

**Saint John the Baptist –
Pastoral Outreach Commission
Monthly Meeting Agenda / Minutes**

Date:	March 14, 2017	Recorder:	Michelle Chock	Chair:	Mike S.
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Member/Attendee	Present	Member/Attendee	Present
Mike S.	Yes	Peter W	Yes
Matt G.	No	Brandon Z	Yes
Leonard H.	No	Father Paul Shovelain	No
Jeanne S.	Yes	Tom L.	No
Sue R.	Yes		

Agenda

- I. Dinner 5:30 pm
- II. Prayer 6:05 pm – 6:30 pm
- III. Meeting 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Opening Prayer

Merciful Lord,

As we prepare for our journey of renewal toward the great paschal feast of Easter, Teach us to be good stewards of Your mercy and forgiveness, so that we may extend these gifts to others. Give us the strength to bear witness to You at all times, even in times of stress and adversity. And fill our hearts with love that we may be faithful to the Gospel Jesus proclaimed and ready to celebrate His resurrection. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Review PLC February Meeting (CSC Approval) & Parish Admin Report – Jeanne/Mike

PLC approved St John’s to be a founding member of the CSC.
Conclusion/Action: None

Upcoming: Hospitality Weekend Review: FMSC, Families Helping Families, Sister Vu Soup Supper

We will be hosting hospitality 4/8-4/9/17. FMSC was a success. The next FMSC event for St Johns is 6/17/17. Sister Rose collected just over \$1,000 from her Soup Supper.
Conclusion/Action: None

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Discuss/Brainstorm Father Skluzacek’s Strategic Priorities for Parish: Development of Legacy Committee Case Statements

Discussion: Leonard and Matt sent example case statements.
Conclusion/Action: Mike will send out emails to the commission to work on our case statement ahead of our next meeting.

“Partners in Mission” committee update. Work with the Archdiocese and other churches to come up with guidelines for Foreign Mission opportunities. Mike, Brandon & Matt

Discussion: Brandon talked with St Odilia regarding their procedure for allowing groups in the plaza. They allow 3 groups in their “St Joe’s Hall” at any one time. Never in the plaza.
Conclusion/Action: Ongoing

POC Committee Membership Numbers and Plans for Recruitment

Discussion: We could be losing 3 members from our commission.
Conclusion/Action: Michelle will get information to Mike regarding whose commission time is up. Talk to ministry leaders to get new members on our commission. Personal invite.

Next Meeting is April 18th

Closing Prayer

God of Mercy,
You have given us this special time to reflect on our lives,
Embrace the Good News and draw closer to You.
During this season of Lent help us use this time to fast and pray,
Be more generous and show others how to live in Christ.

Let us see each day of this season as a new opportunity to renew our lives
And gain a deeper appreciation of Your active presence in our hearts and our community of faith.
Give us the grace to see Your face in others, especially the poor and those who suffer.
And through your spirit, enkindle in us the fire of Your love so that we may be better stewards of Your redeeming work throughout the world.

We ask this through Jesus, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God,
Forever and ever, Amen.

2017 meeting dates: Apr 18, May 16, June 6