

St. Gregory Parish
Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, May 24th, 2016

Approved

Present: Father Pat, Julie Hoban, Karen Christel, Cecelia DeBruin, Kris Lenzner, Rose Biese, Debbie Griem, Ryan Mueller, Judy Jelinek and Martin Seichter.

Opening Prayer: Father Pat led the opening prayer at 7:30 p.m.

Review of the minutes of the April 26th meeting: Council reviewed the minutes. Motion by Ryan Mueller and seconded by Karen Christel to approve the minutes as read.

Finance Report: Karen Christel reported that a joint meeting was held in April with the Holy Trinity Finance Council to discuss the St. Gregory school subsidy. Also, the April budget is showing a \$7,600 loss.

Deb Griem stated that she will be making a deposit to the general parish fund from the SCRIP account sometime during the month of June. It was also determined that onsite Kiosks have lots of possible hidden fees, so the idea is on hold for now. The idea had originally been considered to appeal to younger members of the parish as an alternate payment method for Day Care fees and for buying SCRIP.

School/Day Care/School Board: A timeclock will be purchased to be used by the Day Care employees to more accurately keep track of hours worked.

Outreach: Deb Griem noted that the Outreach group continues to help with the gardens and making cards. They will also be responsible for refreshments after the June Fellowship mass.

Worship: A Worship meeting was held in early May to discuss Corpus Christi and the 4th of July mass. The topic of providing Funeral Procession programs was discussed. Father Pat noted that the parish has a template for these programs, but wondered who would be responsible for the cost.

Old/New Business: Discussion ensued in regards to new Parish and Finance Council members. Also, Karen Christel noted that the steps on the south side of church are in bad condition and will be replaced this summer.

Next Meeting Date and Time: Tuesday, June 28th at 6:30 p.m. This will be a joint meeting to welcome new members to the Pastoral and Finance Council. All current members are encouraged to provide a snack or beverage.

Closing Prayer: Father Pat led the closing prayer at 8:32 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Judy Jelinek