

Newman Hall - Holy Spirit Parish Council Meeting Agenda
March 7, 2022 7:30 – 9:00 pm

Attendance: Fr Ivan, Alfreda, Bob, Youali, Josh, Linda, Ned, Jimmy C, Jimmy O, Sam, Jake (FOCUS)

7:30 – 7:35 Opening Prayer

8:00– 8:05 Adopt February Minutes **Adopted**

8:05 – 8:10 April Meeting Date – check your calendar – Monday 4/11 OR Tuesday 4/19
 • **Next meeting rescheduled to:** April 7 – 7pm to 8:30pm

8:10– 8:20 Old Business:

Hospitality – Linda

- Name tag Sunday to be led by Linda/Deborah 10am Sunday (**Mar 27, April 24**)
- Coffee & donuts – Linda leading effort to explore on **Easter (April 17) for 10am**

Busy Person's Retreat – update

- Fr Ivan to shooting for after Easter

Student Dinner

- **Scheduled for March 13 (PC to help)**
- Dinners should have: salad, lasagna pasta, gluten/vegan free pizza, loaves/bread
- Last student dinner: served 50
- **Alfreda:** to send shopping list to Sam
- **Costco run on Saturday:** Sam will do Costco run on Saturday
- **Available to serve on Sunday:** Alfreda, Linda, Jimmy O’Dea
- **Logistics:** Students will set up tables/chairs; best to ask students to help clean up

Appreciation Event for Newman Volunteers

- Proposed to do on May 7

Goodbye event for Fathers Steven and Steve

4/29/22 (Friday) evening

- **Fr Ivan: to check with Marriage Prep on timing**
- Potluck (ask people to bring food) + bring your own meal (if people are uncomfortable)
- Location: Outdoor Patio + Lounge + Multiversity room
- To provide drinks: Water, coffee
- Ned to check with Yvette can make “Magic Signs” for events
- Potential activities ideas: Fun little games e.g. Giant Jenga, favorite homily etc.

Potentially a BBQ in June – TBD

Pastor's Update

- Covid: Masks are no longer mandatory on campus
- Trouble with live streams
 - Producers show up late (some are volunteers)
 - Fr Steven proposing:
 - Stop daily mass streaming
 - Record homilies and publish as podcast
- Mass slides: Keep lyrics on the slides
- Fr Ivan – looking to have to audio checks / wireless systems
- Synod in process – Please promote Sunday

FOCUS presentation – Jake

- Jake is Lead of FOCUS – currently FOCUS team of 3
- The main mission: make students missionary disciples
- **2020 – 2021:** 147 Bible Study Participants; so far this year: 104
- Discipleship: weekly meetings, desire to lead bible study, commitment to carry out missionary work
- Integration of SMTs and FOCUS: There's an increased dialogue between the two
- Rob: SMT and FOCUS should develop and pass on a playbook

9:00

Closing Prayer