

St. Hubert Catholic Church Parish Council Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: December 15th, 2022

Present: Fr. Tollefson, Fr. Aric, Jerry Reutzel, Peg Snoke, Amy Pabich, Charlie Keys, Ryan Soller, Paul Rothstein & Janet Richardson

Next meeting: January 19th, 2023

Agenda Topics	Summary of Discussion	Action/Decision	Follow up Person	Target Date
Approval of Minutes	Approved	Approved		
Update from Father T	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New business administrator – Pat Dolan – starts on January 3rd. Responsibilities: Janet does day to day administrations, cemetery, and operations. Business administrator will do HR and Finance. Lighthouse consultants will go away. May employ them for specific reasons in the future. - Internet breach – doing everything we can and putting even more security structures in place to prevent events like this in the future. - House on new property was demolished and has been cleared away. - Synod discussion – In future meetings, we will be covering short excerpts from the Synod document and discussion and determining how they guide our strategy. Our mission and vision are already well-aligned with the Bishop’s letter. Emphasizing small groups in the fall. The 12 will meet and determine the direction of the small groups. - Still no musical coordinator – Staff and volunteers have been covering. Missalettes are temporary. Hymnal is being ordered and is partially covered by a donor but still looking for additional donors. - Ryan Soller – Old St. Hubert update – connected with the outgoing community director at Chanhassen who has been there over 30 years. She is retiring this week and connecting Ryan with another long tenured person. The last time we did a roof replacement, the city of Chanhassen potentially covered 100% of the bill. Looking to get additional information from the city on whether anything similar would be possible again. Ryan will also connect with Tom Workmen. - Are we having a stewardship drive this year? Hadn’t happened so far because of the data breach. 	Janet to make printouts of the Synod letter for PC members for covering sections at the upcoming PC meetings.	Janet	1/12/23

Article Discussion	<p>Discussed article https://catholicmissionarydisciples.com/news/why-catholic-parishes-struggle-to-get-volunteers-and-what-to-do-about-it</p> <p>Felt that the article captured what has been happening not just in our parish but also for the last couple of decades.</p> <p>We may not even have enough renters to move to the next stage of rent to own. The strategy to get renters is different than conversion to owners.</p> <p>Churches are no longer the place where people are finding their community. How do we create a place where people find community? Where are people finding their communities? Don't feel a sense of belonging in church and don't feel connected.</p> <p>Don't feel that the Catholic church is welcoming to all.</p> <p>Engaging the people that are already there so that we have a robust community. The 12 are meant to do that and then report to the Parish Council and seek input from the Parish Council. After the meeting in January, have them start attending and have a rotation.</p> <p>How do we welcome people in – Gabby and Father T were meeting everyone but now that Gabby is helping out in other areas it is not happening. Father T is meeting with those that most need to be met. Looking at other Parish Ambassador programs.</p> <p>Working on staffing or evaluating other options. How do we welcome people to that next level?</p> <p>Make a friend, be a friend, bring a friend to Christ.</p>	Continue to consider how to bring people in and encourage more engagement	All	
Hospitality Help	PC Members to assist with hosting hospitality and work with ministries to cover volunteers for hospitality.	Work with Gabbie on training and schedule	Amy	1/12/23
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