

ALL SAINTS PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES

St. John Campus –Hall

August 1, 2022

I. Opening

The meeting began at 7:39 p.m. with a prayer led by Fr. Meyer and the reading of our parish purpose statement.

II. Roll Call

Member(s) Present: Fr. Meyer, Emily Alig, R.J. Beck (2024), Brandy Bittner (2024), Michelle Deddens (2025), Tom Huber (2025), Peggy Smith (2023), Travis Swales (2023), Jeff Weckenbrock (2025)

Member(s) Absent: Fr. Mahan, Jeff Brand (2023), Keith Joerger (2024), Randy Schneider (2023)

III. Approval of Minutes – June 2022

Motion to approve – 1st – R.J. Beck

Motion to approve – 2nd – Michelle Deddens

IV. Agenda

1. Committee Updates

a. Finance Committee

- Sunday collection form was distributed.
- The Parish fiscal year ended on June 30 and the annual report will be distributed when it is completed.

b. Maintenance/Physical Facilities

- Physical Facility Project Update form was distributed and briefly discussed.
- The bat issue at St. Paul's is being addressed and an estimate has been received. The entire job should take about a month.
- The outdoor restrooms at St. Paul's are currently being renovated and should be completed for the festival. All labor has been a volunteer effort. A special thanks should be given to Jerry Graf and Larry Joerger who spearheaded this project.
- St. Paul's cemetery fence has been completed which was mostly funded by donations.

c. Proposals/Bids for Review

- No action items to review.

2. Old Business

a. Parish App

- The Parish app calendar now matches the Church calendar (thanks Emily).

b. Local Church Discussion Update

- A brief discussion was held regarding the low attendance at the local non-Catholic church. It appears many of their congregation are either still searching for or have already found a church.

- c. **Volunteer Revival – St. Paul’s festival remaining – where do we stand**
 - i. **Was the in-person sign up after masses helpful?**
 - The sign-up boards did not go well.
 - Email was sent to parish to ask for volunteers for the St. Paul campus festival.
 - ii. **What about new booth chairmen?**
 - Not discussed.
- d. **By-Law review, comments, and questions**
 - No changes were made to the By-laws.
- e. **Other**
 - The proposed coffee shop was discussed and a letter from Fr. Mahan supporting the idea was distributed. A committee will need to be formed that will be responsible for a business plan, hiring workers, etc.

3. New Business

- a. **Youth Ministry Update – Luke’s impact**
 - Luke’s impact has proven to be a great asset.
 - Luke and Lucy are doing great things.
- b. **Other**
 - Fr. Mahan will be giving talks, similar to what he did during lent, on different topics beginning Sunday, September 11 and continue on Sunday nights through October 2.

V. **Pastor’s Comments/Purpose Fulfilled.**

Closing prayer and meeting adjourned at 9:14 p.m.

Next meeting: September 12, 2022, 7:30 p.m.
St. John’s Campus