**St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church**

**Transfiguration of Our Lord Mission**

**Parish Pastoral Council**

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**March 11, 2019**

**Call to Order:**  Jeff

Opening Prayer-Deacon Mike

**Present**-Jeff Fremin, Mary Ellis Coombs, Jeanne Shepherd, Father Thomas, Kathy Bieger, Kristen Beck, Brian Frye, Deacon Mike Keller, Alan Harsin, Jim O’Neill

**Directory** Father explained at this point we could have a directory that is incomplete or wait until all the pictures are taken. The consensus is to wait until all the pictures are taken.

**Volunteers** Father said we need to increase our volunteer base. We only had seven sheets back when we asked people to fill out the ministry sheets. Father asked the council to think about this and bring some ideas.

**Next month** There will be not Parish Council meeting next month. We will have a prayer meeting instead. Kristen asked if we could recruit people for ministries that would have skills to address the duty. Kristen asked the areas of urgent need. Father said we could look at the list and see what is most needed. Mary Ellis felt that the need of servers was most urgent. We are short servers for Saturdays. Sometimes we are short Sunday and no one will come forward when servers are needed. Jeff said previously servers were recruited during CCD. Deacon Mike said he could come to CCD to appeal for servers. Deacon Mike said it would be good if we could get some of the Hispanic servers to 9:00 Mass. Saturday evening adults have been recruited for servers. Brian said that his children can start doing Saturday Masses once a month.

Mary Ellis asked about the attendance for the 5:00 Mass on Ash Wednesday. There was good attendance.

**Lenten activities**-We need to have more people to attend Lenten activities. There were only three people who attended Stations of the Cross, March 7. This week Stations of the Cross are on Thursday, March 14 but will be on Fridays for the rest of the Lenten season.

**Fish Fry** April 12 4:30PM-7:00PM. We will advertise. Jeff will talk with Kevin about ordering more food to prepare. Jeff will talk to Kevin States to see about getting a sign.

**Mass times** The Bishop wants each church to think about Mass times. Our Saturday is so low they could tell us we need to drop that Mass. We will not change any Mass times until after Easter. Father will look at changing Saturday Mass until 5:00

**Mission**-The Mission will be March 18 & 19. It is about the Mass. There will be videos. Dr. Edward Siri is the presenter. Father made the decision to buy videos so the materials can be kept for future events.

**CCD T**here are about 25 students and fifth and sixth grade. The students are crowded and sitting on top of each other. We may need to look at ideas on where to put the larger classes.

**Arrangement of Basement** –Father asked about the grand piano. He said we might need to sell the piano. Father would like to arrange the room and not make it look like a storage area. Father would like to put the chairs behind the divider. He would like to use the room for receptions.

**Next Meeting:**  **Will be a prayer service. Monday, April 1 after 6:30 pm Mass.**

**Closing prayer**-Deacon Mike

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