



## Pastoral Council Updates October 2017

Our Parish Pastoral Council had its first meeting of the year on October 12<sup>th</sup>.

Our Council meetings are vibrant and productive. We have honest and respectful discussions about how to implement the Parish Mission that we updated in 2014. Although we have accomplished a great deal in the last few years, we are aware that we need more visibility and a better method for communicating our goals and objectives to the larger parish. Along with coordinating a very successful Parish Mission, we continue to meet with parish groups, expand our social media presence, update our parish website, produce a regular edition of the Anastasian, and welcome new members to the parish. Going forward we hope to receive input and suggestions from parishioners.

With the recent election, we added two new members to council: Brigid Shank and John Loughran. Welcome and Congratulations!

Other members of the Council are: Father Colagreco, Father Dwyer, Sister Mary Barrar, Linda Cellucci, Jim Murphy, Deacon Ted Raczkowski, Mary Anne DeAngelo, Katie Downey, Joe Crimmins, Jim Lake, Amy Posse, Denis Glavin, Theresa Haggerty.

Keep your eye out for future re-caps of our meetings. Thank you to all who voted in the last election! Each year the number of votes increases so we think this means the parish is beginning to take a greater interest in the work of the Council!