

Holy Family Catholic Church, Copperas Cove, TX

Pastoral Council Minutes, June 4, 2024

Present:

Fr. Augustine Ariwaodo
Linda McHugh
Dianne Fajardo
Tom McNew
Robin Spencer

Absent:

Rosa Subialdea
Anthony Drogos
Lina Tuiasosopo
Celeste Johns
Rodney Davenport
Guests: Eddie Ganceres, Karin Kennedy,
Al Castillo, George Niebler, Nicholas Elliotte,
Samatha Taylor, Linda Jaramillo

Meeting called to order at 6:17

Opening prayer by Fr. Augustine

We did not have a quorum so nothing was voted on this month

OLD BUSINESS

Old business items were looked at and opportunity for questions was given, not questions, we moved on to new business.

NEW BUSINESS and updates from old minutes

- Inspector from the diocese looked at the roof to report to the diocese if the work can be paid for by insurance. No feedback yet, Tom suggested that if we had not heard from them by July 7 to have the office call them.
- The asbestos removal (from the altar server room) cannot be done until the roof is fixed.
- Water heater in the FFC has been replaced. Oncor has been contacted about the electrical issues in there, we are on the list for them, but have no date. In the meantime, nothing electrical can be touched in there (lights, plug ins, etc)
- June 6th is the date scheduled for the removal of the tree near building B
- Don Wittenberger resigned from council. Tom made the suggestion that we all bring a name or two of people we know are interested or we ask, to the next meeting so that Father or the council can appoint a new person to take their place per the by-laws. Father is going to speak with Rosa and Anthony as they have not been to the last three meetings. Anthony has let us know why, we have not heard from Rosa. It was suggested to add to the by-laws that excused absences should be considered.
- Fall fest update – Father said the committee was meeting June 5 at 6:30 in the office. Eddie mentioned that as of yet we did not have many cultural food groups represented for booths, 3 groups have said no thus far, the Chamorro, the Filipino group and the Mexican group. The Knights were having their meeting on Thursday to discuss if they will represent. Ticket sales are underway, anyone can pick up in the office, but we will begin distributing after masses this weekend. Linda asked for volunteers at each mass. Father said, we will use whoever volunteers and make it a success.

- Al asked a question about bids thus far for the roof. What we received thus far is \$35,000, but this was before the heavy rain and hail and knowledge of the seals around the windows leaking as well.
- Dianne sent out 10 welcome letters to new parishioners this month. None were returned, so she is assuming they were all received.

Community concerns:

- There were no concerns that we were aware of

Meeting adjourned with closing prayer by Father at 7:11 PM.

Next meeting is scheduled for August 22 at 6:00.

Respectfully submitted by Robin Spencer, June 11, 2024