

Minutes of Joint Pastoral Council Meeting
Wednesday 24th May 2017

Present : Frank Quinn (Chair), Fr Jamie Boyle, Jacqui McMenemy(Minutes), Rod Smith, Anne Buhrmann, Jack O'Donnell, Catherine Park, John Smith, Orla King, John McGill

Apologies: John Soje, Kathy Onori, Catherine O'Neill.

1. The meeting began with a prayer and reflection on the Gospel from Sunday 28th May
2. Welcome to Orla King - new member of JPC
3. Discussion on how we envisage catechesis being delivered
Lay leadership. - we need to roll out stewardship and we have a responsibility to lead ourselves and not leave it to the priests
Fr Jamie would like to work towards a stewardship event

Anne will share Parish Missionary Mandate with us, we all have to read this and bring thoughts To next meeting to discuss
4. Website refresh/media group Frank has suggested that he assist with updating the JPC part of Falkirk Catholics website
We need a media group of about 4/5 people in order to encourage and educate people on our Faith journey. This group has two people already and Orla and Frank have agreed to join them. Father Jamie is very keen to refresh the website
5. Parish update. Confirmation and First Communions start 3rd June.

Fun Day 27th August at St. Mary of the Angels. Planning meeting 28th June, Church Hall Brown St Camelon

22nd June - commissioning Mass for extraordinary ministers

race night for Malawi was successful £866.50 was raised. Football strips and baby clothes Required
6. Anne Buhrmann will become Pastoral Assistant increasing her hours and responsibilities.
7. AOB
thanks from Jack O'Donnell for the hospitality extended by st. Mary of the Angels after the Ecumenical stations of the Cross
discussion was held re ecumenical services and sharing with other Churches in the area
There will be a student priest coming to the parish for a month in September
8. Next meeting Monday 26th June 7pm