

SACRED HEART PASTORAL COUNCIL MINUTES DECEMBER 3, 2018

Minutes from September 24 meeting were accepted.

TOPIC FOR REFLECTION:

“Jeremiah 33:15 I will raise up for David a just shoot, he shall do what is right and just in the land.” This verse is the prophesy of the coming of the Messiah and a change to the accustomed lines of kings to a different type of life.

FEATURED MINISTRY:

Joe Brundage spoke about Men’s Alpha that has started in our parish. They meet monthly for food, fellowship and watch a video followed by a discussion. The program is designed for men of all ages as a means, not only to evangelize, but to provide an opportunity to tune into our faith.

FINANCE REPORT:

With new roofs on the church and hall and A/C at Green Cove Springs, plus our usual repairs at Fleming Island, our maintenance budget is used up. No major items are projected. Thanks to the generosity of our community the parish continues to be financially sound.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. A contractor has been hired to construct the sign at the Green Cove Springs church. It will be a one-sided sign facing the street.
2. The Ministry Fair had 36 ministries participate with 102 volunteers signing up.
3. Father is in the process of finding replacements for Pablo, Sharon Mullady, and Nancy who are due to rotate off the Parish Council.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Kirk will be looking into obtaining small outdoor signs for Mass schedules at both churches.
2. It is time for an updated directory. It will either be one printed with photos or one printed without photos. The type of directory will be determined later.
3. Joy reported on the schedule for the activities involving the Lady of Guadalupe celebration that include the children’s presentation of Mary’s appearance after the Saturday Mass on December 8th A midnight Mass is set for the eve of the actual feast day on December 11th.

PASTOR COMMENTS:

1. Good news is that there will be around 5-9 priests
2. ordained in our diocese in the next few years.
3. The deaconate program has started up again.

The next Parish Council meeting will be February 4, 2019