

# St. Paul Parish Pastoral Council

## Meeting Minutes

prepared by Betsy Jones

**December 1, 2021**

### 1.0 Call to Order

1.1 In attendance: Father Andrew, Father John, Velda Martin, Vickie Hoomes, Dave Greco, Betsy Jones, Brad Wilson

### 2.0 Faith Formation (Father Andrew)

### 3.0 New Business

3.1 Discussion of Giving Tuesday 2021: Giving Tuesday complete, Thank you emails sent

3.2 Giving Tuesday Results:

**\$21,330.00** raised through the Giving Tuesday Online Platform from **34 donors**

Largest individual donations:

\$3,000 -Kathy Sanders

\$2,500 -Trent and Mary Fisher

\$2,000 -Tiffany Gorman

\$2,000 -Anonymous

\$2,000 -Anonymous

\$1,000 -Matthew Fisher

\$1,000 -Velda Martin

\$1,000 -Dan Marion

\$700 -Pam and Dave Greco

Additionally, \$1880 in loose monies (Brad fill in)

A total of \$ 22630 with the online platform and loose monies collected.

41 donors total

\$10,000 more than last year collected

3.3 Why was this year more of a success than last year? More coordination, more facebook and email, better timed letters sent. Thanks to Tami Whalen for organizing, Kathy Sanders for mailing. Portal opened earlier this year.

3.4 Suggestions for next year: include envelope in letter (like collection envelopes), include former parishioners who no longer attend, giving station at church to make donations online in-person, look for someone to do matching donations

**Next steps:** Fr John and Fr Andrew make personalized thank you cards for all the donors.

**4.0 Approval of Minutes**

**5.0 Parish Life & Outreach**

- 5.1 Christmas Carol Event: Saturday, December 11th after mass
  - 5.1.1 Need to complete flyer (Vickie), Father John to announce at mass, Vickie to confirm with Sheriff, Kathy Sanders to post to Facebook
- 5.2 Christmas gift cards (\$20 card to Tom’s Market) through Greene County, any leftover funds used through library giving tree
  - 5.2.1 \$230 is current balance, \$300 more promised
- 5.3 Community outreach: poverty in community, elderly in parish (need rides to church? food? visits?)
- 5.4 Parish registration form: gather more information (TBD)
- 5.5 Parish website: annulments; several responses

**6.0 Upcoming Meetings: Even-numbered months on the first Wednesday of the Month**

Next meeting: 2/2/22

**7.0 Adjournment and Closing Prayer**

**8.0 Action Items List**

Date Assigned	What	Timetable	Contact Person	Next Steps
12/1	Thank you notes	Thurs/Fri day	Fr. Andrew/Fr. John	sign and mail
12/1	Consider sending mailer w/ envelope for Christmas masses?			
12/1	Christmas Caroling	This week	Vickie	complete flyer (Saturday, December 11th), confirm with Sheriff (Vickie), post to Facebook (Kathy), announce at mass

				(Father John)
12/1	Community Outreach Initiatives	Feb. Meeting	Velda Martin	discuss
12/1	Future of PSR	TBD		After parish families are determined, discuss next steps and options

## Council Members

Parish Council Members	Role	Term	Attendance
Fr. Andrew Cordonnier, pastor@stpaulyellowsprings.org, 937-372-3193	Pastor		
Fr. John Madanu, <a href="mailto:associate@stpaulyellowsprings.org">associate@stpaulyellowsprings.org</a>	Parochial Vicar		
Velda Martin, <a href="mailto:veldamart@gmail.com">veldamart@gmail.com</a> , 937-371-1226	President	Term 1: 9/2019 – 8/2024	
Betsy Jones <a href="mailto:bjones2@udayton.edu">bjones2@udayton.edu</a> (937) 610-6051	Secretary	Term 1: 6/2021-	
Karen McKee, <a href="mailto:caseym1200@yahoo.com">caseym1200@yahoo.com</a> , 937-767-4641	Member-at-Large	Term 1: 9/2017 – 8/2020 Term 2: 9/2020 – 8/2023	
Vickie Hoomes, <a href="mailto:ybhoomes@aol.com">ybhoomes@aol.com</a> , 937-360-4569	Member-at-Large	Term 1: 8/2017 – 7/2020 Term 2: 8/2020 – 7/2023	
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<b>Representatives</b>			
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Tami Whalen, <a href="mailto:twhalen3@woh.rr.com">twhalen3@woh.rr.com</a> ,	Finance	President of Finance Council	
Fr. Andrew Cordonnier	Liturgy	Pastor, Ex Officio	
<b>Patty Alexander, Karen McKee, Kathy Sanders, Dan Marion</b>	Parish Life & Outreach		

