

CLUSTER MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2018

The cluster meeting of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, Sacred Heart and Sts. Phillip and James was held on Tuesday, October 2, 2018 at Our Lady of the Holy Rosary, Lost Nation.

Present were: Father Francis Odoom, OLHR: Jim Schroeder, Sally VandeWalle, Linda Schneider, JoAnne Horstmann and Rosanne Wisor. SACRED HEART: Mark Denniston, Mary Ann Mostaert, Blain Corck, Ron Nowachek and Kathy Mizaur. SSPJ: Peter Whitman and Al Kagemann. Others present were: Sue Zeller, Barb Ihns, Jill Hermiston and Dwight Niermeyer.

SSPJ council president Peter Whitman called the meeting to order, followed by prayer from Father Francis.

Minutes of the previous cluster meeting were not available, therefore, no motion to accept minutes was made.

Parish presidents Jim Schroeder, Mark Denniston and Peter Whitman gave reports on their respective parishes.

Father Francis spoke on Vision 20/20 and reported that there are 5 members from each parish serving on the Vision 20/20 committee. There will be presentations on Sun., Nov. 18 @1:30 p.m. at SSPJ, Grand Mound. There will be a presenter, video and Bishop Zinkula and Father Francis will speak.

On open discussion, Father spoke on the need for a Cluster Administrative Asst. It was decided that Father will meet with the presidents of all three parishes to come up with a job description and a wage that will meet all parish budgets.

Review of the Cluster Constitution resulted in some deletions and modifications. It was noted the DREs should attend cluster meetings. Voting rights are for the council president and two trustees/lay directors from each parish. If the any or all of the three are not in attendance, council president can appoint members from the parish council. Motion by Rosanne Wisor on a second from Al Kagemann to accept this item. All Ayes. Section D-Terms of Members...motion to eliminate this section by Jim Schroeder, second by Rosanne Wisor. All Ayes. Reviewed Section C Forum Majority, leave as is. Finally, a motion to accept the constitution changes was made by Jim Schroeder, on a second by Al Kagemann, motion carried with all Ayes.

Discussion about the Mass rotation was held. As of now, the rotation will be Saturdays @ 5:00 p.m. at OLHR, Sunday @ 8:00 a.m. at SSPJ and 10 a.m. at Sacred Heart. Father spoke on some possibilities for OLHR having at least one Sunday Mass per month. Father and council will meet and discuss possibilities.

Upcoming events:

- Sunday, October 14: Confirmation at SSPJ @ 1:00 p.m.

- Friday, October 25/Saturday, October 26: Perpetual Adoration at SSPJ. 24 hours, 10 a.m. Friday thru 10 a.m. Saturday. Sign up sheets available at all parishes.
- Sunday, October 28: Women's Retreat at OLHR, Lost Nation from 3-6 p.m.
- Sunday, Nov. 18: Vision 20/20 presentation at SSPJ @ 1:30p.m.

The next cluster meeting will be Feb. 7, 2019 6:30 p.m. at OLHR, Lost Nation.

With no other business to discuss, Father Francis gave the closing prayer.

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Mark Denniston on a second from Jim Schroeder.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Zeller

OLHR/SH Bookkeeper/Secretary