

Pastoral Council: January 6, 2019
Location: Meeting Room
Members Present: Father Ed, Deacon Ron, Joan Butler, Angela Weisbrich, Mike Ricci, Dan Yochim
 Betty Christensen, Carolina Bridges
Members Absent: Judy Cooney, Sr. Mary Jo, Pat Logan, Cathy Burleson

Topics

Discussion / Recommendations

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| 1. Reflection on Advent/
Christmas | Taught as Mystagogy; experience & reflection
Activities allowed for more centered focus on Advent.
Vespers gave sense of communal prayer of season.
Attendance down on No Room At the Inn & Christmas masses. |
| 2. Updates on Capital
Campaign(Maintain
Renew Imagine) | Finance Council/Strategic Planning team consensus
Land Sale to proceed w/revision of development plan
for land. Proceeds to be used to fix lighting and painting.
Campaign commitments will begin during Lenten Season.
Parish dinner meetings to discuss and make commitments.
5 th Sunday of Lent--Commitment for Capital Campaign
Parish will not take out loan for changes; funds will need to
Raised first for any changes to happen. |
| 3. Parish Stewardship Renewal | January/February 2019
Beginning end of January through mid-February
There will be two mailings, personal testimonials at mass,
Meetings, flyer/commitment cards based on Diocese
Guidelines. Cards for commitment on Feb. 10, mailing
2/17 and thank you mailings to those responding to the call. |
| 4. Lent: Parish Mission | March 30-April 2 Fr. Ricky Manalo |
| 5. Liturgical Ministers | Need Hospitality/Ushers, etc.; Security concerns; training needed.
Expand volunteers for Saturday 5 pm mass
Possible time change for Saturday mass to follow. |
| 6. Parish Nurse Ministry | Terry Hall to coordinate. Deacon Ron to follow up with her. |
| 7. RCIA | Evaluate outreach on this ministry. No participants at this time. |
| 8. "Strangers No Longer" | Jan. 28 th meeting for Parishoners on immigration issues.
2 attorneys, speakers from Soft Landings, & members of Latino
Community. Panel discussion on legal immigration rights. |
| 9. Evangelization: | How to we effectively welcome people to Blessed Trinity?
How to make mass services better for young families; possible child
care or increase in children's liturgies.
Increase use of social media outlets; Instagram, etc.
Inform people about our existing Outreach Ministries through social
media.
Survey parishioners for opinion on ways and means. |