**Saint Michael Catholic Church /Mount Airy, Maryland**

**Pastoral Council Meeting Agenda**

**Thursday, April 3, 2019/ 7:00 to 8:30 PM / Room A-122**

**In attendance**: Tricia Buckman, Ted Burkhardt*,* Karen Courtney, Bob Doody, Bill Hammett, DaveJames*,* Jim Nalepa, Alyssa Smith*,* Juliana Weber, Joann Wozniak, Chuck Young

**Opening Prayer:** led by Chuck Young

**Information Sharing**

1. Approval of Council Meeting Minutes & Announcements
2. Pastor’s Report – no report due to Communal Penance Service concurrently scheduled
3. Business Manager’s Report – N/A
4. Review of the Pastoral Council Retreat led by the Parish Success Group
   1. Positive experiences were expressed via email
   2. Questions arose about what sort of data collection would be administered.
   3. Advantage of having a third party provide feedback, direction and suggestions
   4. Funding available for the 3-month initial process
   5. Pastoral Council recommends that the Parish moves forward on the 3-month proposal.
      1. Timeline: could possibly start as early as May. This would allow us time to plan and implement in the fall.
      2. Efforts should drive through the various Parish committees with communication identified as a critical element throughout the entire process.
      3. Recommended that the contract is forwarded to Wade Gallagher, the Lay Corporator and Melissa Gallagher.

**Discernment/Discussion of Issues**

**Closing Prayer**

**Next meeting date and time:**

**May 1 at 7pm**