

Saint Brendan Parish: Pastoral Council Meeting

October 7, 2020

Attending: Chita Aure, Dale Garrett, Luz Gutierrez, Adrian Mascarenhas, Armando Medina, Paul Michel, Malia Swager, and Fr. Wichert

Call to Order: Meeting started at 7:25pm

Opening Prayer: Led by Father

Approval of Minutes: Approved for September

Pastor's Report:

- Brigitte Blair started September 28th as the Pastoral Assistant for Evangelization full-time.
- 300 black masks were ordered
- Coffee and Donuts – opportunity to educate and invite guest speakers (which can include Pastoral Council); possibly do a couple sessions in Spanish
- Archdiocese Rosary Rally and Eucharistic procession
- Father will be gone for part of the last week of October/first week of November – attending a retreat and then hosting a retreat

Pastoral Council approves recommending to Father to move forwards with church renovations.

St. Brendan Rosary Rally and Eucharistic procession will be held on October 18th.

Hispanic Community – Night adoration – Second Saturdays, 7pm to 6am, women only; Third Saturdays, 7pm to 6am, men only

Pastoral Council – Adrian was elected as vice chair, Malia was re-elected as secretary.

Evangelization - learn our charisms so we can efficiently assist Brigitte

A parishioner would like to donate to have the SOS room flooring redone

Confessions – feedback of long lines recently (mostly due to a push to confirmandees to attend before their Confirmation); suggestion of having a paper Examination of Conscience available

Confirmation – total of 110 confirmed during three Masses/services; classes start soon

October 19/20 – 2 Evenings of Reflection with Angel priests

Parish Retreat, fall 2021 – Pastoral Council supports Dale to proceed; suggestion of having Blessed Sacrament exposed during retreat

Closing prayer: Fr. Wichert

Meeting adjourned: 9:11pm

Next meeting: November 4th, January 6th (no meeting in December)