

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Wednesday, May 17, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Fr. Harrison. The opening prayer was led by Margie Zarek.

Members present were Fr. Harrison, Teena Jones, Jeff Greisen, Margie Zarek, John Beller, and Jackie Herink. Don Strecker was excused.

A motion was made by Jackie Herink and seconded by Jeff Greisen to approve the meeting agenda.

A motion was made by Margie Zarek to approve the April 2023 meeting minutes, with a second by Teena Jones.

Committee Reports

Finance Committee – Kathy Steiner explained the proposed 2023-2024 budget.

PRE – A written report was submitted by Lori Olson. Vacation Bible School will be June 5th-9th. A team from the JC Camp recently visited with the 8th graders to share information and invite them to attend the camp this summer.

St. Anthony School Board – No report.

Maintenance – There were no new items to discuss.

Pastor's Comments – Since Easter there has been two baptisms and three deaths in the parish.

Evangelization – There will be a Healing Service and Reception on May 23rd at St. Bonaventure Church. A Welcome Reception for Fr. Taylor and Fr. Harrison is scheduled for July 2nd.

Old Business

Journey of Faith – Beginning on July 1, 2023 Fr. Harrison will be the Pastor of St. Anthony's, St. Bonaventure's, and St. Stanislaus parishes. Fr. Taylor Leffler will be the new Associate Pastor. In 2024 a tri-parish Leadership Team/Parish Council will be formed with representation from all three parishes.

New Business

Advertising for the Bulletin – Steve Swenson from LPi, the company that prints our bulletins, will be securing new ads for our church publications. This advertising will help defray the cost of printing our weekly bulletins.

Adjournment - The closing prayer was led by Fr. Harrison.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, June 21st at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackie Herink, Secretary