministry sent 12 to March for Life, 45 high schoolers helping with Luke 18, doing 5:00 Mass every Sunday through Feb, maybe March, may reconsider Mass schedule after that, 40 hours of Eucharistic devotion to be held Feb 15-16,

GUEST SPEAKERS:

MARKETING GROUP: Andrea Maddock and Danielle Emert

Started with the school to market, retain, recruit; group has grown and is available to help the whole parish, building a consistent brand, meeting monthly all year, prepping now for middle school open house, personally invited people to kdg and preschool open house and had great attendance, home and school has been covering the costs