## St. Paul's Parish Pastoral Council

Monday Sept. 20, 2021 – 7:00 p.m. (via Zoom)

## Minutes Prepared by Diana Strassman

## Present:

Scott Rutan Tim Runyan Linda D'Antonio

Sharyn Lipari Joe Ferrara Marianne Ferrara

Diana Strassman Robin Martz Fr. Paul

Bonnie Korherr Sue Muto George Hanley

Not Present:

Deb Urtz-Gleason Jodi Hickey

Eileen Wirley Ella Rynkiewicz

Elizabeth Randisi

(Scott's note: Sharyn was not present; Deacon Mark logged on part-way through the meeting; Deb, Eileen, Ella and Elizabeth are no longer on the council and so can be removed from the minutes, I believe.)

- Opening Prayer
- 2. The meeting was called to order by Scott Rutan. The Minutes of the previous meeting and agenda for the meeting were approved.
- 3. The need for a secretary for Parish Council to meet with the Executive Committee, which meets with Father to set up the agenda was discussed. Scott will revisit this at the next meeting.
- 4. Robin reminded members to complete the Conflict of Interest and note any conflicts and complete the Volunteer Waiver Form.
- 5. Katie Van Damme started as Adult Faith Formation Coordinator. She will be joining our next meeting.

- 6. The Kitchen had a sewage backup-grease trap buildup.
- 7. Cindy Rutan represented the Library Committee to talk about an All Parish Read Book Study. The design of the Book Study is to build Community within the church by getting people talking about the book. Meetings will be held at a variety of times and ways. 150 books will be given out around the Epiphany. The selected book is <a href="https://example.com/The-Wisdom of Fulton Sheen.">The Wisdom of Fulton Sheen.</a> It is a book of short reflections.
- 8. The Committee is also trying to set up a smaller book club that could meet at church.
- 9. Linda initiated a discussion about the Sign of Peace, so parishioners could turn to one another to offer a sign of peace as they felt comfortable.
- 10. Tim shared that the K of C is meeting at the McGibney Center. Bishop Matano blessed the new center.
- 11. There was a discussion of meeting in person and hybrid. Rm. 7 & 8 are set up for hybrid meetings.
- 12. Scott requested members to sign up to lead the prayers at the meetings. Please find a list containing the prayer schedule at the end of these minutes.
- 13. The next meeting will be via Zoom unless our system is up and running.
- 14. Katy VanDamme will be on the agenda at our next meeting which is October 18<sup>th</sup>.
- 15. The meeting was closed with prayer.

## **Prayer Schedule**

October- Bonnie
November- Marianne
December-Tim
January-Linda
February-George
March-Joe
April-Diana
May-Scott
June-Sue