



St. Sebastian Parish Council

Meeting Agenda

1/30/2025

In attendance:

Excused: Terry, Katy

7:00 – 7:05 pm

Welcome and Opening Prayer (Ana Borges)

7:05 – 7:20 pm

Father's Update

Parish Mission update in process. Consider the Pastoral Letter from Bishop recently shared. Video highlights 3 main points: (1) Worship, (2) Evangelization, (3) Service

5 year plan for vision. Consider activity as Parish Council to include following areas; Physically, Spiritually, Mentally. Last 5 year plan was completed in 2019

Program Priestly Formation (PPF)

Transitional Deacons to be considered clergy. St. Sebastian is 1 of 10 parishes in the diocese being trained. If successful, program will roll out nationwide

7:20 – 7:35 pm

New Business

- Changing the June 26 meeting (Jazz Festival) to **June 23** Agreed
- 2025/2026 Nominations kickoff and Committee Committee to be formed
- Spectacular donations from Parish Council by February 11
 - Sign-up sheet for Bar Cart supplies created by Hannah
 - Deadline for donations is Feb 11th
- Ignatius Book Fair report-out (Shannon) Success! Money raised for school
- Our Mother of Sorrows cards (Barb) Work with Bernadette Gibson
- Parishoner request: Tune of the responsorial hymns; traditional Christmas hymns (Hannah) Different tunes picked. Will have follow-up discussion with music director

7:35 – 7:50 pm

Old Business

- Parish Feast report-out Revenue of \$310 to be considered for wine at next years event
- Windows laptop for ushers (Mark) Need excel for laptop. Mark to follow-up with specifics. Father is in full support of providing/purchasing a laptop for the collection counters use
- Messaging to the parents of young children – finalize and prepare for church bulletin
- Messaging re: cry room and sound loop - will be going in the bulletin
- Church mission/Committee - revisit once we have reviewed the Bishop's Pastoral Letter
- International Festival

7:50 – 8:20 pm

Pulse of the Parish/Commission Reports

8:20 – 8:30 pm

Compline (Ana Borges)

Next Meeting:

Thursday February 27, 2025, 7:00 – 8:30 pm

St. Sebastian Rectory

Prayer and Compline – Mark Adamczyk