

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING
SEPTEMBER 21, 2006

Present:

Council Members - Tony Morley, Chair, Sister Teresa Currie, Jeff deGannes, Jeanne Bourque, Sharon Fairfax, Edna Walsh, Sharon Murphy, John Kellegrew, Palm Cormier, Darlene White, Jim Nelson, Gerry Cormier

Parish Staff – Father Vernon Driscoll, Pauline Pettigrew, Maria Kirkpatrick
Forward in Faith Committee II Members – Peter Vriend, Chair, Sandra LaPierre, Irene Burns-Chevarie

Guests – Charlie MacInnes, Enid Craft, Peter Belliveau **Regrets** – Pat Robinson

Opening – Father Driscoll let the Forward in Faith Prayer

Minutes of the June meeting were circulated. Sharon Murphy moved that they be accepted as circulated, seconded by Darlene White. Motion carried.

Peter Vriend, Chair of the Forward in Faith II Committee presented the recommendation from that committee (attached) He prefaced the recommendation by sharing with the council the address he will make this coming weekend at all the Masses. (attached)

It was moved by John Kelligrew that the recommendation of the Forward in Faith Committee II be accepted. Darlene White seconded the motion.
Discussion ensued; and when the questions were exhausted the chair called for the vote.
Ten members voted for the acceptance of the motion with one member (Jeannie Bourque) voting against it. Motion carried.

John Kelligrew then proposed a motion of thanks for the work of the members of the both Forward in Faith Committees during the past two years. Father Driscoll announced that the Committee was now disbanded; but that members were committed to working towards the realization of their proposal.

Pastors Report – attached

Correspondence – A letter from Howard Gotell announcing that a Stewardship Workshop will be held in the parish on October 21, 2006 from 1-4 PM focusing on stewardship as a way of life and presenting information on planned giving.

Old Business –

Jeff DeGannes and Tony Morley agreed to seek nominations for people willing to serve on Parish Pastoral Council; and hopefully prepare a list for election. Father encouraged members to attend the workshop this weekend in Springhill which is aimed at educating Council members in their role and how to make our Parish all that it can be.

Tony announced that he was finishing his term as chair at the October meeting and would be moving on to the committee level.

Next meeting October 5, 2006 in Nativity of Our Lady Hall at 7:00pm

Meeting adjourned on the motion of Jim Nelson.