

## **SUMMARY OF PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING DECEMBER 17, 2018**

Members Present: Fr. Michael Gendron, Deacon Chris Paul, Rachael Rhodes, Deb Raiche, Blandine Labbe, Hank Deshaies, Frank Hanscomb, Darrell Gates, Marc Gagnon, Liz Michaud, Cecile Chabot, Krystal Bessette, Michelle Paul (recorder)

Members Absent: Eric Ramsey

Men's and Women's Small Group Studies: Deacon Chris and Blandine Labbe will continue to meet with individual small groups beginning in the new year.

Lenten Bible Study: Fr. Michael will be leading a bible study during Lent. More information will be available in the bulletin and on the parish website.

Rosary Coast to Coast: Rosary Coast to Coast took place on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. There was a good turnout for the event, and Fr. Michael received many positive comments. He plans to repeat the event using different mysteries. There were some people who were disappointed that the normal Tuesday evening rosary in October was cancelled.

Cross Catholic – Homes for Christmas: The parish raised over \$8,000 for the Cross Catholic Homes for Christmas project. The total amount was mailed to Cross Catholic during the first week of Advent.

Christmas Book Project: Fr. Michael purchased copies of Matthew Kelly's "The Greatest Lie in Christianity" to distribute at the Christmas Masses. A parishioner donated the money to purchase the books.