

Meeting Summary

Date of Meeting: April 13, 2016 - 7:00

Meeting: SLDM Parish Council Meeting

Prayer leader: Fr. Pat Click

Scribe: Gloria Hughey

Attendees: Fr. Pat Click, Fr. Josh Janko, Gloria Hughey, Doug Moore, Buddy LeRose, Jerome Lareau, Patrick Morrissey, Ange Bailey

New: PC members: Jerry McConnell, Terri Norvanis, Jennifer King, Eugene Kroeff

Unavailable: John McCurdy, Daniel Hubbard, Katie Wilson, Jeff Oelker, Patty Hagen

Action Item	By Whom	By When
Opening Prayer: Fr. Josh Janko led the opening prayer.	Fr. Josh Janko	
Welcome to new PC Members: On behalf of the Parish council, PC leader Buddy LeRose welcomed the new Parish Council Members. Buddy met with the new members individually before the monthly meeting. Each of the new members introduced themselves to the council. During this transition each council member is encouraged to discern for leadership role and secretary role in the council. It was announced that Buddy LeRose will have another year of council service as the council undergoes the transition and will remain the Council leader while the discernment process is going on.	Buddy	
Approval of March 9, 2016 Meeting minutes: Motion to approve the minutes made by Buddy LeRose. The motion was seconded by Ange Bailey. Council approved the March 2016 minutes. Approved minutes will be posted on the website.	Council	
Evangelization Project: Feedback on personal calls has been sent to Scott Bernhardt. Not all PC members submitted their report yet. Once all reports are in, Parish Council members and Stewardship Committee will discuss the next step. A suggestion was made to send follow-up postcards for those names on call list to ensure parishioners are still being reached.	Scott Bernhardt/All PC Members	April meeting

<p>Hospitality Group :</p> <p>Hospitality ministry is going well. The 8 members of the ministry are sharing the workload well to keep it going. More volunteers are needed.</p> <p>Scott Bernhardt will add an item in the budget for ordering welcome packets to hand out to interested visitors. He will also order new name tags for volunteers for easy identification.</p> <p>Fr. Janko will check with someone about getting a fabric welcome sign done for the welcome table.</p>	Gloria	
<p>Parish Float in Freedom Festival Parade:</p> <p>John McCurdy has offered to still head the float project. Interested PC members are encouraged to reach out to John to offer help and ideas to put the Parish Float together.</p>		
<p>Uniting in Heart:</p> <p>Fr. Pat reminded council members and staff to attend the meeting with a Diocesan representative on April 16, at the Merton Room, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.</p>	All PC members	
<p>Matthew 25 Center Update:</p> <p>Buddy LeRose gave an overview to the new PC members concerning what Matthew 25 Center is, and also explained the interest SLDM Parish has in becoming one of the satellite parishes for the program.</p> <p>He also informed the council that Mike Mewborn is in charge of arranging the meeting at the Center.</p> <p>The Council agreed to meet at the Matthew 25 Center on May 11, 2016 at 6:30.</p>	Buddy (for Mike Mewborn)	
<p>Catholics Come Home:</p> <p>Mike Mewborn is the contact person to make arrangements to invite the person from the Catholic Come Home program at St. Elizabeth Seton Parish.</p> <p>The meeting is scheduled for June 8, 2016. The Council will discuss the benefits of Catholics Come Home for SLDM Parish.</p>		
<p>Open Forum:</p> <p>May Parish Council meeting is the official last meeting for the outgoing Parish Council members.</p>		

<p>Buddy LeRose informed the new Council members that he will be sending out the list of Ministries that they are assigned as Liaison. He encouraged the new members to send out an e-mail to each ministry to introduce themselves as new Liaison.</p> <p>Fr. Janko informed the Council that there will be a live stream of the Evangelization Summit. St. Thomas Aquinas is the host parish.</p> <p>Parish reminder: Parish Picnic is on August. 21, 2016.</p> <p>Finance Committee approved Church budget in April 2016.</p> <p>School Updates: School principal is currently searching for an assistant principal. Enrollment is going up, and school enrollment for year 2016-2017 is at full capacity.</p> <p>A question was asked as to what the church is doing to inform parishioners voting in the coming elections.</p>		
<p>Closing Prayer:</p>	<p>Fr. Pat</p>	