

Church of the Resurrection

Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

May 6, 2024

Center for New Evangelization, St. Paul Church

Attendance:

Pastoral Council (voting members)

Member	Status
Martin Fienkeng	Present
Laura Glaudemans	Present
Greg Jolissaint (RS)	Present
Bill Judy	Ex
Gina Maclean (P)	Present
Lorraine Miano-Fike (VP)	Present
Martin Mullan (CS)	Present
Mary Peroutka	Present
Paul Reif	Present
Carolyn Sherman	Present
Paul Venginickal	Present
Julie Winpisinger	Present

Others in attendance

Clergy	
Msgr. John Dietzenbach	Pastor
Father Paul	Associate Pastor
Committees	
Lorraine Miano-Fike	Events Under the Tent
Cathy Hanks	Liturgy
John Wilkin	Social Justice
Invited Guests	
Cindy Desrochers	Pastoral Staff Mgr
Tom Lauer	New PC Member
Cathy Parrish	New PC Member
Brad Weiss	New PC Member

1. Call to Order: Pastoral Council President, Gina Maclean, called the meeting to order at 8:25 pm, following a longer than advertised presentation of “When Dating Hurts” by Bill Mitchell in the St. Paul Church. She welcomed and congratulated the 3 new PC members in attendance (and she also congratulated Julie Winpisinger who will be serving a 2nd term).
2. Opening Prayer: Martin Mullan said an opening prayer.
3. Roll Call/Quorum: Greg Jolissaint determined that a quorum was present.
4. Minutes: The meeting minutes of the April 1st Pastoral Council Meeting were approved via email following the April meeting. This process allowed the minutes to be posted to the Pastoral Council website sooner, thereby making them available to all parishioners sooner.

5. Pastor's report:

New church completion

- the pews are being installed
- the altar and ambo will be arriving later than expected, but they may still arrive in time for the Dedication Mass

Dedication and related weekend events

- even if the altar arrives late, we will begin using the new church space for Pentecost Weekend
- rehearsals and training will continue in anticipation of the Church Dedication

Sacraments and graduation

- First Communion and Confirmations are ongoing

Staff update

- Nathan Turska will depart May 10th; a replacement Youth Minister is being actively pursued
- 3 other staff members depart July 1st (Christine Lederer; Alice Appleby; and Beth Bennett); all 3 have agreed to stay until their replacement has been hired
- The New Pastor (Father Andy Aaron) gave Father John the go-ahead to advertise and replace these 4 positions

New Pastor

- Father Andy Aaron visited Church of the Resurrection last Tuesday; he is 61yo; Father John has known him for "a while" and believes he will be a good fit; he is a "painter" (hobby); he already has a few connections inside the parish
- Father Andy plans to attend our Church Dedication Mass on May 17th
- Mondays are his normal day off, so we will need to see if he wants to maintain that pattern after he takes over the Resurrection-St. Paul Pastorate

6. President's Report:

Committee/ministry reports – Fellowship/ Social Justice / Liturgy

- Social Justice – SVdP is doing a great job; they have great outreach to the community; Grass Roots also going well (Knights are scheduled to begin helping the SJC support the Grass Roots Collections starting in June)

- Greg asked about the support of the Apostleship of the Sea (Ted and Barbara Rieve collect for them); is the ministry willing to expand on what is collected for these sailors (i.e. will they take things other than religious articles and books)? Greg will reach out to Ted Rieve to obtain answers
- Fellowship – Mary Reif included a recommendation in her report for parish landscaping teams – Rick Murray will take over the creation and coordination of these landscaping teams

Events Under the Tent – events update

- RSPS is conducting a Fun Run on Friday; RSPS is looking for Course Marshalls for the run
- The Last “Tent Event” is June 9th at Mary’s Land Farm; the SignUpGenius has had a good response – the planners still need help with parking (the Knights will begin signing up after the Dedication Mass is completed); the Picnic is scheduled from 1-5pm
- Pastoratepicnic@gmail.com – there is a desire for people to RSVP if they are attending
- Mick Wisk will be bringing extra tables and chairs for the event
- Father John Trivia is one of the planned entertainment items

Update on Fall Fest and 50th Anniversary celebration

- Saturday October 5th is the actual date for the Fall Festival; planning is proceeding in a satisfactory manner with Greg Jolissaint and Tom Przybyla as the co-Directors; a 3rd co-Director is being actively sought to fill Selina Conant’s place
- Saturday November 2nd will be the 50th Anniversary Celebration – there will be a catered Dinner and Dance conducted in the Hall, Coffee Lounge, and the Foyer; planners are hoping for a minimum of 250 people to participate at \$100 per person

The June Pastoral Council meeting will be conducted on Monday June 3rd starting at 6pm in the Coffee Lounge; it will begin with a Pot Luck Dinner. The final FY24 meeting will be conducted after the dinner; it will first approve the budget, then officially say farewell to the departing PC members. The meeting will then transition to officially welcoming the new PC members and electing new Executive Committee members (President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary).

- The New PC installation will occur at the Saturday Vigil Mass on June 15th
- The July PC meeting (the first FY25 Meeting) is currently tentative depending on when Father Andy wants to begin meeting with the PC

CAM – one parishioner expressed their thanks to the Knights of Columbus for organizing Parking on Easter Sunday; they also asked whether weekend Parking Management could occur all the time? Greg Jolissaint responded that with the end of construction, many more parking spaces will become available; it is believed there will not be a requirement for routine Parking Management during Weekend Masses based on historical attendance numbers, but a

significant increase in weekend Mass attendance could change this perspective. The Knights will otherwise continue providing Safe Parking Management on Christmas Eve and Easter Sunday.

Another parishioner asked if there were any thoughts/plans for increasing Sunday Masses to 4 (like was conducted prior to the pandemic) – Father John deferred this decision to the new Pastor after he arrives (this will also allow us to quantify how full weekend Masses become once we begin using the newly renovated Church).

The Resurrection Golf Classic will occur on Monday May 13 – by all accounts, it is expected to be a success

The Men’s ACTS Retreat will begin on Thursday May 30 – the ACTS Team and ACTS planners are seeking men to sign up as retreatants

7. Closing Prayer and Adjournment: Gina Maclean led our closing prayer and adjourned our meeting at 9:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Greg Jolissaint.

Next regular meeting—June 3, 6pm, Coffee Lounge

June 2, 2024 Addendum -- These minutes were electronically approved by the Resurrection Pastoral Council