

Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, August 12th, 2024, 7-8:30pm

Members in Attendance: Jason Leon, Jennifer Herman, Emily LaForte, Lea Kammerer, Todd Briguet, Eva Hansen

Staff in Attendance: Fr. Brian Fier, Danika Dorame

Members Absent: Alex Leon, Andrew Hanselman, Ralph Johnson

Trustees:

Opening Prayer

- I. 2025-2026 PPC Membership and Commission Assignments

Co-Chairs:	Todd Briguet & Eva Hansen
Administration Commission:	Jason Leon
Faith Formation Commission:	Lea Kammerer
Parish Life Commission	Emily LaForte
Pastoral Care Commission:	Ralph Johnson
Social Justice Commission:	Jennifer Herman
Worship Commission:	Andrew Hanselman
TBD / Continue to Sept:	Alex Leon
- II. 2025-2026 Meeting Schedule – all open to the public, 7pm in Emerald Hall
 - a. Leadership Night / Commissions will meet on the 1st Tuesday of the month
 - b. PPC will meet on the 2nd Tuesday of the month
- III. Parish Administrator Report – Welcome Danika Dorome
 - a. FY 2024 Financial Letter to parish in Aug
- IV. Pastor Report (bulletin article with details 8/16- 8/17/25)
 - a. Census – rolling out to all current registered parishioners to re-register in Aug
 - b. Pictorial Directory – Aug-Oct
 - c. Capital Campaign - Aug letter will be sent and status toward our goal/Closes in Dec
- V. 2025-2026 Call to Action – Focus for Commission work this year
 - a. Reclaiming Sundays – Recover Sunday As A Day For The Lord And Family
 - b. Collaboration among SET & Commissions to support this work is encouraged
 - c. This initiative is from the Archdiocesan Synod plan from Archbishop Bernard Hebda

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VI. SET Initiative/Update

- a. This is year 3A: Reclaiming Sundays – Recover Sunday As A Day For The Lord And Family – starts September 2025 (handouts to PPC – relay the info to Commissions at the next meeting)
- b. Small Groups
 - i. Continuing Summer/Fall and plans for new Advent Groups Dec 2025
 - ii. Archdiocesan Grant for Advent & Lent resources to launch small groups for these liturgical seasons this year, more info coming soon
- c. SET will continue to provide games at Donut Sundays starting September to foster fellowship & community
- d. All PPC members are SET members and encouraged to be active in the work of SET this year, all communications will be sent to PPC members for updates

VII. Commission Updates

- a. Parish Life – Fall Festival Planning is under way currently
- b. Pastoral Care – has not met
- c. Administration – Parish Appreciation successes in July / Stewardship working on pictorial directory
- d. Faith Formation – VBS successes in July
- e. Social Justice – has not met
- f. Worship – has not met

VIII. Fall Festival – PPC/SET presence and information at a table

IX. New Business

- a. Idea of a Lenten event – consideration will be sent to Commission(s) and Finance Council / further discussion will continue in the coming months if needed
- b. Inquiry of Catholic Spirit Subscription rotation info from last year – PPC will investigate with staff and follow up

Next meeting will be Tuesday September 9th at 7:00 PM.

Adjourn 8:20 PM