

# SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

## Minutes

June 12, 2018

Welcome: Rita, vice-chairperson, welcomed all.

Opening Prayer: Father led us in prayer, "Father, We Thank You".

Roll Call: Father Day, Rita Smith, Merle Kruer, Leslie Smith, Mary Temple, Tracy Martin, David Miller, Denise Corley, Lisa Heck, Larry Buechler, Darlene McCoy, Cathy Graninger, Sharon Schmidt

Excused: Brad Denman, Vicki Waterbury, Patrick Oster

Absent:

Approval of Minutes: Merle made a motion to approve minutes. Lisa seconded.

### **ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

Report on Strawberry Festival. Not all bills are in yet but expect this year's festival to be our best. Hope to have a report at the Festival Workers Party. Several booths ran out of items this year. Dinner for next year is still being discussed.

4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade and Festival Workers Appreciation cookout preparations are in progress.

We have 3 candidates along with their Bio's for the Parish Pastoral Council nominations. Will be in bulletin this weekend.

### **COMMISSION REPORTS**

#### **Catholic Faith Formation Ministry**

Sharon's report: There have not been any applications turned in yet for the Richard Smith Scholarship. Hope to have some soon. The calendar has been set for the new school year.

#### **Catholic Youth Ministry**

Vicki's report:

June 12, 19 & 26 – Flyer with info for Summer Daze 2018 was attached to the backside of the May minutes. There are 6 middle schoolers, 2 high school youth helping, 2 parents volunteering, and van from Books to help transport. We will be alongside of youth from St. Mary's Navilleton, St. Mary's of the Knobs, and other parishes in the deanery.

June 11-15 – OBOC at St. Meinrad. We have 5 youth attending this year: Maddie Martin, Sam Kruer, Jaren Barnes, Austin Lacy, and Elliott Lonnemann. We are leaving Monday June 11 and returning Friday June 15.

I am planning on having our 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade wagon again this year, on July 1. I will be in contact with the Books to confirm this. It worked out well last year, and we had it full of youth and festive decorations last year.

July 10 -15 – Wolfe Pack Mission – I am still encouraging youth to attend Wolfe Pack Mission Trip. It is a great experience!

Confirmation date is set! Our 13 youth will be Confirmed on Saturday, October 27 at 11:00 am at OLPH in New Albany.

Have a great month!

Vicki

### **Liturgical and Spiritual Life Ministry**

Cathy's report: Lector workbooks have been ordered. We have 5 new servers. Hoping to start a Vacation Crucifix for Families. There will be a Priest Missionary in July. There will be no meeting in July

### **Building and Grounds Ministry**

Larry's report: We are hoping to get a group together to go thru what is left in the old storage building. Lawn care – Mark will continue to mow but need someone for landscaping. Larry will call Tony Torres and Jarad Schmidt for bids. The underground sewer and water line need to be fixed.

### **Finance Council**

Merle's report:

The balance in the general account is \$98,345.11 and the balance in the gaming account is \$17,193.24.

The Finance Council did not meet in May, therefore there is nothing to report. The next meeting is scheduled for June 26, 2018 at 6:30 pm. All are invited.

### **Stewardship Commission**

Lisa's report: We did not meet in May. There was a nice supply of items donated for Marie's Ministry. We may have another collection of items in the fall. We will continue to collect lotions and wipes.

**What needs to be communicated?** Larry will contact businesses for landscaping bids

Father will co-ordinate group to clean out the storage building.

Bios for nominees will be in bulletin

### **Questions, Comments, Concerns**

**Next Executive meeting is July 3, 2018 at 6 pm**

**Next Parish Pastoral Council meeting is Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at 7 pm.**

**Father led us in closing prayers.** Closing prayer: Father, We Give You Thanks.