

St. John Paul II Parish Council Minutes

August 2023

“In communion with the Universal Church, and the Archdiocese of Louisville, our mission is to proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ by:

Worshiping God in word and sacrament;

Teaching and sharing our faith;

Serving human needs, especially of the poor and oppressed;

Promoting holiness of life through continuing conversion;

Fostering justice and reconciliation among all God’s people.

Meeting began with prayer at 6:30.

Attending: Outgoing members: Anne Bainbridge, Jim Sinnett and Dan Amlung, Father Peter Do, Terry Becker, Ashley Curry, Maria Frank, Elaine Kennedy, Heather Meyers, Sandy Moore, Rob Tichy and Incoming new members, Kathy Huber and Michele Norris.

Approval of June Minutes: had been done via email.

Committee Reports: (for further information, contact the committee chairs via email.)

- **Administration Committees:** submitted by Terry Becker (terrymarybecker@gmail.com)
The Parish Counsel updated the long term goals to the 3 year plan. This update was shared with the Parish Council. Father Peter also announced to the Parish that copies were available to them.
Formation Committee: submitted by Maria Frank (maria.frank@lge-ku.com) no report this month.
- **Parish Life Committees:** submitted by Jim Sinnott (jsinnott3@yahoo.com) The Arts and Craft Fair is coming up at the Community Center on October 14th from 9am to 3pm. Boy Scout Troop will hold the Troops annual potluck dinner and Honor Court. The Troop will have a fundraiser for the U of L game by parking cars, and the Pancake Breakfast fundraiser will be Sunday October 8th. Cub Scout Pack 243 will begin meeting on Thursday Aug. 31st. The Fall Festival will be held on October 21st from 5pm to 10pm. Lots of Family related activities will be held. Two forms of food will be available; chili provided by the Cub Scouts and the Filipino Food Truck is also expected to be on hand.
- **School Board Committee:** submitted by Tim Davis (tsdstar77@hotmail.com) no report this month.

- **Social Concerns Committees:** submitted by Dan Amlung (amlungdan@gmail.com) no report this month.
- **Worship Committees:** submitted by Terry Becker (terrymarybecker@gmail.com) The new Music Director, Katherine Albers, sent an introductory letter to the parish council. It included a report of how choir rehearsals started again in August on Thursdays. The choir will rotate to different masses. A children's choir will be formed and begin singing on the 2nd Sunday of the month at the 10:30 mass. There will be more events the Choir is participating in for November and December.

Reports from Fundraising Committees: no report.

New Business:

Father Peter called for nomination for Council officers. Rob Tichy is chosen for parish council chair, Kathy Huber is chosen for parish council vice-chair and Terry Becker is chosen for parish council recording secretary. All are elected.

Father Peter thanked the 3 outgoing parish council members (Anne Bainbridge, Jim Sinnott and Kathy DeLozier) as well as thanking the 3 incoming parish council members Lynn Haner, Kathy Huber, and Michelle Norris.

A meal was shared with all.

Adjournment: The meeting ended at 8:00 pm with a prayer. The next meeting will be on September 28th at 6:30 in the Parish Life Center.

Respectfully submitted by Terry Becker