

MINUTES FOR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING - ST EDMUND CAMPION, MAIDENHEAD

11th July 2023
19.30 Parish Centre



1. Welcome Prayer and Apologies

In attendance Mary Fraser (MF), Fr Liam Cummins (LC), Jennifer Camp-Overy (JCO), Noris Dukes (ND) Ruth McCartney (RMCC), Jayne Mullen (JM)

Apologies

2. Matters outstanding from the Last Meeting

Action: Assisted Doors. Discussed quote for replacement of doors, which wouldn't include mechanism for assisted doors. Awaiting further quotes.

3. Parish Update

- New Pastoral Area - plan to join by February 2024 - St Edmund Campion, St Joseph's, St Elizabeth's, St Thomas More & Our Lady Queen of Peace. A new council will be created, consisting of parishioners: 4 from St Edmund Campion, 4 from St Joseph's/St Elizabeth's, 4 from St Thomas More/Our Lady Queen of Peace, plus 6 clergy. Total of 18 members. Fr Jude is moving in September, and we will welcome Fr Anthony Graysher to the new Pastoral Area. Each church will continue to have subcommittees.
- Stewardship Weekend - September 23rd/24th and September 30th/October 1st. We will have a stewardship drive to recruit catechists, new liturgy team, readers, altar servers etc. (LC & RMCC)
- CAFOD – A family of 4 have volunteered to be our new Cafod Representatives. Laura to contact them.
- Alpha Course and RCIA will begin in September. Confirmation will be from October.
- Bereavement Group (MF) - Good feedback from the first Bereavement Group meeting. Next meeting is 16th July 2023.
- Vision Group Walk - First walk took place on Sunday 9th July. Total of 14 people walked from St Joseph's to St Elizabeth's. The next walk is Sunday 30th July, St Elizabeth's to St Edmund Campion.
- Healing Mass - from September the First Friday Healing Mass will be 10am at St Joseph's and 7pm at St Edmund Campion.
- Banneaux - currently 4 people short to break even. Need 30 participants.
- Parish Retreat Day: Henley, 5th August - 18 places confirmed. Consider having the retreat day in September next year, not August.

4. AOB

- Ramps: Look at getting ramps painted and pedestrian crossing also. Will need to wait until construction works are completed at school.
- A big thank you to all parishioners who volunteered and supported the Summer Funday which raised a fantastic amount of £12,500.

5. Dates for Next Meetings

12th September, 19:30hrs.

6. Prayer to Close.