

## Prince of Peace Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

May 16, 2017

Attendees: Fr. Gerald Walsh, Tim Popp(chairperson), Rich Elmore(vice-chairperson), Jeanne Gundrum(secretary), Anmarie Andresen, Chris Angelo, Thomas Even, Anne Fahey, Robert Fitzpatrick, Dave Ingram, Mike Milostan, Lisa Weideman, Ellen Wing

Absent: Mary Dubicki, Norb Pozen, Liz Schoenke

- A. Meeting opened by Tim Popp at 7:00 pm. Opening prayer by Anne Fahey
- B. Minutes of April 25<sup>th</sup> meeting approved. To be sent to parish office for placement on web site. Tim thanked Liz for taking the minutes.
- C. No Deanery meeting this past month. The next meeting will be May 17, 2017 at 7:00 pm at St. Joseph in Round Lake. The agenda for upcoming year to be discussed.
- D. Ministry Reports.
  - a. Pastoral Concerns-Anne
    - i. The Food Pantry truck will be at Prince of Peace July 29 and Aug 9
    - ii. The St. Vincent Benefit held at the end of April was well attended,
  - b. Formation/Education-Tim
    - i. School Rummage sale begins June 1, 2017
  - c. Community Life-Ellen
    - i. Elder Care will have a meeting this coming Saturday
    - ii. Savvy Seniors will install new officers at the June meeting to be held at Marvella's in Fox Lake.
    - iii. Welcome Committee has scheduled future Sunday Welcome meetings for new parishioners. The next one will be September 17, 2017.
- E. Pastor's Report-Fr. Gerald
  - a. Resumes for a new principal have been received. Interviews begin next week.
  - b. The Pastors will meet in June to work on Renew my Church.
  - c. The couches are back in the gathering space.
  - d. First Communion was last weekend. Deacon Christian Shue was here. Monday was May crowning.
  - e. Patrick Kizza, our seminarian this past year has completed his stay here. He will be in Boston next working in a chaplaincy in a hospital.
  - f. Graduation will be May 24<sup>th</sup>.
  - g. The May 1<sup>st</sup> mass will be a surprise retirement event for Bonnie Brown the school principal. Her last official day will be June 15<sup>th</sup>.
  - h. The parish office will close at 5 pm for the month of July. Adoration will continue on Mondays.
  - i. Staff will go on their annual overnight retreat at the seminary in Mundelein at the end of June. At that time the calendar and events for the upcoming year will be planned.

- j. Men's Chrp was a phenomenal success.
  - k. Cardinal Cupich will be here September 16 for the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school. An 8:00 am mass is being planned.
- F. Fall Commission/Ministry Fair-Tim
- a. Ministry Fair to be held in the beginning of November. Fr. to check on dates. To be held in the gathering space.
  - b. Fall Commission meeting to be held in September. Commissions to review how to present their areas at that time. Commissions to start thinking on this topic now with assistance of their commission liaisons.
  - c. PROJECT LEADER AND COMMITTEE NEEDED FROM PPC!
    - i. To organize and make notes for future ministry fairs.
- G. Open Forum
- a. Ellen mentioned the Bible study on the Eucharist found on Formed and recommended for all the review.
  - b. Anmarie is working on formatting the bylaws
  - c. Father will present a teaching mass in Fall.
  - d. Tim will send out email to see if June meeting to be held.
  - e. Next meeting to be held June 20 at 7:00 pm. Anmarie Andresen will do opening and closing prayer.
  - H. Meeting adjourned at 8:30 pm. Closing prayer by Anne Fahey.

Submitted by Jeanne Gundrum, Secretary