



Fr. Kevin Liebhardt, Pastor	Anna Rhodes
Charles Hunt, Director of Religious Education	Carol Horgan*
Beth Rossetti, Pastoral Minister*	Paul Herman
Tim Shell, Deacon*	Joe Chabail
David Howell	Tom Keaty *excused

**ST. JUSTIN MARTYR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL
MINUTES OF MEETING
Tuesday May 15, 2018**

Prayer and Faith Sharing: Apostles Creed and Reading from 1 Corinthians 12: 3b-7, 12-13.

David Howell chaired the meeting. Prospective members Butch Kless and Paul Matthais were welcomed.

The minutes from the April 17, 2018 meeting were approved.

Discussion:

Church Renovations: Renovations are proceeding and are a few weeks ahead of schedule. Some inspections were done today. They are getting ready to paint. HVAC/furnace are already installed.

Local Business/Networking Fair: There were 26 total vendors, more than half of them were parishioners. The event was well attended, and it may have been a good idea to have it on Donut Sunday. Coordinators will send out a survey to get opinions of those who participated.

Recruiting new Council Members: Council members decided which Masses they will speak at this weekend.

Parish Concerns: Fr. Kevin handed out a brief questionnaire and asked Parish Pastoral Council members to complete it at home when they have time to think about it. BEGIN THE CONVERSATION committee, following up on the criminal justice meetings that took place last year are seeking to understand and improve race relations and justice in our communities. Return the questionnaire to Fr. Kevin.

UPDATES & REPORTING:

Religious Education: Charles Hunt

RCIA

So far, we have one potential candidate for next year's RCIA. His name is Tim Rosian. Please pray for him and that others may answer God's call to join the Catholic Church. Amen.

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So far, all the catechists are planning to return to teach for the next school year. And Maria hasn't shot me yet, which is a good thing. Registrations will be open starting the week of May 21st.

Sacramental Preparation

On May the 5th, First Communicants participated in the Jesus Day Retreat. The retreat went very well with a lot of family involvement. The morning was filled with prayer, reflection and activities. First Communion practice on the 8th went swimmingly, too. First Communion was on May 12th. The music and participation were very good. Deacon Tim assisted Fr. Kevin at the Mass. The weather held out before, during and after the Mass. There were 15 second graders who received Holy Communion for the first time.

Worship Commission: Fr. Kevin

No Meeting

Finance Council: Fr. Kevin

No Meeting

The next meeting is Tuesday June 19, 2018 at 6:30 PM.

Submitted by: Therese Ryan, Recording Secretary