

Minutes of Catholic Parish of Wellington South Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) Meeting

6.30pm Tuesday 24 April 2018 at St Anne's

Ko tātou tetahi hāpori o ngā ākonga harikoa, e whakatupu ngātahi ana, e ruia ana te karere o Hēhu Karaiti We are a community of joyful disciples growing together and sharing Christ's message

In attendance:

Stephen Neal, Joy Andersen, Penny Holden, Francis Fanning, John Whiting, Joe Green, Dan Morgan (Finance Committee)

Apologies:

Fr David Dowling, Fr Dennis Nacorda, Ivan Moss, Andrew Pozniak

1. Prayer/reflection – Francis Fanning

2. Minutes of meetings

Draft minutes of the meeting of 26 March 2018, as circulated were approved.

3. Matters Arising

- Follow up on action items form part of the agenda

4. Financial Report

- The finance committee sought PPC support in presenting the Parish Property Review and proposal for developments in the Brougham Street property to the Parish. A member of the Finance Team will give a presentation after Sunday Mass in each of the churches to ensure parishioners are informed about the current situation and the options that have been considered. Parishioners will then have the opportunity to comment and give feedback both at the meetings and in writing via the Office. A PPC member will also attend.

5. Social Justice Group Presentation

- Members of the Social Justice Group shared a presentation they had prepared with their vision for 'Creating a Social Mission Parish'.
- The group were thanked for the thoughtful consideration that had gone into the preparation of document. A response needs to be considered by the PPC including the Leadership Team.

6. Leadership Team

- Fr. David is on sick leave and the PPC offer their best wishes and prayers for a speedy and full recovery.

- Passionist Family Group introductory meeting has been scheduled
- The Sacramental Programme Part 2 (Confirmation) begins in May.
- The refugee family that was living in Parish accommodation is in need of support to find appropriate housing.

7. Parish Plan

- PPC members have identified an aspect of the Parish plan they would like to focus and will build on drawing other parishioners to be involved in those areas.

8. Council Membership.

- The process for new members to join the PPC is set out in the guidelines.
- A 'recruitment drive' to promote membership of the PPC as a way to support the parish will need to take place and a notice will be placed in the newsletter.
- A meeting for those who may be interested will be held on 26 June.

Next Meeting Tuesday 22 May 2018 at 6:30pm at St Anne's

Reflection for the next meeting will be prepared