

Pax Christi Pastoral Council

Tuesday, April 21st, 2015

Minutes

Members Present:

Council:

Sally Burns
Zeljko Bajzer
Carol Stortz
Scott Ladwig
Barb Shuh
Matt Klebe

Parish Trustees:

Teresa Silker

Pastors:

Fr. Fogal

National Night Out

Names given for invitation to participate in planning the event. In letter we should describe the opportunities and responsibilities.

Quarterly New Member Welcome Event

Perhaps a free pancake breakfast, sending new parishioners invitations to a welcoming event. A special recognition and explanation of parish and ministries. Designate the new parishioners with a name tag or have them sit at a table and invite everyone to welcome them. But we need someone to take this concept and have a committee to organize. Perhaps twice a year? Suggested that this be a Pastoral Council responsibility. First one will be this coming fall.

Pastoral Council Transition

Have a lot of candidates for the council. Will hold the discernment in Center Space. Will need to send a letter and a phone call.

Unfinished Discussions from Past

Communication with Ministries:

Perhaps have one meeting a year that includes all the Ministries if they wish to communicate something to the Council. We could ask for reports from the Ministries to keep us up to date and ask if something more needs to be communicated. Could also put invitation into the bulletin. We would do this in January.

Revise/Add Initiative:

We had spoken about the initiatives and if we wanted to revise any of them. We feel we do not need to add to initiatives if things have been achieved. At the next meeting we will speak about involving more of the Parish children are involved in formal Faith Formation.

Open Items

Thank You's

Sally

Jim Fritch, Kermit Sandstrom, and Mark for sanding and staining on the Alter steps.

Note in Bulletin for those that decorated for Easter.

Jim and Kay Fritch and Sister Jan for the RCIA season.

Next meeting May 19th