

Pastoral Council Minutes

May 10, 2018

Carol Imming opened the meeting with a prayer.

Those in attendance were Father Dan, Lori Kampwerth, Ryan Faust, Ken Haselhorst, Irma Deimeke, and Carol Imming.

Guests in attendance: Dan Mondt Absent: Marvin Ratermann, Jackie Chiarolanza, Carrie Trame, Amy Strubhart, and Brad Richter.

Old Business:

Approval of minutes from 4/12/18 was moved by Lori Kampwerth and seconded by Ryan Faust.

Vocations of Ministry: Ken Haselhorst reported that all went well with the World Day of Prayer Mass on 4/22/18 with coffee, juice, & donuts passed out by the KC's. A small tree seedling was passed out as a gift to all couples for Vocations of Marriage. There were some tree's leftover and three were planted on school property, one along the sidewalk/playground, two by the railroad track outside baseline of ball diamonds, two at the lot across from Vintage Hall, and a few at the cemetery. The vigil for Vocations was held on 4/22/18 at 3:00pm at St. Rose which St. Francis was invited and a small crowd attended.

CYM (Catholic Youth Ministry) : Lori Kampwerth reported that CYM helped pass out tree seedling's and some sang in front of church and all went well. At Mother's Day mass the youth passed out roses to all the mothers. The funds from the roses go to pro-life. The last CYM meeting will be in June and the summer events will be Holiday World and softball. This is Lori's last CYM meeting and Lynn Huegen will take over her position and join Jackie Schmitz who continue's to be in charge of CYM. The meetings will start back up when school resumes in the fall, 2018.

Confirmation mass went very well and there were no problems with the parking. Parish Directories were picked up after the last two weekend masses. There are directories that are left and we need to contact the people to pick them up or we will need to deliver them.

The Joint Pastoral Council met on Tuesday, May 8th at St. Francis Parish. We gave our support in any way we can help St. Felicitas Parish and St. Teresa's Parish with the passing of Fr. Nickels.

Reports were passed out on mass times and mass attendance and discussed. There were some discussion on Partnership planning, also.

Knight of Columbus: Dan Mondt, KC Grand Knight, was our guest speaker. There was a 25 year celebration for the KC's on 4/15/18. Currently there are 240 members and some are very active in the organization. There was discussion on how to engage and develop more memberships and how to get the parish families to cultivate our faith in the community and to assist those in

need and help the poor. Their funds come from breakfasts we have and raffle tickets that are sold.

New Business:

A report on mass attendance with St. Rose was passed out. St. Francis was invited to participate in the St. Rose 150 years parade on 10/17/18 at 1:00 pm. This was tabled for the next meeting.

The next Joint Pastoral Council Meeting will be on Tuesday, August 16th at 7:00pm at St. Felicitas.

Our next meeting will be Thursday, June 14th at 7:00pm and we will only talk about "Pastoral Assistance Options". We will not meet in July for a meeting.

Irma Deimeke did the closing prayer.