

# St Francis of Assisi Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes

## MINUTES

APRIL 29, 2015

600PM – 7:30 PM

<b>MEETING CALLED BY</b>	Fr. Frank Maroney
<b>TYPE OF MEETING</b>	Scheduled
<b>FACILITATOR</b>	Fr. Frank Maroney
<b>NOTE TAKER</b>	Ray Falce
<b>ATTENDEES</b>	Fr. Frank Maroney, Ray Falce, Reggie Valencia, Arleen Mack, Dennis Graham, Lola Swedbergh

### Meeting Organization

<b>OPENING PRAYER</b>	Fr. Frank
<b>REVIEW/APPROVE MINUTES</b>	Previous minutes (March) corrected. Motion to approve previous meeting minutes with changes and seconded, unanimous approval.
<b>REIVEW AGENDA</b>	A formal agenda was not prepared for the monthly meeting.

### Agenda topics

GENERAL TOPICS	
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<p>Father opened the meeting with a prayer.</p> <p><b>Old Business/General</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Still need ideas for helping the poor. We need to keep this activity going. There is a budget planned for charities each FY. The parish has donated about \$20K through March 31<sup>st</sup>. The budget for this FY is \$32K.</li> <li>• The Parish Survey for the Archdiocese is not totally complete. Some of the initial results show that there are a lot of two person households. It is a higher percentage than what was expected.</li> <li>• Dennis has finalized the Men's questionnaire. It was reviewed by several members of the men's club and Parish Council. Dennis will send it out via email.</li> </ul>

**New Business/General**

- Becky’s replacement - there were three interviews to date. He is going to repost the ad again to see if we can pick up more interviewee’s. It was posted to the online web site, Denver Catholic, Augustine Institute and Steubenville.
- Father Frank, Deacon George, Arleen Mack, Dan Aedo, and Helen Herman attended the “Amazing Parish” conference. The MC was top notch. The theme was developing teamwork and partnerships. There is going to be another conference in August. The idea is “how to develop a team to help the Pastor develop a vision for the parish. Father Frank wants to develop a team within our parish to help develop a vision as well as helping out Father Frank. Need to finalize the team by July 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Arleen asked the question: What is the difference between the Parish Council, Staff members and the New Team?

<b>ACTION ITEMS</b>	<b>PERSON RESPONSIBLE</b>	<b>DEADLINE</b>
1. There is an action for the Council Members to come up with ideas as to how we can better help the poor.	<b>Parish Council</b>	<b>None assigned</b>
2. All of the PC members need to go to the website and have a discussion at the next PC meeting.	<b>Parish Council</b>	<b>May 20<sup>th</sup></b>
3. Dennis to send out the new survey & take to Men’s Group.	<b>Dennis Graham</b>	<b>None assigned</b>

***Next Meeting Scheduled for May 29<sup>th</sup> AT 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM.  
For Planning Purposes the meeting in June will be on the 24<sup>th</sup>. No meeting in July.***