

**Sacred Heart Pastoral Council
Meeting Notes**

January 10, 2017

Call to Order – 7:00 by President Carol Smith

Opening Prayer: Sacred Heart of Jesus

Attendance:

Father Chris	Father Luis	Carol Smith
Anita Halterman	Julie Hudson	Bill Finnegan
Joanne Nealon	(Guest – Ann Warren)	

Review/Approval November Minutes

Approved by Bill Finnegan 2nd by Anita Halterman

Review of Committee Reports

Reports were handed out for members to review.

Ann Warren represented the Board of Education in the absence of John Mathes

- Currently working on budget and tuition fees
- 1 opening on the board as one member moved away. Several candidates have been interviewed
- There are 9 members and 3 are leaving. Will need to replace them as well

Old Business:

Adopt a Family

A thank you was received by the family. They were very thankful for all they received

Love in the Heart of Christ 2017

- Father Chris said this project is still in need of a Chair and Co-chair
- Father was going to reach out to the Baumouvers to possibly take this on
- The Pastoral Council will continue to do their part as in the past

Council Faith Formation: Forming Intentional Disciples; Chapter 4 & 5 to discuss next month.

New Business:

Stephens Ministry

2 couples (Garza and Mathes) were training in this ministry. Its focus is to help others in need emotionally

125th Anniversary

- Meeting on Jan. 24th
- Meal is planned
- Still undecided on what type of celebration items to purchase
 - Possible ideas are pre-paid t-shirts or Christmas ornament
- Joanne to check to see if Deanna Lane would represent SMASH at the meeting

Lenten Dinner/Reconciliation - March 28

- Will send out sign-up sheet for soup in February
- Need members to help so they will know what to do in 2018

CRHP (Christ Renews His Parish)

- Need 12-15 people per team to put on the retreat (men and women)
- Tables will be set up weekend of the Jan. 15th to get the remaining positions filled

Closing Prayer: John Mathes provided (to be used going forward as well)

Heavenly Father,

We give you thanks for allowing our parish council to work together and serve you during this meeting.

We ask your blessing upon our endeavors, and upon all present this evening.

May your love and grace continue to guide us in everything we do; today and in the future.

In your name we pray,
Amen.