

**CATHEDRAL OF THE SACRED HEART  
PASTORAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
Thursday, November 10, 2016  
5:30 p.m. Parish Hall**

**Cathedral Communication –**

**Cathedral App Update – Kim Kremer**

Kim Kremer demonstrated all features of new App and asked Pastoral Council members to be an ambassador for the new App. It is more than just an avenue for gifting. It is a great avenue for people to connect with Cathedral. To date we have 224 downloads. PC members were guided how to download the App so they can assist parishioners. The App was featured in the Catholic Virginian. Kim Kremer asked Pastoral Council members to contact her if they know of other features that should be included in the App.

**Review of New Cathedral Website – Kim Kremer**

Kim Kremer explained that we are instituting a new mobile friendly website. It should be launched by late December. We hope that it will be easy to navigate with the Home page answering the basic questions – who, what, when, why and how. The key phrase is **Disambiguation** refers to the removal of ambiguity by making something clear. The new website will be based on a content management system. Each member of staff will be able to change their information. This should keep the site up-to-date.

**Flocknotes – Maria Thorsen**

Kim Kremer demonstrated how people could go to the website and sign up to receive Flocknotes. Once the person signs in they can manage groups and notifications and settings.

**Welcoming of New Pastoral Council Members – Laura O'Connor**

Laura O'Connor welcomed new pastoral council members: Jim Dill, Millie Green and Robin Mundle

**Welcome CCM Speakers – Laura O'Connor**

CCM Student leaders address Pastoral Council

**What Does Stewardship Mean to You? – Laura O'Connor**

Cathedral is currently working with the Diocese to develop a Stewardship Program for our faith community with modules focusing on Prayer, Service, Hospitality/Welcome and Sharing. Pastoral Council members discussed the meaning of stewardship

**PC Members break into Cathedral Goals groups to share ideas on Stewardship**

Discuss what group feels is needed to continue to move their goal forward.

**Reconvene to Brainstorm Ideas Regarding Stewardship**

Announce opportunity to serve on the Cathedral Stewardship Committee.

This will be a sub-committee of Pastoral Council and will closely work with other parish ministries.

**Closing Prayer Tommy Joe Bednar**