

**St Luke the Evangelist
Parish Pastoral Council
February 11, 2021 – In Person and via Zoom Meeting
7:15 pm**

Opening Prayer

Attendees: Gary Olson, Judy Jones, David Reising, Dana Bastian, Jennifer Joensen, Jason Richards, Susan Grebasch, Brian Werner, Paul Moritz, Fr James Doney, Dcn Fred Cornwell

Not in Attendance: Fr. Ken Halbur, Mirka Deza, Dcn Matt Halbach, Dcn Don Shannon

January Meeting Minutes –Motion to accept Gary Olson, Motion Seconded Brian Werner

Old Business

Back to Church Update

- Reaching out to parishioners – Donut dash for parishioners who have join St Luke since 2018. Members will be delivering donuts with flyer for Hallow, the app that St Luke is providing for parishioners with an extended Lenten program
- Subcommittee to look at bringing parishioners back to the church will be meeting tomorrow led by Mirka.
- Knights are on board for calling parishioners, and was well received. All agreed a non-threatening conversation would be best, with a script of bullet points and prepared to provide resources and help. Jason and Matt will help. The next Knights meeting is scheduled for Feb 26th. If we are ready to get something out sooner, send to grand knight. Knights suggested a parish survey.
- Engage the school families in helping to make phone calls.
- Phone calls to reach out to people. Save survey for an email to parishioners.
- The survey should make sure people are comfortable coming back to church. Should be brief and gather information on their concerns, expectations and needs that the parish can help with.
- Theme – we're here for you, we need you;

Parish Online Directory

- Brian fixed technical issues. It seems everyone was able to go in and update their information.

Capital Campaign Update – no updates

New Business

- Hallow App – heard good things about the app, Lenten resources, tied in with focus program that was held last weekend

Committee Updates

Welcome Committee: advent TTT calls removed many people listed as parishioners. More were removed when diocese did some record keeping clean up. Will clean up more with calls and have more reliability. For calls – people give us permission to be

able to call them. This information was looked up for the donut team for people who gave permission, took Dana three days to pull data; parish soft is what we use; Vicki's list vs Dana list, required by diocese to use.

Social Concerns – A meal was prepared for the Catholic Worker House on Saturday, January 23. The next one is scheduled for February 27. In addition, a member of the committee invited parishioners via Sign-Up Genius to donate other items always in need at the Catholic Worker House to her home on February 5, and she had an SUV filled and delivered that day. Items requested: new or used blankets, adult winter outerwear, hand warmers, toilet paper, bulk plastic forks. A meal was prepared and an overnight host provided for one night of Family Promise (Jan 26), in partnership with OLIH (as they host for the entire week). Two items are in the works for a Lenten service project and a virtual prayer/study opportunity. Details are still in the works and approval needed on the prayer/study opportunity.

Liturgy - ash Wednesday and Lenten season; if anyone can sign up for ash wed masses please do, there is little sign up for so; we could use more mass ministers, you can get added before next run

Father Ken's comments (Fr. James)

School, Building Project – looking good, west end putting on decking on structural steel and girders, cold weather slowing a little bit, but west side is at least half way where it is covered, about to start to pour roof, Fr James taking picture updates a couple times a week

David Faith Formation – updated website, 4 new pages for adult faith formation, giving Lenten ideas

Budget updates - None

Fr Ken back tomorrow night

Next Meeting – March 11th

Paul adjourned Gary second

Closing Prayer