PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING November 3, 2021

Opening Prayer

Attendees: Father Nic, Michael Case, Mike McKay, Deacon Jack, Bob Davis, Chris Jermann, Katie Wohrle

Agenda:

- 1. October Minutes:
 - a. Approved.
- 2. Reviewed Reports:
 - a. Prayer Shawl Ministry would like to display the items for public consumption in the meditation room. Father Nic recommend putting the items out on a designated weekend for display.
 - b. Welcome Booth Welcoming Committee would like to have representation in the Gathering Space on a trial basis to test viability and success. Thought is to have a way for new or prospective Parishioners to engage with the Saint Cecilia. Also, a permanent location for various items for new Parishioners. Father Nic recommended to have in place by Christmas as well as staffed at Ash Wednesday and Easter. Will need to go through the contents at the current bulletin board which will be the location.
 - c. Grants received a grant from the Catholic Foundation for the 99 Experience which our Parish will present in March. Additional funds were granted for review and refreshing the interior of the Church.
 - d. Pilgrimage There was great participation in planning meeting for the Pilgrimage to Italy planned for next year. Initial registration money is due November 15 and proof of vaccination is required. Flyers and openings are still available.
 - e. Donor Tree Discussed proposal to replace the donor tree in the Gathering Space with a permanent plaque. Katie will initiate a search for an appropriate replacement.
- 3. Old Business:
 - a. Strategic Planning Committee continuing to do SWOT analysis of remaining groups. Next meeting should have updates.
 - b. Budget Committee Euchre and Music Trivia nights are in the works for the Parish at the beginning of the year. Father Nic is interested in bringing back Mardi Gras night with dinner, music, drinks, and possibly a silent auction. Need a band for the evening.
- 4. New Business:
 - a. Nothing at this time.
- 5. Father's Report:
 - a. Nothing at this time.

Next Meeting: December 1, 2021