

## Holy Family Pastoral Council Meeting

March 18, 2026

**Present:** Fr. Matt (For Fr Ryan), Jaye Baus, Julie Baltz, Althea Burrier, David Ransom, Elaine Graf, Nora Dee, Derek Nelleson, Pam Minsch, Iracen Servin, Fr Fernando, Carmen Valenzuela (Hispanic Community), Chrissy Butzen, JoAnne Streeter

**Absent:** Melissa Heany, Mike Immel, Patty King, Breanna Nehls, Brian Seel, Amy Wilcox, Angela Raflik

**February minutes approved as written.**

The meeting opened in prayer as well as with the Parish mission and vision statements.

### New Business

Fr Fernando and Carmen Valenzuela of behalf of the Hispanic Community distributed a handout and reviewed past and current activities within the Hispanic Community.

- ❖ Mission
- ❖ Activities
- ❖ Participation
  - Confirmation and First Communion Numbers showed dramatic increases 2026 vs 2025
  - Youth, Women's and Formation Groups have been initiated.
- ❖ Fruits & Impact
- ❖ Challenges and Needs
- ❖ Future
- ❖ Pastoral Support
  - Fr Fernando suggested possible council member / pastor attendance for a Hispanic community meeting.

Fr Matt presented a Pastors update on behalf of Fr Ryan.

- ❖ Sacred Heart Update, Fr Tanel's return, Warming Shelter wrapping up 5/1, Domestic Church Potlucks, Adoration Weekend, Lenten Priest Talks

### Old Business

No questions, comments or reports for Christian Formation, Human Concerns, Worship or Stewardship Commissions

Next meeting April 18, 2026. Next Executive Committee Mtg April 7, 2026.

Stacey Akey and the SMSA Team will report on SMSA status.

**Closing Prayer – Melissa Heany (Provided a written prayer for all in absentia)**