



Sacred Heart Catholic Church Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

PRESIDED BY Thomas Rodriguez
OPENING PRAYER Ben Hubbard
Reflection: Seminarian Gilbert

Monday March 23, 2026

OLD BUSINESS

- **Review of Minutes**
 - Motion to approve Deborah Freeman, and Ben Hubbard seconded the motion to approve, all present approved

NEW BUSINESS

- **Usher/Greeter leader – Gigi Tebbe**
 - Gigi stated that the meeting turnout was great
 - Will submit a budget for future receptions after Mass
 - Gigi and Sachie will host a hospitality table during all masses. Dates will be sent out to the Pastoral Council asking for volunteers
- **Nomination Committee**
 - Ben Hubbard will speak after each Mass on April 11-12. Victor will speak at the 2:00 Mass. The committee will accept nominations until April 20th.

ON THE HORIZON

- Gathering nominees

SUGGESTIONS-COMMENTS-QUESTIONS-FROM PARISHIONERS

- None

AROUND THE ROOM

- Suzi asked if the Pastoral Council is on the list for the Adoration Chapel. Currently, it is not and we will need to contact Willene.
- Seminarian Gilbert reminded everyone about Lenten Fridays. He also stated that May 22 will be his last day here at Sacred Heart.
- Scott said that Ed Armijo had been helping Father Fred.
- Lucky asked about how do we care for priests. Father Stephen explained the Diocese process for each priest. Bishop Parks periodically contacts all retired priests.

NEXT MEETING

- April 27, 2026 at 6 pm

CLOSING PRAYER: Lucky Morales

MEETING ADJOURNED: Thomas Rodriguez

ATTENDED:

Father Stephen Pontzer	Seminarian Gilbert Mensah
Jean Woodman	Victor Talamantes
Thomas Rodriguez	Deborah Freeman
Lucky Morales	Suzi Aler
Scott Ostrow	Gigi Tebbe
Sachie Thorne	Ben Hubbard