

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Meeting Minutes: February 27, 2023

Opening Prayer - Fr Pham

Attendees: Fr. Pham, Fr. Al, Sr. Michelle, Richard Macdonald, Lisa Rice, Denise Dietrich, Ellie Kandle, Al Pissanelli, Frank Gramenzi, Pedro Guzman

Review of Minutes from the last meeting- Accepted

Selection of new Officers

- President- Richard Macdonald
- Vice President- Lisa Rice
- Secretary- Denise Dietrich

Revisit the Bishop's Decree on the Mass Schedules

- a. Data regarding Mass attendance and income was reviewed
- b. Per the Bishop's decree, only 1 Mass on Saturday will remain; due to (a) 4: 00 PM Mass will remain and 6:00 PM Mass will be cancelled effective 7/1/23
- c. Sunday Masses will remain the same
- d. Fr. Pham notes that St. Matthew's has been closed at Holy Angels due to low attendance
- e. Discussion:
 - a. Role of surveys as done at other parishes declined per (c) above
 - b. Possible loss of parishioners
 - c. Noted that they can go to a different Mass
 - d. Parishioners may change parish
 - e. Parishioners may live stream virtual Masses
 - i. Note that this does not fulfil their Sunday obligation
 - f. Parishioners may stop going to Mass

Diocesan Eucharistic Congress

- Bus available
- 100/parish expected
- Online form available for sign-ups

Next meeting

Scheduled for 4/24/2023 & 6/5/2023

Closing Prayer - Fr. Al