

St. Joseph Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

November 21, 2023

The St. Joseph Pastoral Council met on Tuesday, November 21, 2023, at 5:30 p.m., in the Religious Education building.

Present were: Father Pedro Castillo, Deacon Gus Coelho, David Ehler, Pat Elliott, Jim Grametbauer, Eugene Holub, Pat Jerman, Natalie Noack, Maria Santellano, and Kenny Svrcek.

The meeting opened with prayer. The minutes recorded for the October meeting were taken by Maria Santellano. The unofficial minutes were read and Maria Santellano made a motion and Pat Elliott seconded to accept the minutes.

Project Planning Committee

Some things that need to be considered for the new property are: hire an architect for the master plan; sell bricks as a fundraiser; spend money on the master plan; and cleaning of the property. The remaining house will be moved to Caldwell.

Fundraisers

Church Raffle Celebration to be held February 10, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. There will be a chicken dinner and raffle. Volunteers or organizations need to form a committee to finalize. Eugene Holub will make flyers. Parishioners will sell raffle tickets. Possible dinner/dance.

Parish Website

Eugene will continue to update the website as needed.

Youth Ministry/RE/AE

IMPACT – will meet twice a month

RE – could use a bilingual person available on Sundays to help with Religious Education

AE – The Chosen video is shown at different times. The Spanish classes have been completed.

Maintenance

- Bladeless fans are here. Eugene got with Jeff Zapata.
- Air Conditioning – need to get with Gloria on bids for replacement.
- Cleaning person needed for church. 30 to 40 hours per week.
- Keys for ushers to the Maintenance room or Janitors closet

Other Parish Organizations

Finance Council – need to discuss salaries of staff members

Ladies Society – Fundraiser December 2, 2023 from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m., December 4, 2023 annual Christmas party

Men's Group – had first meeting Monday, November 20, 2023

Add Felicia to Council membership for Youth Ministry

Technology

- The office is getting new phones and computers
- Purchase TV for church
- Have rolling TV stand donated by Juan Chavez. Where shall we store?

Jim Grametbauer made a motion and Maria Santellano seconded to end the meeting. The meeting ended with prayer.

The next meeting is Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at 5:30 p.m., in the Religious Education building.

Pat Elliott

Recorder