



# Blessed Sacrament Church

4500 Jackson Blvd.  
Rapid City, SD 57702-4972  
Phone: (605) 342-3336  
Fax: (605) 341-5668  
[bsc@blessedsacramentchurch.org](mailto:bsc@blessedsacramentchurch.org)

## BLESSED SACRAMENT PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

1/12/2023, 6:30 PM, Parish Office

**Call to Order:** Dave Raml called the meeting to order at 6:30pm

**Present:** Father Tim, Dave Raml, Ashley Bradsky-Hunsaker, Eric Pearson, Ian Kopriva, Katie Wermers, Justin Wermers, Bill Colson, Jon Schaack, Tim Callahan, Mary Ireland, and David DiMaria.

**Approval of minutes:** The minutes of the board meeting conducted on November 10, 2022 were presented. Motion was made and passed to approve minutes as read.

### Presentation of Reports:

#### 1. Pastor's Report

- Announcement of new Associate Pastor Fr. Francis starting in February
  - Meet and greet at Pancake Breakfast February 12
  - Fr. Francis will participate in some speech training and printed copies of homily will be available
- Marian Plaza Project
  - Project is out for bid
  - Forming a campaign committee for this project
- Forming a capital campaign committee for major renovation

#### 2. President's Report

- Parish Festival Date set for August 12, 2023

#### 3. Liaison Reports

- Welcoming & Belonging (Ian and Ashley)
  - Welcoming committee needs help and an overhaul
    - Materials need to be updated
    - Volunteers are needed
    - Members need to be informed on Parish happenings
    - Other ideas discussed
  - Discussed ideas on how to recognize and identify new Parishioners
  - Adult Formation
    - Recruitment of leaders and participants is big issue and need
    - TVs, remotes, wifi access, etc. should be available in every meeting room

- Liturgy (Mary)
  - Studying the elements of the mass/liturgy and implementing them into the mass
  - Reviewed good/bad of Advent, Christmas; Mercy Night, and how can we improve
  - Discussion of EM changes
    - Need more volunteers
    - EM's need to use the MSP software properly
- Youth Evangelization (Katie)
  - Shared program number (separate attachment)
  - Growing need for Leaders (core members)
- Communication
  - How do we best let our parishioners know our needs?
  - Parish Directory of some sort (digital vs print)
- Knights of Columbus (Eric)
  - Knight of Wind February 10<sup>th</sup> – still tickets available
  - Pancake and Donut DAtes
- Finance – nothing to report

**Meeting Adjourned at 9:00pm**



# Blessed Sacrament Church

4500 Jackson Blvd.  
Rapid City, SD 57702-4972  
Phone: (605) 342-3336  
Fax: (605) 341-5668  
bsc@blessedsacramentchurch.org

## BLESSED SACRAMENT PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

2/9/2023, 6:30 PM, Parish Office

**Call to Order:** Dave Raml called the meeting to order at 6:30pm

**Present:** Father Tim, Father Francis, Dave Raml, Ashley Bradsky-Hunsaker, Eric Pearson, Ian Kopriva, Katie Wermers, Justin Wermers, Bill Colson, Jon Schaack, Tim Callahan, Maria Dolores Muñoz, and David DiMaria.

**Approval of minutes:** The minutes of the board meeting conducted on January 12, 2023 were presented. Motion was made and passed to approve minutes as read.

### Presentation of Reports:

#### 1. Pastor's Report

- Welcome and introduction to Fr. Francis
- Committee for Outreach – focus on evangelization and inviting them to mass
  - Encouraging people to come in and meet with Fr. Tim or Fr. Francis
- Flourishing Families (Deanery 1) – focus is on what to do to work together to grow and flourish
- Wednesday dinners are continuing to be successful, the addition of reconciliation on Wednesday night has been appreciated

#### 2. President's Report

- Follow-ups from last month's liasons
  - Newlywed night was a success, discussion on doing another in April
  - Knight of Wine tickets sold out

#### 3. Liaison Reports

- Finance (David DiMaria)
  - Income and Expenses in line with budget
  - Budget for next fiscal year starts in July so meetings for that will begin soon
  - January Campaign – brochure was well done, witness talks were well received
  - Discussed ways to anticipate future large expenses (i.e. roof, boiler, etc)
- Rapid City Catholic Schools (Jon Schaack)
  - School Board's Mission Committee – focus on Parish and school communication and involvement
    - Discussed incorporating a shared calendar
  - Educate on Classical Education Model

## Renovation

- Renovation Committee became Restoration Committee
  - Members partook in architecture course
- Marian Grotto
  - Basic design decided and project is now out for bid
  - Funding and pledges received, including paver revenue, equates to about 50% of anticipated cost. Campaign/fundraising committee being formed
  - Statute is in our possession and has been fully paid for by three generous families
  - Construction timeline delayed
- Major Church Restoration
  - Much discussion to identify most desired components of restoration
  - Additional campaign/fundraising committee will be formed
  - Timeframe for construction 2+ years out

**Meeting Adjourned at 8:30pm**