

**St. Alice Catholic Church
Pastoral Council
Meeting Minutes
June 28, 2017
7:00pm**

Council Member Attendees	Fr. Mark Bentz, Mike Whitney (Chair), Lisa Wasson, Jeanne Smith, Peg Ries
Staff Member Attendees	Christine Beldner
Absent	Jesus Aguilar, Marvin Jarvis, Maria Vargas, Steve Deanda

1. Opening Prayer
2. May Meeting Minutes Approved
3. Updated Roster was provided. Peg Ries noted her email address was incorrect. New email address was provided. Christine Beldner took an action to update the roster prior to next meeting.
4. Corpus Christi Event
 - a. Good Weather
 - b. Lessons Learned
 - i. Consider official parade permit next year and plan for it to take 6 weeks or more.
 - ii. Don't host event on Father's day weekend going forward
5. Camp St. Alice
 - a. Camp is going great. 57 campers, 30+ youth volunteers
6. Parish Life
 - a. 70th Anniversary Discussion
 - i. Pastoral Council needs to create a subcommittee to plan year of celebration (1 large event is an option or various smaller ways to commemorate the event).
 - ii. Darryl Harrison/Youth Ministry could do a possible project by creating at St. Alice History Video
 - iii. Possible combine event with December 16th Feast of St. Alice. Should include toast, wine and cheese or dinner, etc.
 - iv. All council members have the action to think of individuals to nominate for the subcommittee and to come up with ideas on what we could do to commemorate the event.

- b. Our Lady of Guadalupe – consider offering English translation this year
 - c. Stewardship Drive on-going. We reviewed the contents of the envelopes.
 - d. Bulletin
 - i. Concerns about the bulletin were raised again. Specifically, a developed lack of trust in the calendar and the concern that some people aren't reading it. Christine noted that bulletin changes are in the works.
 - ii. Council would like to see the names of the sick that have asked for prayers in the bulletin
 - iii. Council would like the bulletin to have a section in the bulletin that made announcements for baptism, marriage, etc.
 - e. Announcements
 - i. The council would like funerals to be announced at Mass so people can plan to attend.
7. Safety & Security Committee Update
- a. At recent committee meeting, Aaron Beldner noted cyber security updates being made at the parish
 - b. The committee should have the first CPR/First Aid Training date soon. The committee has been unable to locate a Spanish speaking instructor.
8. Pastoral Council Purpose – Father Mark noted that he would like the council moving away from status reports at meetings and more toward planning.
9. The council noted a need for new members.
10. Mike shared that a possible revenue option could be listing parishioner affiliated businesses on the website. Possible figures were \$10/mo. or \$100/year to have your business located in the Parishioner online business directory. Christine took the action to pass the idea to the administrative council.
11. Strategic Vision Retreat: The council was reminded that July 23rd would be an all council retreat event. Invitations are in the mail.
12. Next meeting: July 23rd, retreat and July 26th, Council Meeting
13. Closing Prayer & Meeting Adjourned.