

Sacred Heart Parish Pastoral Council
November 21, 2016

Absent: Diane Walling, Anne Coglianese, Deacon Bill Gallagher, Tom Nowak, and Steven Good.

- I. Opening prayer offered by Pat Cahill
- II. Review and approve minutes from the October 17, 2016 meeting
- III. Pastor's Report by Father Tom
 - Parish Office moving to the Parish Center in July, 2017: Meeting with the director of campus ministries Fr. Pete McCormick, Director of Missions Bill Lease, Superior Collins set for December 5th 2016.
 - 175th Anniversary SHP – Glasses are selling however with all the Christmas activities, sales are starting out slower. January/February possible after Mass sales.
 - Tom Nowak is working on an ornament artist (notes) will have a sample. Going through the Bookstore and would be available for Christmas 2017.
 - Paul Eddy is working on the artwork, deadline is December 15th – ad Hoc logo is temporarily being used.
 - Renewal Day – EU ministers December 3rd – slower reading with emphasis on message.
 - Football raffle - \$870 in sales – Overall FB weekends have been very successful.
 - Redeemer Radio – Made our goal
- IV. Religious Education – Michelle Kriss
 - Green Sheet for enrollment, 24 students and 11 families. 4 NDU Catechists, Sue Korlan has been doing a great job in the program. Bishop Rhodes 5 lessons before Confirmation – Classroom structure, getting the children involved and special classes on the Rosary, the Liturgical Year, covering Reconciliation and EU. December 11th annual Christmas pageant, all participate in costume always a success. Why Catholic – 80 participants down about 20 from last year, the dates for spring will start Feb 26th – April 2nd. Advertising and posters to draw more participants. Adult Faith Formation – 10 weekly sessions Wed 10:30 – 12:00 from January – May so as not to overlap with Why Catholic.
- V. Social Justice: See Minutes from October 13, 2016SJM meeting attached.
- VI. Old Business
 - Epiphany Mass and Brunch – New prices for children, posters are complete and will be displayed. Teens are also special priced for parishioners. Morris Inn Menu, parking is open, no valet. Selling tickets December 3rd through the 18th. Will have a designated handicap parking area. Pat Cahill and Anne Borjas volunteer for the 11:00 Mass. Tickets are available after Mass.
 - Monthly Christian Issues tabled until the next meeting.

- Mass of Remembrance had a good turnout and Why Catholic Pot Luck -50 of 80 participants.

VII. New Business

- Ash Wednesday Mass and simple soup lunch March 1st. – Pat Cahill and Jane Mulligan hosting. Email Diane for the list of soup providers.
- Seder Meal March 22, 2017 – Cindy Pilot/ Nan Tulchinsky on track.
- Pictorial Directory August 2017 – Pat Cahill, Paul Eddy & Kim Spence – room is reserved for the pictures Schedule August 16th – the 25th.
- Fr Tom on vacation February 6th – 17th.
- Other News – Fr Tom – Mission statement for the 175th Anniversary – ideas welcome. State the draft:

Mission Statement Draft VII November, 2016

Founded by the Congregation of Holy Cross in 1842, Sacred heart Parish, Notre Dame Indiana, gathers to celebrate Eucharist, to be nourished by Word and Sacrament, and to nourish others.

VIII. Annual Parish Celebrations for 2016-2017.

- Mass Of Remembrance – Wednesday November 2, 2016
- Epiphany Breakfast – Sunday, January 8, 2017
- Ash Wednesday Mass & Simple Soup – Wednesday, March 1, 2017
- Seder Meal – Wednesday, March 22, 2017
- Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Mass & Supper – Friday, June 23, 2017
- Parish Picnic and Outdoor Mass – Sunday, August 13, 2017.

IX. Closing Prayer – Annie Borjas

Next Meeting Monday, March 27, 2017

Submitted by Kim Spence