

Pastoral Council Meeting – 28 April 2009

Meeting Date: April 28, 2009		Meeting Place: Parish Offices		Time: 7pm
Attendees:	✓	Brandon Harrison	✓	Fr. Ron Combs
	✓	Dave Dillon		Fr. Tom Shearer
		Joe Hurr		Mary Ehret
	✓	Luis Garcia		
	✓	Mary Jane Weir		
	✓	Mike Fitzgerald		
	✓	Mikki Clancy		
	✓	Pat Mullen		
		Peggy Grogan		
Guests:				

Purpose of Meeting:

Discuss Parish reports and provide direction on Parish activities.

Desired Outcomes:

Discuss recent parish activities and activities to improve the Parish.

Agenda – Discussion Lead:

1. Opening Prayer
2. Progress of advisory group – St. Henry Economic Stimulus Plan
3. 50th Year Anniversary
4. Living It! Update
5. Discernment Process
6. Other Topics
7. Closing Prayer

Fr. Ron opened the meeting with a prayer.

Topic: Progress of Advisory Group – St. Henry Economic Stimulus Plan

1. Financial Peace University – planning meeting scheduled for next month.

Topic: 50th Anniversary

1. No update.

Topic: Closing Loop of “Living It”

1. Joyce Washington has sent an email to all the ministry leaders and ask them for their assessment on the impact they have seen in their respective ministry. It was stated that some groups have seen an increase in participation.

Topic: Discernment Process

1. Discernment process will be held in fall.
2. Still need to recruit for positions for School Board and Parish Council - candidates must still go through discernment process via Mary Ehret.

Other topics:

Topic: HVAC Proposal

1. St. Henry's is considering an HVAC upgrade to current system. The improvements should increase efficiencies in current system and help with humidity issues.
2. All thought that this was a fair proposal and worthwhile investment.

Topic: Haiti Dance Troop

1. Fr. Ron stated that St. Henry's had been approached about sponsoring a dance troop from Haiti. St. Leonard's is planning on hosting a performance, and the question was brought to the group as to whether St. Henry's should host a performance.
2. Additional information regarding the performance will be obtained

Topic: Next Meeting – May 26th

1. This meeting will be the annual social meeting in the PAC – dinner will be provided.

Fr. Ron closed the meeting with a prayer

Respectfully submitted by: Mary Jane Weir