

**ST. BONIFACE PARIS PASTORAL COUNCIL
MINUTES – SEPTEMBER 22, 2020**

The meeting started at 7:06 pm. The meeting started and roll call was taken. Members Present: Fr. Jim Schutte, Fr. Rodolfo Coaquira, Joe Ruter, Bill Nastold, Beth Kessler, Herb Lloyd, Henry Wessler, Tito Sotillo, Sheila Nuniz, Tom Lienhart, and Rick Salerno. Also present were Jenni Lindgren and Kathie Fahey.

The minutes of the July 21 meeting were approved as published.

NEW BUSINESS:

We have had a few weddings that did not abide by the Coronavirus Protocol. Jenni sends an E-mail to the bride in regard to the church policies. Fr. Jim agreed that our Minister appointed for Weddings has backing from clergy. The celebrant of the wedding should follow the policies of the parish. Signs for masks/social distancing have been posted in church and mass will not start until everyone has a mask.

Both Herb and Bill proposed response to the lack of ownership to the policy for the weddings. This issue brought about much discussion.

We will not have our fall Festival but will be still have our Grand Raffle and those tickets will be sent out.

During the liturgy we have had problem with Wi-Fi connectivity so we have added boosters but due to very thick walls we will still have Wi-Fi disruptions’.

OLD BUSINESS:

The proposal regarding the election was discussed. Due to Coronavirus the elections has been pushed back until May, 2021. Members have been appointed until the election 2021. St Leo appoints all of council they receive.

PARISH SCHOOL:

CISE income - Voucher money should start coming in soon which will put the school in the black

CARES money has been suspended. We should be paid back almost \$90,000.00.

Current teaching is both in person (70%) and on-line (30%). More student may be coming back after the first quarter so there is a concern about social distancing.

The school is lacking in technology so a solution is to have a technician on-site.

We are looking at options to bring liturgy to our students.

Additional class rooms are not required so a/c has been put on hold.

FINANCES:

Due to the decrease of attendance our finances will be in the red (donations are not consistent) but weddings may help to get us to end the fiscal year in the black.

SAN CARLOS COMMUNITY:

The Religions Education has started on September 13 with 110 students and 34 volunteer teachers.

The “Gruta” of Our Lady of Guadalupe would be better built as a shrine with a small shelter for people. We are looking to have one person as a project manager to oversee the work of the Grotto. It is a parish project.

A second Spanish will be added on Sundays at 12:30 pm

San Carlos have a few events between November and December

November 4 – Feast of St. Charles Borromeo and there will be a 7 pm mass that will be live streamed.

November 26 is Thanksgiving and there will be a mass at 12 pm.

December 4-11 there will be the novena guided by the leaders of the groups and will be live streamed except for masses at 7:00 pm.

December 12 “Las mañanitas” (Birthday Songs) will be at 12 am and will be live streamed (people will be bringing flowers 8 am – 2 pm).

OPEN FORUM:

Nothing was brought up at this time.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 17, 2020. The meeting ended at 8:35 pm with prayer by Fr. Rodolfo.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathie Fahey, Secretary