

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, March 4th, 6:30 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT:

- (P) Julie **LAMPLEY** (*President/Cemetery Commission*)
(P) Amy **MCCRARY** (*Vice President/Administrative Commission*)
(A) Brad **KUNTZ** (*Secretary/Christian Worship Commission*)
- (P) Lisa **BERG** (*Christian Education Commission*)
(P) Cathy **TREZISE** (*Christian Service Commission*)
(P) Bridget **MARKEL** (*Christian Service Commission*)
(A) Mike **KRISKO**
(P) Dave **GLAESER**
(P) Addison **GOERING**
- (P) Patrick **RENDER** (*Priest*)
(P) Merle **RAYMOND** (*Pastoral Appointment*)

Lisa opened the meeting with a prayer.

The meeting was called to order on March 4th, 2025 by Vice President **LAMPLEY** at 6:30 PM.

The Meeting Minutes from **JANUARY** were approved by a motion that was made by **GLAESER** that was seconded by **MARKEL**.

OLD BUSINESS

- **ALPHA** – Meeting was held at St. George on Feb 24. Attendance has been great and everyone is very pleased with the course as of date.
- **By-Laws/Mission Statement:** The council reviewed the Covenant of the Pastoral Council and deliberated on the proposed amendments. A vote to approve these amendments will be held at the March meeting. MOTION TO APPROVE - ALL IN FAVOR

NEW BUSINESS

- **Review of Council Member Terms:** The council reviewed the at-large member terms and will decide which members will serve the terms ending in 2026, 2027, and 2028.
- **Summerfest:** Meeting March 10 6:30pm Julie and Amy are still currently the committee heads. Any Given Weekend Band has been booked
- **Lenten Update:** No special fundraising for Lent. Father is hoping that people will give more to the CMAA this season. Stations every Wednesday night at 6pm during Lent. Some weeks will have adoration. Private Reconciliation will be held every Wednesday after the stations of the cross. Small daily lenten prayer books were given out. Father would like to put together some spiritual retreat possibly during lent next year 2026
- **CMAA:** We brought in 92 envelopes during mass which is significantly more than last year.

COMMISSION REPORTS

ADMINISTRATION: Amy **MCCRARY**

- **Building and Grounds Committee (RAYMOND)** Railings on the Altar have been added for more stability - Painting of the rectory is starting in the next few weeks. Cleaning up the 3rd bay of the garage. The salt storage containers will be put away
- **Finance Committee & Office (MCCRARY)** all is well financially

CHRISTIAN WORSHIP: Brad **KUNTZ**

- **Choir** – Ruth Byrns and Kathy Fritz are still coordinating music
- **Art & Environment** – The Church looks great for lent

CEMETERY: Julie **LAMPLEY** –Paul Hannig isn't going to be able to mow the cemetery this year. We will be looking for a replacement. 3 hours per mowing and 3 hours per weed wacking

EDUCATION: Lisa **BERG**

- **Religious Education:** 1st reconciliation retreat was March 2nd Reconciliation service will be Sunday March
- **Confirmation:**
- **RCIA** – 3 people who are interested in learning about Catholicism but are not RCIA quite yet. .
- **YOUTH MINISTRY** Benoit Greenhouse Gift card sales will be held the second weekend of April as a fundraiser for the youth group. 4 of our St George Parishioners attended the QUEST retreat

CHRISTIAN SERVICE: Bridget **MARKEL**

Family Ministry Palm Sunday Easter Egg hunt asking the boy scouts to put eggs out, Another bound by faith book club

4 projects -

June Boxer Jo June men at JPll need boxer shorts

August Undies for women

September Sleepy September Bed in a bag for sleep in heavenly peace

November Gifts for the Kids

PRAYER FOR NEXT MEETING: Bridget Markel

COMMENTS FROM THE PASTOR:

- Viatorians have been asked to add Sacred Heart Church in Hopkins Park as a mission to our parishes. The Viatorian Priests will be holding mass on Sundays and having other projects as well. Hopefully all 3 parishes (St George, MBVM, St Pats) will all be contributing manpower to help.
- St Pats will be holding a Saturday night meal for the homeless

The next Pastoral Council Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 6th, 2025, at 6:30 PM at the Parish Hall.

No further information was discussed, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:26 PM by a motion by **GLAESER**.

Meeting Minutes Respectfully Submitted,

Amy **MCCRARY**, vice president