

## Infant Jesus Pastoral Council

### MEETING MINUTES

Date/Time: January 18, 2011 – 7 pm

Location: Ministry Center

Present: Father Szolack, Deacon Nick, Deacon James, Deacon Bob, Steve Graham, Patti Graham, Barry Hills, Tammy Gatto, Nick Moffa, Tom Petri, Frank Dunleavy, Bob Law

- 1.) Father Szolack led the council in an opening prayer.
- 2.) Minutes were approved from the December 7<sup>th</sup> meeting.
- 3.) Father Szolack presented the following updates:
  - a. Shared news that he was named Dean of Deanery 1. More information to follow on the Bishop's vision on decentralizing the Deaneries.
  - b. Father spoke about his relationship between the parish council and himself as it pertains to the decision making process.
  - c. Father introduced Jessica Fahy, and gave an overview of her vision for our youth council.
  - d. Father Joe requested support and guidance for future hiring procedures including the development of an official interview process/panel.
  - e. Deacon James, along with Father, spoke about implementation of the new Roman Missal inclusive of an informative bulletin insert for the months leading up to its use beginning the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent.
  - f. Father spoke of steps that need to be taken to collect information for the Census.
- 4.) Deacon James spoke about preparation for Total Consecration to Jesus through Mary beginning February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011.
- 5.) Steve Graham spoke about a new "sign up" feature on the Parish website.
- 6.) Patti Graham gave an update from the Spirituality committee and shared ideas for Lenten activities.
- 7.) Barry Hills advised that the Buildings and Grounds committee will have its first meeting on January 19<sup>th</sup> to discuss plans, finances, and timelines for repairs and upgrades to the Parish property.
- 8.) Nick Moffa led the council in closing prayer.