



Parish of The Most Precious Blood

Part of the R.C. Diocese of Plymouth Reg. Charity No. 213227

Parish Priest: Canon Paul Cummins

NOTES FROM THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING - Saturday 18th March 2017

Introduction.

John Larter welcomed members to the meeting. A prayer was led by Fr Paul.

Apologies

Received from Jeremy and Geraldine.

Items from 28 January Meeting

Fr Paul advised that a new Parish Pastoral Assistant was about to be appointed, working 10 hours per week.

Cathy and Ann are representing local churches on the 'Sidmouth Health Forum'.

Items from the Parish Priest

Fr Paul will send a card to the family of the local youth who had recently tragically died, and had been an assistant at Lourdes with our local group.

Fr Paul is no longer overseeing the administration of neighbouring parishes.

Property Review Update

The name will now be The Church Development Project. A meeting is to be held in the hall on the evening of 29 March to update the Parish before taking forward to the planning permission stage. All concerned were very positive about the project and its financing.

Other Business

Cathy spoke about 'Safeguarding' and online resources for refresher training. She will investigate further as to the way forward.

John mentioned the possibility in the future of the Anglican congregation being involved with the SVP. Also, an annual report to the parish needs to be made by the SVP.

Tanya received overwhelming support for her to progress with the 'Walk of Witness' poster.

Michael asked how Fr Paddy's birthday in September might be celebrated. Fr Paul said he would consider the idea of a Mass with the possibility of the Bishop attending.

Next Meeting May 27th 2017 at 10.00am in the hall. Note taking by Michael, and Prayer/ Reflection by Naomi.