

## Pastorate Pastoral Council Meeting – January 11, 2022

*Attendees via Zoom* - Fr. John Ruffo, Sr. Susan Engel, Christine Kline, Lizzette Vargas, Dennis Boland, Benjamin Romero, Mary Dohmeier, Belkys Pinzon, Kimberly LaValley, Jim Kraus, Jennifer Nezzio, Margaret Brogden, Nikki Lux, Shaun Rutherford, Barbara Murphy, Amy Smith, Deacon Frank Zeiler

Began Meeting at 7:10 pm with Synod prayer.

- 1.) *Introductions* were made by everyone. Corporators and school principal will be invited to future meetings. Amy Smith will be PPC secretary for zoom meetings.
  - 2.) *Chair and co-chair* will rotate in MAC order. Chris Kline suggested keeping the members throughout June 2023. Sr. Susan suggested Chris Kline to take the chair position. Chris accepted and all approved. Mary Dohmeier volunteered for co-chair and all attendees approved.
  - 3.) *Terms of Office:*  
St. Michael – Mary Dohmeier - 3 yr, Dennis Boland - 2yr, Belkys Pinzon - 1yr  
Hispanic Community – Lizzette Vargas – 3yr  
Annunciation - Shaun Rutherford – 3yr, Jennifer Nezzio – 2 yr, Kimberly Lavalley -1yr  
St. Clement - Chris Kline – 3 yr, Barbara Murphy 2 yr, Ben Romero – 1 yr
  - 4.) No need to review by-laws
  - 5.) *Advocates* – List has been condensed from what was in the St. Michael by-laws. Dennis is involved in scouts and Ben is in Knights. Everyone should think about any groups they would like to be the advocate for and this will be discussed at the next meeting.
  - 6.) *Synod* – This is a global effort. Our Pastorate will have Synod prayers on Tuesdays in March 2022. We should try to engage the youth, people alienated from the church, people with different viewpoints, etc. Sr. Sue will facilitate getting participants for these. Jennifer Nezzio volunteered to help with coordination. There will be some questions at each session. The first session, agreed upon by all attendees, will be at Annunciation on Tuesday, March 8 at 7 pm. Announcements will begin being made at Masses in the Pastorate in February. Lizzette suggested Friday evening, March 4 or Saturday, March 5 for the Hispanic community.
  - 7.) *Open Forum* – Chris asked if there would be something posted in the bulletin regarding the forming of the PPC and the list of members. Members would be introduced at their home parishes. Installation of officers would normally be held in September.
- Barbara Murphy suggested posting minutes from PPC meetings on parish websites. Parishioners should be encouraged to bring forth any questions, suggestions, concerns, etc.
- Mary Dohmeier – Concerned about there only being 2 friars in the pastorate. The friars from Curley are very helpful with Masses.
- 8.) *Prayer lead for next meeting* – Mary Dohmeier volunteered for February meeting.
  - 9.) *Next meeting* – February 22, 2022 - Parish Meeting Room at St. Michael's
  - 10.) *Closing prayer* – Fr. John

Meeting ended at 8:00 pm