

Pastoral Council Meeting

February 10, 2022

St. Mary Catholic Faith Community

Hales Corners, WI

Present: Fr. Aaron Laskiewicz, Clem Budny, Thomas Bartnicki, Lynn Czaplewski, David Fritz, Mike Hamlin, Tom Fredrickson, Mary Matestic, Maureen Riemer, Jim Podewils, Deb Schenk, Deb Gonnella

Excused: Andre Lesperance, Lisamarie Collins, Tammy DuBois

Opening Prayer: Fr. Aaron lead a Lectio Divina meditation

Approval of November Minutes: The minutes from January were approved.

Commission and Deanery Reports

Deanery report: The Deanery did not meet this month

School report: No updates

Pastoral Care report: Decided to delay creating a commission until this summer. Some nursing homes have no Catholic presence. Feb 19-20 will be the Mass for the Anointing of the Sick.

SLAW: Review of Christmas and looking ahead to Lent. Could use more hospitality ministers.

Social Concerns: Different groups will be speaking at each Mass during Lent. Road to Damascus has 60 attendees for this weekend.

[W St Mary Social Concerns Minutes January 18, 2022 \(1\).docx](#)

Finance Committee: St. Mary's is in good financial health and they are working on a budget for next year.

Administrator's Report:

St. Blaise blessing was a great success.


Be Still and Know on Feb 27th at 4:00pm. Stations of cross on Fridays at 6:30pm, evening prayers on Sundays at 4:00pm during Lent. Friday the March 25th - Solemnity of the Annunciation with 6:30 holy hour on that day. Doing 1% challenge for Lent.

Live Streaming:

Danielle Michaels is going to lead live streaming. This is going to be handled under the Spiritual Life and Worship commission. This should be up and running by Lent or before. Videos will be available via vimeo.

Council Norms:

Revision of Council Norms were distributed and discussed. New revision was sent out via email.

 2021 Draft Pastoral Council Norms Appendix .docx.pdf

Covid Discussion:

There will not be a section for masked attendees at the Mass. Father will be sending out a message related to how St. Mary's is handling people's safety during covid.

The meeting closed with a Blessing.

Submitted by: Deb Gonnella