



# SAINT BONAVENTURE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Saint Bonaventure Parish Pastoral Council PPC Meeting

Minutes March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022 – 7:00pm Youth Room

Opening Prayer – Julie Lewis

Review and approval of minutes from the Last Meeting – approved

Present: Bill King, Chris Olson, Deacon Mickey Redfearn, Ben Krippner, Julie Lewis, Fr. James Chitteth, Carmen Brewers, Ed Huber, Breta MacPhie, Irene Odeluga, and Tammy Arndorfer

Absent: Nikki Mills, Michael Balko, Jeannette Chwailkowski, and Tom Mantel

Standing Items for the meeting

- Fr. James- Updates

## **Vision Plan**

- A joint meeting between the PPC and St. Bonaventure Staff will be held Tuesday April 5<sup>th</sup>.
- All PPC members and Staff are asked to read the Vision Plan prior to the April 5<sup>th</sup> meeting.
- The purpose of the meeting is to review the Vision Plan from 2018, update if needed, and put into action what we decide to do
- How will the Vision Plan be communicated to the greater parish? How will it be made known and available? Different thoughts and strategies were discussed. Further discussion on this topic will be done after the April 5<sup>th</sup> meeting.
- Make sure the Vision Plan is workable. Look at what will bear fruit.
- Incorporate what was learned from the Synod and at some point, what is expected from the Archdiocese as a result of the Synod.

## **Consecration of Russia and Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of Mary**

- Friday March 25<sup>th</sup>, Pope Francis will pray the Act of Consecration and

he has asked all bishops and priests to join him in this prayer.

- We will pray the prayer at 11am
- The prayer will be available on our website and a video will be available for those who are unable to attend in person

### **Stewardship**

- Jodi ordered t-shirts and they have arrived.
- There is need to update ministry lists to find out which ministries are still active.
- Fr. James asked about tying in the Stewardship Drive with the Volunteer Appreciation Dinner. He asked what we have done in the past. After discussion, it was decided to keep things as is- Volunteer Appreciation Dinner in April and the Stewardship Drive in October.

### **Role of the PPC**

- Propose the best opinion to the pastor, to Fr. James
- Move through agenda items thoughtfully, but quickly
- If a decision cannot be made quickly, put it to a vote

- Deacon Mickey – Updates

### **Rectory Kitchen Remodel**

- Cabinets are still delayed until June

### **Cell Phone Vendors**

- St. Bonaventure could possibly place a cell phone antenna on the building
- Pro- we would get paid to have the antenna
- Con- we would be stuck with the antenna for 30 years
- No one has contacted St. Bonaventure about this yet

### **Emerald Ash Borer**

- 42 trees on the property must be cut down
- 11 trees St. Bonaventure needs to pay for, 31 will be paid for by the City of Bloomington
- St. Bonaventure will be responsible for removing 42 stumps

### **Sound System**

- AVE does not believe our sound equipment is a problem. They think it is how the sound board is programmed.
- It was agreed to have AVE adjust the sound board.

### **Youth Minister**

- Reposting the Youth Minister Position this time as part-time, 10-20 hours per week

**Photos**

- The PPC decided that a group photo with a list of member names, including the names of PPC Members not pictured, is what will be displayed on the board in the back of the church.

Variable Agenda Items: **Mickey Redfearn and Irene Odeluga**

- Concerns over the use of contemporary music during Mass were presented to the PPC via a written letter
- The primary concern- is the music during Mass too contemporary? Have we moved away from hymns and songs that are Catholic?
- The recommendation from the PPC was to find a middle ground and do a mix of contemporary and traditional music.

- Any Other Items

- Begin thinking of nominations for new PPC Members
- One of the new PPC Members will be asked to be Secretary
- The Secretary Position will be a stepping stone to Vice Chair and Chair Positions

- Date and Time of the next meeting: **April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Tammy Arndorfer will lead prayer.

Closing Prayer – Julie Lewis

Follow up Accountabilities:

Who	What	When
Mickey Redfearn	Replicate the chart found on p. 15 of the Vision Plan to include the current numbers as of 2022	April 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
All PPC Members	Read the Vision Plan	April 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
All PPC Members	Member Nominations	April 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2022