

Pastoral Council Meeting

January 17, 2017

Members Present

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| Fr. Bob | Chris Geyer |
| Tom Binder | Pam Jacobsen |
| Kathy Ciszewski | Mike Nuzzo |
| Denise Ehr | Patricia Schmitz |
| Julie Field | Alice Stanula |

We Assemble in God's Name

Opening Prayer – Our Father

Prayers of intercession for the needs of the parish and individuals.

We Celebrate Our Past

Pastoral Council December Minutes reviewed.

We Proclaim God's Word

Matthew 4:12-23

We Present Our Offering

Pastors Report

St. Anne's will be welcoming an ordained transitional Deacon to our Parish before January ends. He is a former Episcopalian, married, and has converted to Catholicism. He will be ordained as a Catholic Priest this summer. The Archdiocese will cover 80% of his salary, St. Anne has been asked to cover the remaining 20%.

Finance

The Bridge to the Future Campaign has reached its goal for the mortgage reserves. Approximately 126 families have donated. Monthly giving continues to increase. Our Financial Reports continue to show St Anne moving in the right direction. Please see the weekly bulletin for the details.

Phil Kent has kindly agreed to fill the position for Chairperson. Dave Zenobi has relocated to Madison Area. Thank You, Dave for your time and dedication shown towards St Anne. It was also mentioned that the Finance Council will have an opening for a Trustee this year.

Winter Social is just a few weeks away. There are 135 people registered now. Snap On has donated a tool box, valued at \$5000.00. This item will be Ruffled off at Church, after Masses so those not able to attend the Social will have an opportunity at winning this valuable prize. The

Winter Social Last Call will be for two items: AV Unit for the Parish, \$8000, and Lightning Volt protection for the building, \$8000.

Golf Outing is scheduled for 6/23/17. Goal is to have 120 golfers participate. More information to come.

Communication

One of our parishioners has made a book shelf that is being donated to the Parish Lending Library.

Father Bob has received many positive comments on the book giveaway at Christmas.

Steubenville on the Lake Youth Rally is returning to Carthage College again this year, on July 21-23, 2017. Lead Week, is held the week before Steubenville, and will be hosted at St Anne parish, with Margie Mandli and Joey Binder as chairpersons. There will be more information regarding Steubenville in the future. There will be needs for Volunteers in every area.

St. Anne Spirit Wear – it has been mentioned that there is an interest in Spirit wear for St Anne. Many at Pastoral Council agreed. Some ideas mentioned were; long and short-sleeve tees, sweat shirts and fleece. Chris Geyer will research ideas.

The Confirmation Ceremony will be held at St. zabeth Parish on May 4, 2017. More information to follow.

Mass Intentions

Parishioners have asked that the process of requesting Mass Intentions be explained to everyone. Joan Cunningham, in the Office has the information.

Cable Advertising

Cable advertising examples were reviewed by many of the council members. There is a definite interest. Goal would be for Evangelization and to promote St Anne Parish. Fr Bob and Council will continue to research this idea.

Commission Updates

Liturgy Commission will be meeting soon to discuss the upcoming Lent season. Alice Stanula will schedule the meeting and update everyone.

Faith Formation Commission suggested that a future program, for parents of those children who attend CCD, to have educational programs suited for today. Concerns with raising children. Subjects could be; bullying, human trafficking, substance abuse in youth, suicide ideations, disrespect, bereavement for those who have lost a youth, etc.

Upcoming Events

January 17 – 18 Face of Mercy Film – 7pm

January 27 Behold – 7-10pm

February 3 – Winter Social

February 28 – Fat Tuesday Family Faith Formation – 6pm

Every Tuesday – Eucharistic Adoration Holy Hour – 7pm

Read your St Anne Bulletin for events in our district and region

Next Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday February 21, 2017 @ 7pm

We Give Thanks

Prayers of Gratitude

Closing Prayer

Hail Mary

1. Adult Faith Formation
2. Awareness of the Sacred
3. Financial Stewardship