

Pastoral Council Minutes 6-23-11

6:40pm Opening prayer – Elaine Andrews (Chair)

Present: Fr. Joe Vetter, Elaine Andrews, Frank Weisgerber, Karyn Soltis and Angie Hamlet

Absent: Anna Stone, Eric Vohwinkel, Jeff Dabney, Jeff Reynolds, Bill Sackley, and Caroline Cook

New Business

Fr. Joe Vetter provided a finance report

Parish shows an expected financial increase

Construction in the church is ongoing due some unavoidable delays Modifications to the Education Building (Parish Hall) were discussed

A donation for a new parish sign was reported

Sr. Catherine Fee has found a local residence and will begin at St. Therese after Labor Day

Proposals for continued funding of her position long-term were discussed

A RCIA 3-day training session will be held – sponsored by the North

American Forum. 10 parishioners will attend, including Sr. Catherine.

Frank Weisgerber – Knights of Columbus, reported on group's events

Wine, cheese and Art show made \$3,800.00 with 160 in attendance Shrimparoo made \$1,800.00 and donated \$500.00 in food to Good Shepherd from these proceeds.

He stated leftover proceeds will be donated to St. Therese Parish.

Pastoral Council discussed the need to have a set meeting time each month

Fr. Joe informed the council that the Diocese wants to promote stewardship:

Stated a Stewardship committee will be formed to accomplish this

Council was informed that Marlene Eader (Social Events Coordinator) will be

hosting welcome gatherings after ALL Masses in September 10th

& 11th to welcome Sr. Catherine.

There will be NO Pastoral Council meeting in August

The next Pastoral Council meeting was scheduled for JULY 28TH @ 6:30pm, with agenda items to include: developing a timeline for future events and preparation for upcoming council elections

7:45pm Meeting adjourned

7:46pm Closing Prayer – Fr. Joe Vetter