St. Louis King of France Pastoral Council
Meeting minutes – Tuesday, June 4, 2019

Attendance:
✓ Fr. James Misko ✓ Fr. Jesse Martinez ✓ Donna McClung, President
☐ Lucina Barragan ✓ Daniel Caballero ☐ Bruni Cruz ✓ Hope Debo
☐ Socorro Diaz ☐ Ryan Edgerly ☐ Javier Gonzalez ✓ Ofelio Guevara
✓ Ken Horton ✓ Joe Ramacciotti ✓ Tyler Taylor ✓ Lauren Ward, Secretary

I. Opening
a. Meeting Call to Order at 6:00pm
b. Opening Prayer: Fr. James
c. Approved March minutes.

II. Pastor’s Report – Fr. James Misko
a. We welcome Deacon Miguel Flores, a transitional deacon who will be with us most
weekends for the next year.
b. Staff update
   i. Scott McNulty our organist has left and our new organist, Luciano, will start in the next
      few weeks.
   ii. We are lacking two maintenance specialists and only have one Director of Maintenance
       (Tim) covering the work of three men.
c. Vicar General/Pastor Update
   i. Fr. James will become the Vicar General full time and his last weekend at St. Louis is Jun
      29/30.
   ii. We have been assigned a new pastor, Fr. Matthew Kinney, and he will begin Jul 1. He is
       visiting St. Louis on Jun 5 and a welcome binder has been prepared for him about all the
       ministries and other facts about the parish.
   iii. A few of the great things that have happened the last five years here at St. Louis:
       1. The school will have 309 students for the 19-20 school year (up from 225),
       2. The new parish offices were built from the old rectory,
       3. The new rectory was built for our priests and deacons,
       4. The new library construction has started,
       5. Fr. James has mentored several young priests.
d. Capital Campaign Update – Missio 2020
   i. Video created for the campaign in English and Spanish – posted online and will be
      shown during Mass
   ii. We have $4.95 million of our $7.5 million goal
iii. The Spanish Masses have spent time on the pledges and the English Masses will go through pledges on the Jun 8/9 weekend.
e. 7:30am Mass – Discussion over returning the service to a spoken Mass and remove the music. For the summer there will be a trial run of having the 7:30am Mass be a spoken Mass.

III. Old Business:
a. Discernment Update
   i. Dates are Jun 25 (Chapel) & Jun 27 (Narthex) – the time has been changed to 7pm.
   ii. Pulpit Announcements were on Jun 8 & 9 – many thanks to the speakers.
   iii. Nominations forms are available in the pews until Jun 16. A box is in the Narthex for collection.
   iv. For the nominees who feel called and cannot make the Jun 27 meeting, they will be given information on how they can be represented in absentia.

IV. New Business:
a. Council Retreat – Discussed possible dates in early Aug, ad hoc committee created to plan the retreat.
b. St. Louis Feast Day – The feast day is Aug 25 and we can have the feast after the Vigil on the 24th. The kitchen in St. Louis IX Hall will have construction completed by that date. Ad hoc committee created to plan the feast day event.
c. Nominations and voting for President-Elect – Joe Ramacciotti will be our new President-Elect for 2019-2020.

V. Perspectives from the Pews:
a. Parishioners are curious and excited about our new priest, Father Matthew
b. A small write up in the bulletin was suggested as to why you should not chew gum in church
c. A ceiling fan was requested for the cry room
d. Sunday envelopes should be available in the Narthex for offerings
e. ECDC needs more space to offer activities for the children

VI. Agenda Items for the next meeting
a. Invite our new Deacons, Mark Molchen and Hector Ortiz, to meet with us

VII. Closing prayer and blessing – Fr James
a. Meeting adjourned at 7:24pm.

We will meet on June 25, 2019 at 7:00 PM in the Chapel for Discernment. Next council meeting will be August 27 at 6:00 PM in the conference room. Minutes submitted by Lauren Ward.