

## ALL SAINTS PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES

St. John Campus –Hall

November 7, 2022

### I. Opening

The meeting began at 7:41 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, R.J. Beck (2024), Brandy Bittner (2024), Jeff Brand (2023), Michelle Deddens (2025), Tom Huber (2025), Keith Joerger (2024), Peggy Smith (2023), Travis Swales (2023), Jeff Weckenbrock (2025)

Member(s) Absent: Fr. Mahan, Emily Alig, Randy Schneider (2023)

### III. Approval of Minutes – September 2022 (October 2022 meeting was cancelled)

Motion to approve – 1<sup>st</sup> – Tom Huber

Motion to approve – 2<sup>nd</sup> – Brandy Bittner

### IV. Agenda

#### 1. Committee Updates

##### a. Finance Committee

- Sunday Collection form was distributed and reviewed.
- Finances are doing well even though the collections are down a little from last year.
- World Youth Day is fully funded.

##### b. Maintenance/Physical Facilities

- Toller bells at St. Paul's are not working yet, but a company has been contacted to fix it.
- Outside lights at St. Paul's are working again.

##### c. Proposals/Bids for Review

- No action items to review

#### 2. Old Business

##### a. Fr. Mahan's Sunday Talk Review

- Fr. Mahan's talks went well and there was good attendance at the events.
- Jeff thanked everyone for their help and soup donation.

##### b. Bats at St. Paul's Update

- The bat issue has been taken care of at St. Paul's. However, one bat found its way back into the church. Emily is working with company to rectify the situation.

##### c. Engagement and Evangelization Outside the Parish

- Nothing to discuss.

### 3. New Business

#### a. St. Paul's Campus Festival Chairman

- Jeff thanked Keith for being chairperson for the St. Paul festival. At this time no one has come forward to take over the position.
- Jeff will talk to Emily to put an announcement in the bulletin asking for volunteer(s).
- Fr. Meyer will meet with Keith to brainstorm on possible replacements.

#### b. Billboard on I-74 Review

- A discussion was held to see if the parish should keep the billboard and share the cost with the other 3 Dearborn County parishes. Once a total cost to keep the billboard is calculated, Fr. Meyer will present it to the other councils to see if they are interested in sharing the cost.

#### c. Cemetery Guideline Updates

- Due to the recent issues the parish had with monument vendors, more processes have been created to prevent the issues from reoccurring.

#### d. Christmas Mass Schedule

- Christmas Eve – 4 p.m. – St. Joseph
- 7:30 p.m. – St. Martin
- 10 p.m. – St. Paul
- Christmas Day – Midnight – St. John
- 9:15 a.m. – St. John

#### e. Other

- January 2 is Fr. Meyer's and Fr. Mahan's Christmas party in Bright. Spouses are welcome to attend. Please bring a covered dish.
- Coffee shop proposal should be ready for review in February.
- The St. John Vinney Retreat House is going well.
- Gobble Wobble attendance is down right now, but is predicted to have 1,200 participants.
- Jeff reminded the group that if anyone wants to add anything to the agenda, please let him know in advance, if possible, or just bring it up at the meeting.
- There will be no meeting in December.

### V. Pastor's Comments/Purpose Fulfilled.

Closing prayer and meeting adjourned at 8:44 p.m.

Next meeting: February 6, 2022, 7:30 p.m.  
St. John's Campus