Pastoral Council Meeting September 9th, 2008 Church Basement – 7 PM

- Welcome to New Pastoral Council Member Joe Bellew
 - o Item for bulletin Meeting for Ushers
 - Need to order blazers, need usher pins
- New Youth Members
 - o Suggestions
 - Erin Henrici, Amy Bishop, William Dykstra, James McCaffery, Paul Kennedy
 - Father John recommends James
 - O Voted and passed: Dan Senif and Joelle Lachance will notify James McCaffery
 - Amy Bishop alternate
- Building and Grounds
 - Last Buildings and Grounds Meeting most productive
 - o Steps:
 - Rob wants to wait until spring to see what happens over the winter.
 - Have Building and Grounds put in budget for September 2010
 - o Parking Lot
 - Looks Good but not finished being striped
 - Needs better barrier to designate parking space
 - Security of Parish Center
 - Eastman will take out old doors
 - Subcontractor will install new doors
 - Painting Church
 - Paul Russo will contact Dr. Leonardo about taking paint off and exposing brick
- New Crucifix
 - o Funding available
 - Jen will present at January meeting
 - Goal by Christmas 2010
 - A tour of was made of the Church to view possible sites for the new Crucifix.
- Christmas Celebration
 - o Co-Leaders Joe Kennedy and Susan Miosek
 - Wednesday, December 17th
 - Rob Bohm has information
 - Brian Wrubleski will be the chef / Beverages from Landers
 - Coats for Kids (will contact Deb Kiser for confirmation)
- Parish Picnic
 - o Victor Sacchi's Report
 - Went well about 150 people attended
 - Senior parish member not in attendance
- Father John's report : Recent Council History
 - o Very concise report of our success with suggestions for 2008 2009
 - o Theme for 2008 2009 Year: "Family and Youth"
 - CLAY Catholic Leatherstocking Area Youth will present at next meeting
- Prayer:
 - o The Meeting ended with a prayer by Father John for guidance and support this year

Respectfully submitted Susan Miosek 9/12/2008