

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

Date:	May 16, 2017	Recorder:	Michelle Chock	Chair:	Mike S.
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Member/Attendee	Present	Member/Attendee	Present
Mike S.	Yes	Peter W	No
Matt G.	No	Brandon Z	No
Leonard H.	Yes	Father Paul Shovelain	No
Jeanne S.	Yes	Tom L.	No

Agenda

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

Opening Prayer

Loving Father,

During this Easter season, we rejoice in your son, who has renewed us in freedom and joy through the mystery of his resurrection.

We have been called to proclaim his Gospel; not because we are good enough, holy enough, or talented enough; but because you wanted us to have this gift and this responsibility.

Give us the courage to be faithful to this call; help us make every day of our lives an experience of Easter.

And keep us ever mindful of our charge: to go in peace to love and serve the Lord; that as stewards of your world we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to transform it, bring it justice and peace, and offer it, in gratitude, back to you.

We pray this in Jesus' name.

Amen.

Review PLC April Meeting, Parish Admin Report, CSC Lunch – Jeanne/Mike

Reviewed all. CSC lunch went well.
Conclusion/Action: None

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POC Commission Recruitment for 2017-2018

We need 5 people to fill out our commission.
Conclusion/Action: Mike will reach out to Rita. Leonard will reach out to the Catholic Watchmen.

Father Skluzacek’s Approval of POC Strategic Priorities for Parish: Development of Legacy Committee Case Statements

Discussion: Father thanked the commission for our input.
Conclusion/Action: None

Solicitation/Fund-Raising Guidelines

Discussion: Reviewed other churches policies
Conclusion/Action: Mike will come up with a rough draft of a Fund Raising policy.

Next Meeting is June 6th.

Closing Prayer

Heavenly Father,

Your Son ascended in great triumph to sit at your right hand. You sent your Spirit to watch over us, guide us and teach us to be better stewards of your abundant gifts.

May this Spirit of wisdom make us better stewards of our planet. May your Spirit increase our awareness of the dignity of every human life, and show us the way to be better stewards of our neighbor.

And through your Spirit, may we be inspired every day to live in accordance with the Gospel, and to give witness to our risen Lord.

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