

# Waukesha Pastoral Council

## Meeting Minutes

**Date of Meeting:** Thursday, October 15, 2015

**Members Present:** Fr. Curt Frederick, Fr. Javier Bustos, Fr. Howard Haase, Fr. Jose Nieto, Noël Fortier, Jerome Campbell, Luanne Corcoran, Nancy Eggener, Ed Greil, Greg Johnson, John Kendellen, Marty Larson, John MacGregor, Maria Paz, Chris Peychal, Vernon Pillsbury, Tom Sambs, John Schraufnagel, Paul Seifert, Susie Waite, Jennifer Wall, Ken Walter

**Guests:** Barry Saylor, Peter Kiefer

**Excused:** Richard Koob, Geovanna Salazar

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM and the meeting was begun with prayer and reflection.

### **1. Topics/Issues/Projects discussed (see pages 2-4 for detailed notes on each topic)**

1. Report on Citywide Committee Common Meeting
2. Clarify and re-emphasize the purpose, roles and responsibility of the council
3. Discussion of citywide pastoral planning
4. Update on Synod activities
5. Announcements from the Chair

### **2. Decisions Made**

- The Council agreed to pursue organization of a citywide pastoral planning session. An invitation will be extended to Maureen Gallagher for an upcoming Council meeting (hopefully November) to begin discussion of organizing a citywide pastoral planning session.

### **3. Follow-Up Work – Person(s) Responsible:**

- Noël: Will provide Pastoral Council announcements to be shared by those leading the “Common Committee Meeting Nights” in the respective parishes.
- John Kendellen: Will distribute a summary of each of the 4 “breakout” sessions held at the Citywide Committee Common Meeting
- Executive Committee: Add a topic for discussing the Catholic Community of Waukesha’s response to the crisis of displaced European immigrants to the November agenda.
- John Kendellen: Will draft a “Thank You” letter from the Pastoral Council to the BTC for all the hard work done to establish the foundation for the citywide Pastoral Council.

The meeting concluded at 8:45 with the Council praying the Lord’s Prayer.