

Pastoral Council
July 8, 2018
Meeting Notes

Note: Pastoral Council meeting planned for June 4, 2018 was postponed to July 8, 2018.

Present:

Members: Pat Mellen, Cathy Bureson, Joan Butler, Rita O'Neil, David Neu, Betty Chrestenson, and Ruth Licitra.

Staff: Sr. Mary Jo Quinn, Fr. Ed Hislop, and Deacon Ron Butler.

There were no additions to the Agenda.

- 1. Parish Picnic:** Sr. Mary Jo reminded the council that we had hosted a picnic for the neighborhood last summer. **The council agreed that we should host a picnic for the neighborhood again this year.** The date for the picnic was set for Sunday, September 9, 2018 at 11:30 am. Sr. Mary Jo suggested that we get the same band as last year and will contact them to see if they are available. There was a request for the Bouncy House as well. Ruth was asked if we would need a Health Permit for this event. She replied that since more than our parishioners are invited to this event, we would need a Health Permit. David and Pat will ask the Knights to man the BBQ.
- 2. Ice Cream Social:** We will hold the annual Ice Cream Social after the Mass for the Assumption, August 15, 2018. Ron suggested that Judy be asked if the Youth Group could serve the ice cream. Ron and Rita agreed to do the shopping for the event and were told that Jim should have the receipts from last year to create a grocery list. Rita asked the council to be involved with this event.
- 3. Maintain/Renew/Imagine Update:** Fr. Ed said that it was time to schedule a meeting of the Steering Committee now that the lighting engineer has created an estimate. It is also time to start planning for a capital campaign. The first step is to do a feasibility study. There is some help available from the Diocese. There will need to be a final Whole Parish meeting in the Fall. Hopefully, the lighting will be accomplished before Easter. Concern was expressed about losing enthusiasm for the project.
- 4. Pastoral Council Selection Process:** The August Pastoral Council meeting will be dedicated to the nomination process and naming some potential names to be on the next council. A person must be nominated to serve on the council.
- 5. Spanish Mass:** Blessed Trinity will be hosting the Spanish Mass on Sunday, July 15th and on Sunday, August 12th. It was suggested that participation from the wider community would be welcome.
- 6. Glass Recycling:** Sr. Mary Jo said that the first pick up for glass recycling would be August 5th.
- 7. Security Concerns:** Fr. Ed would like to have a security and safety training done in the Fall.

Next meeting: The next meeting of the Pastoral Council will be held on Sunday, August 5, 2018 after Sunday Mass.

Respectfully Submitted,
Ruth Licitra
July 12, 2018

