

Parish Pastoral Council Minutes

October 15, 2015

Members Present: Fr. Frank, Scott Phillips, Clare Charzewski, Mark Ebreo, Jerry Gardner, Scott Spanbauer, John Fout, Michelle Curnow, Ellen Wentz, Bill Starr and Debra Pavicic

Members Absent: Matt Gibbons and Nasser Miranda.

Opening Prayer

Mark

Presentation and Review of Secretary's minutes

Michelle Curnow

Past meeting minutes were approved.

Follow up on PPC Members

Scott Phillips asked those PPC members who can, after church stand behind Father to greet parishioners as they leave church.

Queens Classic Golf Tournament

The event was a success with a profit of \$17,293. All Queen of Apostles staff was present at the event. Clare asked members to support sponsors (list past out). The parish showed well at the tournament due to the planning and preparation that took place.

BBQ

837 plates were served and the net profit was \$4400.

Potential New Members for Pastoral Council

The staff added nine names for potential new members. Any other additional name should be given to Father by mid November.

Father's Updates:

Hispanic Ladies Bible Study

There are 15 members and they meet twice a month, the first and third Monday at 6pm.

Dynomite Soccer

This group will be ending the season in two weeks and will have a banquet.

DSA

The parish was short \$900, creating the smallest reserve we have had to pay out in about three years.

You-Tube channel

All church created videos are available and as of now the address is unknown.

Building next to church will be demolished soon.

Heart Work Camp

25 of 35 slots have been filled.

Four staff members will be attending the Mid Atlantic Conference in Feb. in Baltimore.

South Point High School's auditorium is reserved for Christmas

Adult Small Groups for Advent "Dirt"

Two groups are already closed with the possibility of adding a few more groups.

Environmental Issues

Members read three articles about the greening of other church parishes. Currently the church recycles paper, plastic, glass, and aluminum. Paper is being limited by printing on double sides, and with limited mailings.

Members shared thoughts and ideas about how church can be greener:

Programmable thermostat

Compost center (issues with wildlife)

Rainwater harvesting system

Solar panels

Energy evaluation

Farm to table

Organize educate and act

Carpool to church

Led lights

Holy Father encourages environmental friendly actions

Closing Prayer: Ellen

Adjournment

Next PPC meeting is November 19th, 2015 at 7pm