

OLV
Pastoral Council Executive Meeting
August 6, 2006

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 1:45 pm.

Dolores Osborne-Hensley offered the opening prayer.

Members Present: Fr. Steve O'Connor, President & Liturgy Advocate
Dolores Osborne-Hensley, Chairperson
Rose Woodward, Vocations and Life Issues Advocate
Ken Ready, Fellowship Advocate
Scott Kight
Joseph Masterson
Mary Ellen Mayer, Secretary
Dustin LeBoeuf, Youth Representative
John Libby, Youth Representative

Members Absent: Anna Garner, Vice-Chairperson
Greg Risch

With minor corrections, the minutes from July 9, 2006 were approved.

Old Business:

Hall Rental: While new construction is in progress, the Hall will not be available for rental. Since daily Mass will be held in the Hall, those interested in need of rental space will be referred to the K of C. The draft of Rental Agreements will continue to be a work in progress.

Parish Pastoral Planning Committee: Herb Fosman will be asked to provide a report.

Church Renovation: Crestview City Planning has approved the building specs. It will go before the Crestview City Commissioners at the September meeting for building permits to be granted.

During construction, Saturday night Mass will be held in OLV Hall. Sunday Masses will be held at Crestview High School Auditorium.

Religious Education will begin August 16, 2006.

New Business:

When construction begins, and Sunday Masses are held at the high school, the 9:30 Mass will not be included in the weekend schedule. The Council was in unanimous agreement.

Disaster Preparedness: Fr. Paul White, at St. Peter's, is interested in twinning with OLV.

Joe Masterson is preparing a survey to assess the needs and assets of the parish that may be needed before and following a disaster.

Christmas Party: There was a discussion on having a reception, in the Crestview High School multi-purpose room, on Christmas Eve. A date for the day and location of the Children's Christmas party was tabled.

There was a discussion of OLV participation in the Crestview H.S. Homecoming and Christmas parades.

Ken Ready announced that after-Mass socials began again today and were well attended. The socials will not be held during the period of construction.

Scott Kight will arrange an order for 10 "OLV Pastoral Council Member" ID tags. These will attach magnetically.

Pastoral Council Election: Delores Osborne-Hensley, Anna Garner and Ken Ready are the Nominating Committee for the Fall election. Mary Ellen Mayer will coordinate with volunteers to provide the results.

Fr. Steve deeply feels the construction growth of OLV is an outstanding opportunity to grow together and unite as a Parish.

The next Executive Council meeting is scheduled for August 20, beginning at 1:30 pm. The next General Meeting of the Council will be on August 20, beginning at 2:30 pm.

John Libby offered the closing prayer.

The meeting adjourned at 3:30 pm.