

Saint Mary Magdalene Pastoral Council

Meeting Minutes for Public: April 12, 2021

COUNCIL MEMBERS

- **In Attendance:** Father Chris, Deb Abel, Kathy Dyer, Nick Turner, Gary Livacari, Bobi Martinez, Jennifer Plunk, Emily Perez, and David Smith
- **Absent:** Kim Celentano

- Fr. Chris opened the meeting with prayer at 6:00PM
- March Meeting Minutes approved by unanimous vote

PARISH UPDATE from Father Chris

- Sanctuary Update: We are waiting on Diocese for a start date to construction
- Summer Gatherings: Pastoral Council will host monthly gathering. Open to everyone! Information to come but possible start date in June.
- Staffing for Family Catechesis: New hire will start in July
- Priest staffing: With Fr. Steve moving, the Mass schedule for retirement homes will be reworked due to having just two priests available.

ACTION ITEM UPDATES

- Security Council and 24-Hour Adoration Items were closed.

OPEN DISCUSSION

- Prioritized Council recommendations on pastoral messaging, with emphasis on the Real Presence.
- Announcements during Easter and Christmas Mass about partaking in Communion could be helpful to visiting parishioners

Meeting adjourned with prayer at 8:00

Respectfully Submitted,

Jennifer Plunk – Council Secretary