

# Pastoral Council Meeting approved 10/19/2010

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MINUTES

9/21/10

7:00 PM

PARISH OFFICE

<b>MEETING CALLED BY</b>	Brad Bugger
<b>TYPE OF MEETING</b>	Pastoral Council Monthly Meeting
<b>GUEST</b>	
<b>SECRETARY</b>	Debbie Gallegos
<b>PASTORAL STAFF</b>	Father John, Father Dat, Fr. Chase, Kathy Barkdull, Melanie Broswick and David O'Neill
<b>ATTENDEES</b>	Brad Bugger, Richard Holmes, Cathy Heggenberger, Louanna Maheras, Dave Behrend, Jerry Downey, Paul Yochum, Sue Johnson, Bruce Broswick, Claudia Allen, and Julian Gabiola

Excused: Pedro Miramontes

### Agenda topics

#### INTRODUCTION OF NEW PRIESTS

BRAD B.

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	Minutes from the August 17, 2010 meeting	
	Minutes were approved as written.	
<b>ACTION ITEMS</b>	<b>PERSON RESPONSIBLE</b>	<b>DEADLINE</b>
Approved minutes put in each of the chapels and web site	Debbie G	10/19/10

#### GOALS

BRAD B.

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<p><b>Stewardship:</b> About 30 people have contacted Brad regarding helping with Hospitality Nights. A date and time will be set in October. It was suggested to have the Hospitality Night together with the Knights of Columbus Council 8930's Beer and Brats.</p> <p><b>Adult Formation:</b> Bruce O. will get together with Fr. John to discuss future Adult Formation.</p> <p><b>Communications:</b> Cathy H. will start follow-up calls to the ministries.</p> <p><b>School Development:</b> Waiting to speak to Nancy.</p>
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#### FINANCE COUNCIL

PAUL Y.

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	The Finance Council met on Sept. 14 <sup>th</sup> . Everyone was happy with Fr. John's "Sermon on the Amount." Fr. John has adjusted the budget so it would balance. Cuts were made in priest & employee benefits, Diocese assessment, uncollected balance of the ICR and ICA. An Independent Audit on the parish & school finances was conducted on Aug. 30 <sup>th</sup> . The results were good and a few recommendations on the procedures for counting cash and depositing were made. Pat Cristler, the Diocesan Finance Officer, has resigned. The Diocese has asked that a Disclosure Clause be put in the Foundation that the school has developed.
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#### BUILDING PROCESS

FR. JOHN

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	We have been very busy with the closing of St. Paul's, a new Mass schedule and the Capital Campaign. Here is a list of the phases that the building process has been going through. Phase 1: Layout of new Master Plan, stabilization of St. Joseph's restoration and adding a heat and smoke detection system and infrastructure of the new property. Phase 2: Parish Activity Center. To date we have 129 families who have pledged. Fr. John has asked that the Phon-a-thon stage of the Capital Campaign to be extended another week. Phase 3: The Church. Phase 4: The School. Fr. John would like to reintroduce a gym in the Parish Activity Center. He would like to use the design of the new one in Moscow with a few modifications. We need to square off the outside walls and make use of the valley views. Fr. John will meet with the design community. We need to
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	have adequate planning for maintenance. Reopen the communications with Joe Reams. He has asked Brad Huerta to help him work out the demographics of this area so that we can plan accordingly. The parish staff will be working on updating the parish data base. Fr. John stated. "We are not in a crisis and need to take our time to plan and develop a Parish Activity Center for all."
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## SCHOOL BOARD

LOUANNA M

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	The school board met on Sept. 8 <sup>th</sup> . 52 children were enrolled in the Summer Program. Richard H. has kept expenses down and will continue to furnish lunches for the Roosevelt Center. The Christmas Program will run in conjunction with the Festival of Trees. The hospital has asked that the school hang up on the walls of the hospital art work from the students. Currently there are eight 7 <sup>th</sup> graders and twelve 6 <sup>th</sup> graders. The school is doing well financially. They currently have 175 students.
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## YOUTH REPORT

DAVE O

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	The Youth Group is back and doing well. Life Teen is meeting in the Knights of Columbus Council 8930's room. Life Teen participants had dinner at Father John's on Sept. 18 <sup>th</sup> . The Youth Mass will be the 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month. Confirmation will start in October. Currently there are 50 Edge and Life Teen participants.
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## ERE REPORT

MELANIE B.

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	ERE will be starting Sept. 27 <sup>th</sup> . To date there are 27 children registered. Melanie is thinking about adding pre-school next year. She has 9 kids in RCIA for Kids and they meet every Thursday evening. Everything is going well. Melanie and Dave will be sharing resources with Blackfoot.
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## OTHER BUSINESS

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pastoral Council elections: Parish Council Elections will be held on October 16/17. We have received three bios maybe four.</li> </ul>
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<b>DISCUSSION</b>	
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Closing Prayer	Meeting ended at 8:10pm		
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<b>NEXT MEETING</b>	October 17, 2010 7:00 pm Parish Office.
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