

Saint Mary Magdalene Pastoral Council

Meeting Minutes: April 17, 2023

Council Members

- In Attendance: Matt Patterson, Kim Nick Turner, Kathy Pipenhagen, Bobi Martinez, Kent Bell, Stephen Dombrowski, Mary Calgaro
- Absent: David Smith, Kim Celentano

Opening Prayer – Fr Chris

Parish Construction Updates

- Sanctuary Updates
 - Art Installation Complete
 - Alter furnishings have arrived; will be implemented when Altars and Ambo are installed
 - New Altars and Ambo tracking for June installation
- Working with New Jerusalem Studios for a brochure detailing the symbolism of the Sacred Art
- Mosaics are on order

Parish News & Events

- Bingo Night for Seminarians was a successful event, raising more than \$3,700 / *5,000.00*
- Vacation Bible School will be held at SMM in June
- New Deacon was added to the parish as of April

Volunteer Needs

- Roger Molieri retiring in May; Transition plan to Juan Paredes for responsibilities ongoing
- Pastoral Care is in need of volunteer support
- Marriage Prep is in need of volunteer support
- St Joseph Family Fellowship is in need of a new Core Leadership Team
- Vacation Bible School needs volunteer Support
- Mass times are in need of volunteers to greet people

Community Life

- Discussed the needs of SMM to help foster more community life including addition of new events
- Breakfast with the Priest: Fr Chris looking into schedule to attend weekly breakfast at a local restaurant to engage with parishioners in a fun environment.
- Summer Nights to return in June and July: Meet on scheduled Friday Nights at Discovery Park for organic fun at the park.

Closing Prayer – Fr Chris