

St. Michael Parish Pastoral Council

June 1, 2009 Minutes

Attendees: Fr. John Fischer, Deacon Ken DeHanes, Jim Konves, Tom Jansing, Scott Hungler, Susan Bailey, Jason Sauer, Lori Ann Fothergill, Bob Letourneau, and new members Brenda Kuhr, Alan Heilers, Diana Gloyd

Fr. John presented his pastor’s report. We added ten households (20 people) & lost 22 members. Fr. John noted that the Queen of May feast has been moved to August as part of Mariam week. Fr. John also told us that a son of the parish will be ordained a Jesuit priest the week of our festival. Fr. John commented that confirmation went very well and he had a great dinner with Arch Bishop Schnurr (they both studied in Rome and had many things of common interest to discuss.)

Jim Konves gave an update on the 90th Anniversary plans. A logo “St. Michael: A Community of Faith Celebrating 90 Years” has been selected. Plans are under way for 4 major events from August to November and smaller activities in June and December.

Scott Hungler reported that the City of Sharonville did not approve our request to close the alley between our parking lots after the Maple Street house was torn down. It appears that we need to do a better job of communicating with our neighbors on what we want to do with our property to reduce their concerns. Scott also remarked that many people have stepped up to help with the festival after a slow start.

Deacon Ken DeHanes reported that SVDP had collected ~\$3,500 at last Sunday’s collection. This is less than the recent average collections. Deacon Ken will be doing baptisms on the 4th Sunday of each month.

Susan Bailey reported on Discernment results with 10 parishioners joining the various commissions. This was the best results in years. Great job Susan!

Lori Fothergill reported that the parish directories will be out in July. Lori received complements for the first communion services. Great job Lori!

Jason Sauer led a discussion on Leader Ship day. The primary result will be the distribution of the Time and Talent form to all parishioners in September.

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- Comment [B2R1]:
- Comment [B3R2]:

The next Parish Pastoral Council meeting has been moved to July 27th. The meeting will begin with Evensong at 7:00 in the church.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Letourneau