

Pastoral Council Meeting

MINUTES

5-19-09

7:00 PM

PARISH OFFICE

MEETING CALLED BY	Virginia Robinson
TYPE OF MEETING	Pastoral Council Monthly Meeting
GUEST	
SECRETARY	Debbie Gallegos
PASTORAL STAFF	Kathy Barkdull
ATTENDEES	Brad Bugger, Ramon Gutierrez, David Behrend, Mike Huston, Kevin Helgeson, David Alexander, Richard Holmes, Jerry Downey, Cathy Heggenberger, Sue Johnson and David Behrend

Excused: Artagnan Ayala

Agenda topics

OLD BUSINESS

BRAD B.

DISCUSSION	Minutes from the April 21, 09 meeting	
	Minutes were approved with corrections made to Youth Ministry report stating facilitators not leaders.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Approved minutes put in each of the chapels and web site	Debbie G	05/20/09

FINANCE COUNCIL

SUE J.

DISCUSSION	Finance Council postponed their annual budget meeting to May 20, 2009. We are currently at 81% of our ICA goal. The front steps at St. Anthony Chapel are in need of being replaced and bids are currently being taken for the job.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Report on Finances	Sue Johnson	06/16/09

SCHOOL BOARD

MIKE H.

DISCUSSION	Currently there are 175 students. They have received 156 letters of intent for the 2010 school year. Daycare and Preschool are full. The 2009-2010 budget has been turned in to Father Enrique for his approval.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
School Board Update	Mike Huston	06/16/09

REFF COMMITTEE

CATHY H.

DISCUSSION	The REFF meeting for the month of May has been cancelled but they will be meeting in June. The Budget for Youth Ministry and Religious Education has been submitted to Father Enrique.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
REFF Committee Report	Bruce Olenick	06/16/09

YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATE

DISCUSSION	See attached report from David O'Neill.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Youth Ministry Update	David O'Neill	06/16/09

BUIDING PROCESS UPDATE

BRAD B.

DISCUSSION	Bids are out for the offsite sewer project. Father Enrique has asked Rocky Mountain Engineering to go ahead and start bidding out the road, pad and utilities. The soil samples are back. There will be a Building Core Committee meeting on May 21 st . CCS (Capital Campaign Company) will be attending the meeting to answer any questions that the Building Core Committee might have. The Veterans Administration will be coming in at the end of May to look at the property.	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Building Process Update	Brad Bugger	06/16/09

OPEN BUSINESS

DISCUSSION	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The dishwasher/sanitizer at St. Paul's is broken and will cost approximately \$50.00 to fix. 2. Thank you to Sue Johnson for volunteering to be on the Deanery Pastoral Council, we are still in need of one more person. The next meeting is Aug. 29th in Blackfoot. 3. One of the concerns that parishioners have is what will be do now that Deacon Bill is leaving. 	
ACTION ITEMS		DEADLINE
Closing Prayer		8:00 pm Meeting ended
NEXT MEETING	June 16, 2009 7:00 pm Parish Office.	

Youth Ministry Report for Pastoral Council Meeting

Sorry for not supplying a report for the previous Pastoral Council. Youth Ministry has been moving along slowly but surely. It's been an interrupted end to the year with Easter, the Food Fair, Memorial Day, Proms, Sport Competitions etc. so we haven't met regularly on a Sunday which has affected our turnouts. We're averaging just under 30 youth total per weekend. Holy Grounds is still going strong with a consistent group of about 13 attending each week. The Confirmation Mass on April 29th with the Bishop was fantastic. A lot of good reports from here and American Falls. I'd like to make some corrections to the previous month's minutes regarding information given. Firstly, the idea of a youth choir is not something that we are considering at present nor in the near future. It is not part of our vision for the Youth Mass. I will continue working with individual musicians to bring them up to speed for playing at mass. Secondly, we are not planning to have seniors running Life Teen at any stage. We will continue having a Core Team made up of adults as well as several hand-picked youth to assist in facilitating Life Teen. We have planned an end-of-year Lagoon Trip for Saturday, June 6. Next year's curriculums are currently being prepared with the REFF. Budgets have been submitted and are awaiting approval. Some social events are being planned for the summer.

Thank you,

Dave