

**CSt. Edward Church Pastoral Council Minutes
May 20, 2010**

X	Father Kopacek	X	Vicki Parsons	X	Emily Nelson
Exc	Gina Burg	X	Sean Schott	X	Jolene Kneeland
X	Fred Freese	X	Teri Berry	X	Dawn Smith
X	Milt Dakovich	X	Jim Schaefer		
X	Cristina Ortiz	Exc	Andrea Berns		
X	Marilyn Thornton	X	Jim Koch		

Milt Dakovich called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Jim Schaefer led us in prayer. The April 2010 minutes were read and approved.

Discussion Items/Action/Education

Social Concerns Spring Disbursements – Angela Conrad

Angela presented the Social Concerns proposed spring disbursements to the Council. Any questions or concerns were addressed. The proposed budget was approved by consensus.

Guest Speaker – Dave Cushing – Adult Formation

Dave gave an overview of the Adult Faith and Formation Education that the Catholic parishes in Waterloo offer. He spoke on the different opportunities that adults of all ages have available. A summary of the offerings and a short evaluation that each council member was asked to complete was provided. Emily Nelson suggested that a babysitting service could be offered in coordination with some of the offerings. The Council praised Dave on all the different opportunities that this committee provides our parishes.

Updated Strategic Plan

The annual review of the Strategic Plan was presented. Questions or concerns were addressed. Some areas discussed-paying of volunteers, Contemporary Masses, and music. The Council approved the Strategic Plan Review as presented.

Youth Report – Andrea Burns/Emily Nelson

- William Brandle is the new High School Youth Minister
- “April 16 Dance at KC’s was a success
- Confirmation Retreat on April 10
- “Out in the Cold” homeless night did take place on April 17
- Dragon Boat Races (My Waterloo Days event) – going for the Spirit Award for the 3rd year

A report was also submitted for the Youth Ministry.

Update on May Deanery Council Meeting – Vicki Parsons

Vicki reported that the Deanery discussed the Stewardship Study Guide that will be presented to the committee to help as a resource guide. Continued work on the Constitution for Pastoral Councils. Again, the St. Edward’s Council is currently implementing most of the suggestions. Vicki is completing her first year as chair.

Perpetual Adoration Volunteers – June 2010

Milt asked for volunteers. June 6-Fred Freese; June 13-Jolene Kneeland; June 20-Emily Nelson; June 27-Teri Berry.

Pastoral Council Elections – Results

- Fred Freese
- Cristina Ortiz
- Brian Harrison
- Mark Wall

Youth Rep

- Regan McLaughlin

CVCS St. Edward Rep

- Tim Kneeland

Waterloo Faith Formation Commission

- Justin Cardamone

Congratulations to the newly elected. The June meeting will be the first meeting for the newly elected and the election of officers will take place. Suggestions or volunteers to run for secretary or vice president should be given to Gina or Milt.

Calendar

June 17 – Election of Officers

Other Business:

Upcoming Events

Thank You Notes

- Gladys Oppold
- Dawn Smith
- Dave Cushing
- Spring Carnival Chairs

Pastor's Comments

- Working with the Building and Grounds on selling sections of the fence
- Seminarian Ryan Klobassa will be at St. Edward's this summer
- Cathy Walz has resigned; search process has begun
- Mary Pedersen has resigned

Committee Reports:

Social Concerns – report received

Liturgy Committee –

Buildings and Grounds Committee – report received

Parish Community Life Committee – report received

Finance Committee – report received

Youth Ministry – report received and given

Education and Faith Formation Committee –

Deanery Report – report given

Stewardship –

CVCS Board of Education –

Milt Dakovich adjourned the meeting.

