Christ the King Catholic Community Parish Pastoral Council Minutes – November 10, 2021 7:00 p.m.

- A. Meeting was called to order 7:00 p.m.
- B. Opening prayer, roll call

Present: Father Jon Thomas, Robert Tulini, Theresa-Rose Woodward, Jennifer McHugh-Barker, Mike Przybylski, Sarah Martine-Belfi, Mary Rose Martino, Hank Zaleski, Matt Smith, Joe McElroy and Karena Rosa

- C. Minutes of September 22, 2021 meeting were reviewed and approved unanimously for filing and posting on parish website.
- D. Selection of Parish Council Vice Chair: Sarah Martine-Belfi
- E. Pastor's Report
 - 1. Diocesan bankruptcy process update
 - Two diocesan priests have been selected to represent all 62 pastors.
 - Concern that this may not be in the best interests of our parish.
 - 2. Catholic Strong project update
 - George Lynn received Bishop's Medal at our recommendation.
 - Completion of phase 2 anticipated 11/21/21 with two exceptions:
 - a. Sanctuary wall: Renovation committee leaning toward plain mosaic of blue and gold with suspended crucifix.
 - b. Improvements to outdoor patio
 - 3. Church's 80th anniversary celebration
 - Blessing of new altar by Bishop Sullivan accompanied by 12 priests formerly assigned to Christ the King on 11/21/21.
 - Luncheon to follow with celebrants and members of church staff.
 - 4. New ministry updates
 - That Man Is You: Continues to thrive with 30 in attendance regularly.
 - Teens and tweens event to provide meals for Kids Alley and Cathedral Kitchen also a success with 25 to 30 kids in attendance at first event last Sunday after 11 a.m. Mass.
 - BLAZE program set to begin in January.

F. Old Business

- 1. Results-based management
 - Looking to create a rubric to determine how our parish is performing.
 - This will provide a uniform method to debrief parish events and assist Father Jon in holding performance reviews with staff.
 - Also considering creating a validated survey to conduct in the parish.
 - Consideration given to create a subgroup from within the council to develop these items.
- 2. Project Sychar
 - Need to solidify template to display parish testimonials with photo.
 - First round of volunteers being recruited.
- G. New Business
 - 1. Revisions to council guidelines

- Voted unanimously to approve with modification.

2. Clergy matters

- Father Jakub's religious worker visa expired and he is still awaiting approval of green card application. Expedition request was denied.
- There is a possibility of our receiving a deacon by the first Sunday of Advent.
- Father Jamie King has been assisting with Masses.
- 3. Participation in Haddonfield Council of Churches
 - Father Jon to find out more regarding the expense before deciding but group leaning toward maintaining Christ the King's presence on the council.
- H. Next meeting January 12, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.
- I. Closing prayer
- J. Meeting adjourned 8:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Karena Rosa, recording secretary