

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, June 14, 2023, 7:00 – 8:30 PM Conference Room

Present: Paul Capetillo, Laura De Boisblanc, Antonio Del Rosario, Fr. Hilbert, Kenn Kern, John Mancuso, Letty Moss-Salentijn, Sarah Tintle, Fr. Yesalonia.

Absent: Marguerite Lucarelli

1. **Prayer.** Father Yesalonia opened the meeting with a prayer.
2. **Review of Minutes, 10 May 2023.** The members received the minutes from the May 10 Parish Council meeting and the Pastor asked that any comments be sent to him. The minutes were accepted as presented.
3. **Report: Pastor.** The Pastor reported the following:
 - A. **Appeals.** The Spring, Annual, and Cardinal's Appeals have all brought in more donations than the year prior.
 - B. **Parish Art Show.** The first annual Parish Art Show raised \$4,000 dollars for the parish. Also, through separate donations, Fr. Yesalonia was able to purchase three of the Ukrainian icons for the parish. The proceeds from these icons help fund a mobile field hospital in Ukraine.
 - C. **Summer at St. Ignatius Loyola.** While parish activity lessens during the summer months, several ministries remain active and parish staff use the time for fall planning. There will also be two visiting Jesuits at the parish during July and August.
 - D. **Women's Shelter.** The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SVDP) will reinstate the Women's Shelter this November.
4. **Action Plan Committee Reports.** The four committees have submitted their reports, each giving three recommendations for action. Jim Keane is helping to synthesize the reports into a single cohesive document. It will then be up to the Parish Council to help identify which actions to prioritize based on alignment with the Parish Vision

Statement, feasibility, and potential impact. Once this is done, a final report will be presented to the entire parish.

5. **Discussion: Future Roundtable Discussions.** The Parish Council discussed possible topics for future roundtable discussions. One suggestion was the topic of raising a spiritual child.
6. **SEPT 2023 – JUNE 2024 Calendar of Meetings.**
7. **Other Business.** Sarah Tintle is stepping down from the Parish Council. Fr. Yesalonia thanked her for her time and thoughtful contributions over the course of her tenure.

Father Yesalonia concluded the meeting with prayer.

The Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

The next meeting is Wednesday, 13 September 2023, in the Conference Room.

Respectfully submitted.

Paul Capetillo.