

## PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Date: June 11, 2007

Attendees: Marcia Brown, Jeffrey Fenton, Dara Flanagan, Ernie Gailor, Rhonda Hislop, Trip Gagnon, Barbara Garro, Natalie McDermott, Father Tizio.

<u><i>Agenda Item</i></u>	<u><i>Discussion</i></u>
Opening Prayer	Ernest J. Gailor
Presentations	<p>Informational presentations were given by Barbara Wood and Father Neil. Barbara is the coordinator for the Outreach program. The parish gave assistance to 515 families last year. The assistance includes emergency funds for payment of rent, fuel, gas and groceries. The funds come from generous donations to the parish and the donations made to the Poor Box. Last year we collected \$40,000 in donations and gifted \$32,000.</p> <p>Father Neil discussed the Comprehensive Faith Formation Program. This program includes: Religious Education; Spiritual Direction, and; Catholic Social programs. Registration for Fall classes needs to be made now so that adequate teaching materials and teachers are available.</p>
Welcome Home Sunday	The program was a success. The hearty welcomes were well received. Nancy Osberg-Otrembiak is the response coordinator and contact person.
Greeters	A Greeters Ministry will be formed to support our continued effort in making everyone feel welcome in our church. A video has been ordered for Greeter training. Sign up for anyone interested in being Greeters will be at the next Fellowship on June 23 <sup>rd</sup> and 24 <sup>th</sup> .
Parish Picnic	The parish picnic will be held on September 9 <sup>th</sup> after the 11:15 Mass between 12:30 and 4:30. The picnic committee is being organized and help will be needed.
June Fellowship	Fellowship will be held on June 23 <sup>rd</sup> and 24 <sup>th</sup> . The feeling is that the fellowship program has gotten stale. Discussion was had regarding rotating sponsorship and alternate programs.
New	Jeff has compiled a Supplemental Hymnal that will be ready for use shortly.
Closing Prayer	Barbara Garro

Minutes taken by: Ernest J. Gailor

Next Meeting: July 9, 2007 at 6:15 PM in the Parrish Center