

**Ministry Council Minutes**  
**Monday, May 23, 2022**

**Phyllis Dodds opened the meeting with prayer at 7:04.**

**Council Members in attendance:**

Monsignor Dennis Mikulanic, Pastor  
Beverly Rossio, Chairman; Mother's Spirituality  
Jarvis Nolan, Secretary; Ecumenical/Interreligious

Kathy Lunardi, Caring for the Whole Person  
Mary Comaratta, Receptions  
Susan Van Winkle, Yarn Ministry  
Dan Lunardi, Knights of Columbus  
Phyllis Dodds, Women's Fellowship  
Rosa Santos, Spanish Ministry  
Alex Rinaldi, St. Vincent de Paul  
Beth Siesel, Walking with Purpose, Altar Server Scheduling

**Minutes of the Last Meetings (3/28/2022)**

Beverly presented the minutes of the last meeting for approval. The minutes were approved as distributed.

**The Chairman's Report: The following events are scheduled. Details can be found in the bulletin or reports file:**

May 27, Bingo  
May 29, Ascension; Homeless Veterans Sundries Collection  
June 5, Pentecost  
June 12, Newcomers brunch at the rectory following the 9:00 Mass. .  
June 20, Altar Servers Trip  
July, School Supply Collection  
July 3, Knights of Columbus Breakfast, Blood Drive  
July 11-15, Vacation Bible School  
August 7, Knights of Columbus Breakfast  
August 8-12, Music Camp  
September 11, 9-11:00, Palomar Health here to answer questions regarding flu and COVID vaccine  
September 11, Ministry Faire??  
September 25, 9-11:00, Palomar Health will be here to administer flu and COVID vaccines

Eucharistic Ministers to the homebound are needed.

Cheryl is accepting room requests for meetings 2022-2023

Volunteers are needed for: Vacation Bible School, Music Camp, Mother's Group  
A chairperson for the Ministry Faire is needed

Ministry representations:

Knights of Columbus: Dan Lunardi will be replaced by Rudy Casciato

Women's Fellowship: Mary Ann Scott will be replaced by Susan King; tonight, Phyllis Dodds is  
representing Women's Fellowship

Walking with Purpose: Beth Siesel will be replaced by Susan Sullivan. Beth will remain as Altar Server scheduling

St. Vincent de Paul: Tonight, Alex Rinaldi is representing St. Vincent de Paul in Elmira Roque's absence

**The following are reports from individuals in attendance. For best results, the reports should be read alongside the full reports in the attached file "Ministry Reports May2022.docx"**

**Altar Servers:** Deacon Mike held a training session on Saturday, May 21. Fr Dennis and the staff will be taking the servers to Knott's Berry Farms on Monday, June 20.

**Caring for the Whole Person:** (As reported in Reports File). We are having a ministry table on the patio outside church

the weekend of June 11-12, 2022, to recruit new members and let the parish know who we are before the fall Ministry

Fair. Repeat of the two classes given in January (Moral & Ethical Issues Surrounding Serious Illness and Advance

Planning with Health Care Directives and the POLST Form) are being repeated throughout the year in smaller classes.

During the summer we will begin having What Is the Difference Between Palliative and Hospice Care? Look in the

bulletin and on the parish app for dates and times.

**Knights of Columbus:** There will be a Blood Drive on July 3. Rudi Casciato will be taking over Knights of Columbus.

**Yarn Ministry:** Our May focus is on baby items for the Life Choices collection, in addition to soft hats and lap blankets

for Care of the Whole Person ministry.

**Spanish Ministry:** They coordinate between the Hispanic Community and the church.

**Receptions:** There have been six receptions lately.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** The Western Regional Meeting was held May 10 to 14. There were two requests for support this month: They provided \$100 worth of gas cards for one request and are evaluating the need and possible support for gas cards for a second request.

**Religious Education:** Twenty-four children received Holy Communion for the first time. Registration for Vacation Bible School has begun. There will be a Music Camp a joint event with the Music Department on August 8 through 12 from 9:30 am - 12 noon and will be open to children grades Kindergarten through fifth grade. They will be learning the basics of music through games and activities as well as learning about our faith through the context of singing. Youth and adult volunteers are requested to help make sure the program runs smoothly.

**Women's Fellowship:** They are planning next year's programs. Women's Fellowship donated \$250 to the parish's new program, Caring for the Whole Person. The last of the year's Bingo night was Friday,

May 27. They have been making \$800 plus a night.

**Pastor's Report:** The office is currently working on a short staff. All will resume soon.

Dan Decker, the tenor section leader in the choir, is retiring.

Bishop Brom passed away May 9. His funeral Mass was Tuesday, May 17, at St. Therese of Carmel Church and was concelebrated by several bishops.

Bishop McElroy will ordain Bradley Esterbrooks and Guillermo Hernandez to the priesthood at St. Gabriel Church, Poway on June 24.

Father Daniel Holgren has been assigned as associate pastor of Corpus Christi Parish, Bonita.

We have met our annual Catholic Appeal assessment but not as in the past. We depend on the overage. We have readjusted our expenditure and are operating in the black.

Monsignor has submitted to the bishop his request to retire. The date would be summer of 2023.

The date for the Ministry Faire is September 11. A coordinator is needed. They would line up ministries to participate, secure and set up the Hall. The Faire would also take place after the Saturday night Mass.

There is an opening for the job of Religious Education secretary.

### **Council dates for 2022**

September 26.

November 28

The next Council meeting will be 7:00 p.m., September 26, 2022, Room G.

Monsignor closed the meeting with prayer

The meeting adjourned at 7:42 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Jarvis Nolan, scribe