

Pastoral Council Minutes

September 25, 2018

Attendance: Evelin Vazquez, Father Tetzl, Eliseo Herrera, Katie Edmonds, Mary Fogarty, Josiah Kelley, Garrett Wolfard, Jenelle Gasper

Opening Prayer: Josiah Kelley

Faith Formation/Parish Update – Father Tetzl:

- We have close to 90 students registered for Religious Education. Youth Group for Middle Schoolers begins this Wednesday and next Sunday for High School. Confirmation begins this Sunday. An issue that has arisen is that many children over 7 years of age have not been baptized. This led to a discussion on ways to get them all back on track with sacraments.
- There are 32 children in classes for 1st Communion. We need to order more textbooks.
- RCIA begins this week. Father Tetzl is looking at having a separate class for Hispanic adults.
- We have a “Flock Note” account now to communicate with youth if they want to participate.
- Contractor installing 18 – 20 security cameras began today and will be finished on Thursday.
- Adult Faith Formation for the Hispanic community has begun and have 40 – 50 adults in attendance.
- Faith Formation for adults in English is still being worked on.

Parish Survey Results Discussion/Exploration – Priorities?

- Father Tetzl would like us to focus on a 5-year Pastoral Priorities Plan using information from the Parish Survey.
- Some priorities would be: RE integration, Bilingual Masses, combined multicultural celebrations, picnic (maybe June 29th), parish auction involvement.
- “Formed” is \$1700. /year. With survey results, should we continue with subscription?
- Council members need to think/pray about our priorities for the next meeting.

Miscellaneous – Advance Directive (English):

Father Tetzl has given this task to Hilda.

REMINDERS:

October 23rd @ 7PM is our next PC Meeting