

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
St. Agnes † St. Paul of the Cross † St. Rose

Date: February 5, 2020
 Time: 5:30 p.m.
 Place: Brendan Hall, St. Rose

Chairperson: Brian Gregory
 Prayer: Fr. Mike Fowler

ATTENDANCE: Father Michael Fowler, Bernie Zapf, Sean Terboss, John Connelly, Robert Alexander, Ryne Raffaele,
 James Carroll, Brian Gregory

ABSENT: Joan Reid, Steve Worboys

EXCUSED:

TRUSTEES:

GUEST:

PRAYER	Father Fowler led us in the opening prayer.
INTRODUCTION	. Brian opened the February meeting of the Pastoral Council by asking if there were any corrections or additions to be made to the January minutes. It has been noted that Ann corrected the minutes from last month and put them on the website. Fr. Mike provided the latest version of the minutes and they were approved by those present. . Brian passed around the sign-up sheet.
SPECIAL GUEST	. There wasn't a special guest this meeting. . Elizabeth Jensen (St. Agnes School Principal) will join the meeting next month (March).
PASTORAL UPDATE FATHER MICHAEL	. Fr. Mike provided a status of the Chapter 11 bankruptcy. There will be more information to come. Bob Alexander thanked Fr. Mike for his perseverance with this topic. . Our churches are doing ok with attendance. We are not flourishing, but we're also not dwindling. There was a good turnout at St. Paul of the Cross with ~150 in attendance. . This week's Men's Group will meet at 9:00 AM in Brendan hall.
OLD BUSINESS	. Parish Council Photograph – Ryne will clean up the picture that was previously taken and get it posted. A new picture will be taken if/when new members leave/join the council.
NEW BUSINESS	. Bob Alexander presented a list of Buildings and Grounds concerns to the Council. . A meeting will be set up with Fr. Mike, Bob Alexander and Bonnie Deprez to discuss these issues and how to avoid them in the future. . It was also not clear who is on the Buildings & Grounds Committee. John Connelly and Bob Alexander represent the Building & Grounds Committee and Sean Terboss expressed interested in joining. . The Parish Council (PC) Corner is now in the bulletin. Submissions are welcome and should be directed to Pastoral Council. The next PC Corner will be to ask for new members. Future PC Corners could include testimonials from current council members.
OPEN FORUM	. We should encourage people to join to the Men's Group. . The defibrillator is in the sacristy at St. Paul of the Cross. . St. Agnes School attended the Catholic School Mass at the Cathedral. Our students participated in the choir, as readers and assisted the Bishop.
NEXT MEETING	Wednesday March 18,2020 at 5:30 pm at Parish Office at St. Agnes in Avon, NY
PRAYER & REFRESHMENTS	Prayer – Father Michael Fowler Refreshments – Father Michael Fowler

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED – Brian Gregory