

**SABB Pastoral Council Meeting Notes**  
**7:00 - 9:00 PM, Monday 2 May 2016**

**Planned Attendees:** Father Jeff Dauses, Mike Lehr (secretary and stand -in for Roger, Mary Jean Mollen, Brendan Walshe, Cathy Tengwell, Audrey Carbine, Anne Storey, Christopher Mirenzi, Susan Michaud, Rick Brewer , Brian Jordan

**Absent:** Jen Minor and Roger Crane

■ **Report from Jeremy Shutt, Knight of Columbus**

- canceled

■ **Father Jeff Update**

- Office staff is stable
- Guilia Carbine has been hired as a summer intern to assist the youth ministry program
- SABB has exceeded our Bishop's Appeal goal
- Trip to El Salvador has been postponed but we will be hosting our El Salvadorian family in the Fall
- Confirmation and first Holy Communion was this month and went well
- Karen Sargent, a corporator of our church is moving. The parish is hosting a celebration after 10:30 mass on May 29 to honor Karen.
- Father asked the council to consider Karen for Parish honors and all agreed.
- Bobby Paquin is taking Karen Sargent's place as corporator.
- Door changes to the upper hall are underway as well as the bathrooms in the church

■ **PC Member Selection (Election process)**

- Discernment meeting schedule (May 3 and May 24)
- Father Jeff will share the purpose of the council and members will discuss their personal experiences. Father and the council will answer their concerns and discern the gifts each would bring to the council.
- The qualities of a parish council member should include: ability to be a team player, someone who can focus on items outside of their ministry and their own concerns, able to see the big picture and wants to nourish their own spirituality. The discussion at the discernment meetings should try to highlight these qualities.
- After the May 24 meeting the council will discern the members to join the council

■ **Ministry Liaisons**

- No reports

■ **Caper submission from PC**

- Mike suggested that Kathy Beard, is more suited for this job; the council and Father agreed

- **Update on Sister Parishes**

- Rick is going to personally invite them to the parish picnic when he attends at Transfiguration next month.

- **Neighborhood Network**

- Atlantis council members will join together and use Community Park to have a potluck this fall.

- **Parking lot update**

- Gardens are planned and grants are being written
- Cathy and Mike will give a short talk to share the parking lot plans with the parish. Time unknown.

- **Donut Sunday**

- Thanks to Brendan and Anne for organizing and hosting this event on the council's behalf

- **SABB Leadership Potluck**

- Tengwell's home , 4 Captain Court Grasonville, MD 21638
- Saturday June 4

- **Planning for June 11 PC meeting**

- Mass prior to meeting, daily chapel
- Light breakfast ( juice, coffee, tea, yogurt, fresh fruit, bagels)
- Notebooks for new members

- **Additional discussion topics**

- Calendar Review

- **New Business & Calendar**

- May crowning on May 15 after 11:30 Mass
- Mary Jean proposed having the rosary recited after Masses in May, Father approved this idea.

- **Intercessory Prayer Intentions**

- Kept confidential

- **Closing prayer**

## **Important Upcoming Dates**

### **May 2016**

1 – PC Meet and Greet

2 – PC Meeting 7-9 PM, ALC

3, 24- discernment meeting for next year's council members will occur at this meeting

29- Celebration in honor of Karen Sargent after 10:30 Mass

**June 2016**

4, 5 – PC Meet and Greet

5 – Parish Picnic

11 – PC Meeting with new members to include morning mass and then breakfast and meeting in LH. Officers will be chosen