

Members Present: Mike Rimbey, Gary Livacari, Kathy Dyer, Deb Abel, Eric Scheer, Mike McCartney, Scott Fleckenstein and Fr Chris Axline.

- 1. Opening prayer @ 7:011
- 2. February's meeting minutes were read and approved.
- 3. Father Chris' update:
 - a. Meeting notes on the web site are to reflect when there isn't a meeting by stating "no meeting"
 - b. Bi-monthly meetings have been tabled until after the first of the year and then revisited.
 - c. Two openings on the council are to be filled by appointment.
- 4. Strategic Plan updates
 - a. Deb A. Respect Life
 - i. Monthly newsletter in production.
 - ii. Thursday Holy hour has experienced an increase in attendance
 - iii. 40 days for life had over 40 participants at Planned Parenthood
 - b. Gary L. <u>Integrating new families into Parish</u>
 - i. Met with Lita and found they share similar vision and Gary is looking at ways to fold into and support Lita's vision
 - ii. Focus is to evangelize to the secular world through mentor families that will build fellowship with new families.
 - iii. Mentor families will visit new families and through a organic person to person interaction will welcome them into our community
 - c. Mike M. Integrate life of Church into Life of our People
 - i. Struggling at getting people involved
 - ii. Looking to revamp committee
 - 1. Create a questionnaire asking how the Church can help people get involved
 - 2. New format to be implemented by May 10
 - d. Kathy D. Veteran's PLC
 - i. Vets integration under way through Memorial Day Mass @ Queen of Heaven, Vet's station of Cross and a Veteran's day Mass
 - ii. Committee is nearly complete
 - iii. Staff liaison position is still open

- e. Scott F. Fallen Away Catholics
 - i. Looking to utilize "Catholic Come Home" (CCH) program from the Diocese
 - 1. Partnering with CCH
 - a. Use CCH's videos and web link banner, free of charge with only a minor fee for materials.
- 5. Meeting adjourned.