

St. Ann Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes  
November 14, 2018 – St. Joachim Conference Room

In Attendance: Fr. Craig Maxim, Kevin Buum, Rachel Gelhaus, Matt Higgins, Lori Frosechl, Michaela Comstock, Rachel Cherra & Ron Johnson

Absent: Deacon Steve Nguyen & Ronda Intfen

1. Opening prayer – led by Fr. Craig

2. Parish Mission Statement

- All members present shared their one sentence mission statement.
- After sharing and discussion, it was moved and seconded to approve the following updated Mission statement for St. Ann.
  - St. Ann Catholic Parish is a faith-filled community that lives the love of God through Word, Sacrament and Service.

3. Finance Report

- The parish is in a good financial state. Offertory has been good & finance council has approved another \$100,000 payment toward the building campaign debt.

4. Fall Festival

- Net proceeds as of 11/6/2018: \$272,588.
  - Presented pie chart of the breakdown of where all those funds are allocated.
  - Pie chart is being published in the November 18, 2018 bulletin & in 11.15.18 Enews.
- Special thanks to everyone for making this the best year.

5. Archdiocesan Capital Campaign

- Target: \$1,895,000
- Submitted parish data and case of support to the campaign office at the Chancery.
- Identifying campaign leadership committee for St. Ann.

6. Parish Missions

- Still waiting on response from Dr. Mike Scherschligt with date for Slow Motion Mass. It will occur during a weeknight at the end of February.

7. Christ Renews His Parish

- Women & Men Retreats for Fall 2018 have been completed.
- Formation for these groups is underway.
- Spring Dates: Women 3/30 & 3/31, 2019 & Men 5/4 & 5/5, 2019.

8. SuperStar Update

- Marty Thoennes and Tom Hamill have not responded to the invitation.

- Still looking for member to fit this parish demographic.

#### 9. Ministry Liaisons

- Reach out to chairperson before 12.31.18 and remind them about the joint meeting on 1/9/19.
- Michaela will send an RSVP link to council members to use in their email.
- January 9, 2019 meeting will be round tables with PC members and Chairpersons.

#### 10. Branding

- Presented logo and provided graphic clarification. Also showed logo in various formats, letterhead, social media, business cards, notecard etc.
- Suggested to send logo to City of Prairie Village to get approval of the "STAR".

#### 11. St. Ann Weekend

- Positive remarks from all the activities on November 3&4, 2018.
- Name Tag weekends – Twice a year – in conjunction with a big parish event. Looking at Parish BBQ as the next opportunity.
- Pasta dinner tentatively scheduled for November 2019.

#### 12. New Business

- St. Ann Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas Snowball Gathering. Invites went out last week. Event is November 28<sup>th</sup> at Fran and Neil Douthat's home. Fran & Neil are the current chairs of Snowball this year.
- Those who attend and make a donation will be placed in a drawing for a ticket to the event. The Women's Club of St. Ann has purchased a table for Snowball.

#### 13. Closing Prayer – Fr. Craig

Minutes submitted by Michaela Comstock – 11/19/18