

May 14, 2015

## Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Pastoral Council Meeting

### Minutes

Introduction of Patrick Stockton - taken on task of revitalizing Welcoming Committee

Five Year Goals - Dustin

- Accomplishing goals will not happen immediately
- Any members from PC who have not yet signed up for an action committee, please sign up!
- All people welcome on any group!
- Consult sample from tonight's agenda packet - Cathedral of the Sacred Heart Foundation Preservation Subcommittee Member Description - as a reference for creating your own committee's written description regarding purpose, goals, responsibilities, etc.
- Finalize descriptions by end of summer
- Renaming evangelization subcommittee - 'parish evangelization' and/or 'welcoming'
- Will - additional members needed for welcoming ministry - perhaps one from each subcommittee?
- Maria - goals have been designed to be concrete, specific

Budget - Kim

- compiled budget information
- asked for extension from diocese: position changes, no money received from foundation, increased support needed for school systems
  - reduced offertory budget
- goal: June 1 for budget
- report to whole parish forthcoming - broad picture
- email Kim if ever concern for budget, specifics
- PC joining with finance to discuss budget was a successful process

UCI Bike Race 2015 - Kim

- thousands of spectators
- when streets are closed, can arrive via downtown expressway; can park at deck & walk
- streets only closed one hour before race, opened one after
- Cathedral wants to 'partner' with event, not fight it! What can we do?
- International food festival same weekend?
- Need a Bike Race Committee to help around this time to connect - how can we be a presence when Bike Race is here?
- CCM can be fully present for this committee (VCU has no classes)

- Committee tasks/bike race needs:
  - Extra ushers
  - Cathedral as emergency shelter
  - blessing of the bikers
  - docents present / cathedral tour guides?
  - beautiful signs on plaza - welcome to cathedral 'we are open today from....'
    - different events available - tours of crypt/church/music
- Willing committee members at this point - Mary Rebecca, Josh, Jim, Patrick, Mary Alice, Bill

#### Pastoral Council Elections - Donna

- May 17 elections
- Ushers should 'delay' collection so people have time to fill out ballots

#### Summer Retreat - Donna

- July 9, 5:30
- at Kim Kremer's or Donna Newcomb
- Need planning committee for retreat
  - Maria Thorsen, Rebecca Richards, Maria Baquerizo, Laura O'Connor

#### CCM updates - Josh

- Night Fever (based on cathedrals in Germany)
  - 35 students helped to prepare
  - 2 hours of Eucharistic adoration (2nd night of exams)
  - Friday night
  - half hour daily mass before
  - street teams - invited people inside to light a tea candle
  - 250 students came in off street
  - hoping to make more joint CCM/parish event
  - hoping to do another around All Souls

#### Two Concerts - Dustin

- "Pershing's Own" Army Brass Quintet
- Minnesota Boys Choir - June 24