Pastoral Council

Minutes
July 21,2020
7:30 Zoom Call

1) Attendance:

Father Patrick Carrion Kathleen Yonts Denise Dubina Mark Lowman John Gill Alex Deras

2) Prayer: Alex Deras

3) Topics:

- **1)** Look for new members. Find ways to advertise and new application formj.
- **2)** Find some community building activities or events. Talk to creating community about this?
- **3)** Talked about the sacraments received. Baptisms happen individually, about 10 First Communion candidates, and about 25 Confirmation candidates.
- 4) New 2021 confirmation call and look at potential retreat options.
- **5)** Have about 40-50 people coming for mass, and can fit roughly 100. Might need to mention rule about not singing because some people are.
- **6)** Father Patrick is talking with Archdiocese IT people about mounting cameras for better camera work on the live streams. Also potential purchase of a monitor to be put in hall so they could potentially fit another 80-100 people on other occasions.
- **7)** The budget is much tighter without as many donations. Cut some expenses such as truck carrying money from donations and 24 hour voicemail answering machine.

8) Potential online religious ed. Trying to find a way to integrate an in person version as well. Also talked about vacation bible school possibilities.

Meeting ends at 8:11pm