

SVDP Commission on Education Meeting Minutes

May 16, 2017

In attendance: Father Pallardy, Father Taylor, Patsy Santen, Margaret Maddalozzo, Beth Swanson, Kathy Barnett, Julius Solsoloy, Sarah Hogan, Stephen Morris, Rachel Tigue, Patrick McShane, Meghan Moore, Laura Rodgers, Michael Moon

Absent: Bill Gebhards, Ann Dixon

- Meeting called to order at 5:30 p.m.
- Vocare Prayer
- Minutes from 4-18-17 meeting reviewed and approved.

- Father Pallardy's Report: May Crowning and First Communion went well / discussion about importance of attending mass. May 20th is 8th grade graduation. This is the last year it will be at 4:30. Given the new mass schedule, it will be moved to a special 2 p.m. mass in the future. Parish tuition policy discussed. Father met with some families concerned about it, but overall the feedback he received was positive.

- Patsy Santen's Report: School is finished on 5/26. New reading series arrived. Some cleaning will be necessary since storage is at a premium. One teacher is not returning. Reading and Math Academy discontinued because other curriculum will cover it. Tuition management program discussed. There will be workshops to assist families in the understanding and implementation forthcoming. August 6th is the ambassador potluck after the 11 am mass.

- Kathy Barnett's Report: pre-K: M-W-F is full, but several spots still available for T/Th.
- Sarah Hogan's Report: nothing to update.

- Margaret Maddalozzo's Report: Strategic Plan small groups reminded to turn in updates to Patsy. Election of officers for next year. Margaret and Laura will remain president and vice president and Beth Swanson will be the new secretary for 2017 – 2018.

- No Women's Guild or Men's Club Report

Closing prayer by Father Taylor.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 PM