

**ST. TEILO's with OUR LADY of LOURDES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**Minutes of the Meeting held on Thursday, January 11<sup>th</sup> 2018 at 7pm**

**PRESENT:**

Canon Isaac	President
Madeleine Walters	Chair
Helga Evans	Secretary
Claudiu Bulai	Clare Loveluck
J.R. Diaz	Madeline Page
Kathy Kirby	David Roblin
Gerry Lewis	

**1. Opening Prayer**

Claudiu led the Opening Prayer

**2. Apologies:**

None

**3. Minutes:**

Madeleine agreed that the Minutes of the last meeting were correct and this was seconded by all present.

**4. The Presbytery at OLOL**

Canon Isaac stated that the Presbytery at Our Lady of Lourdes was still in a bad state of repair and a separate meeting was to be arranged with Andrew Massey to deal with this. In the meantime Fr Michal Oszczudlowski has moved into the house.

**5. Safeguarding**

Gerry Lewis reported that he had checked the validity of documents of all parishioners. Madeleine suggested that a new list should be drawn up and placed on the noticeboard in the porch. Gerry reported that he had been in touch with Martin Mahoney and a second meeting was to be arranged. Fr Michal would like to be included. A date is to be confirmed.

**6. Youth Ministry**

The social evenings had so far gone very well. The Leaders suggested having a meeting with Canon Isaac to draw up a plan for 2018. Several suggestions

were made. In the meantime it was agreed that Pancake Tuesday, February 13th was a good time for the next Social for the young people. Madeline suggested that young people in schools should be made aware of these activities.

**7. Review of Dementia Information Evening**

Gerry Lewis had made enquiries about social events that were suitable for people living with Dementia. He reported that there was quite a selection of dates and different events in and around Cardiff; ranging from tea/coffee afternoons to choirs at various venues, brass bands and many other activities. It was agreed to produce flyers/leaflets with this information and to make parishioners of St Teilo's and at Our Lady of Lourdes aware. Furthermore, it was suggested to use the database to identify parishioners over 65 years and ensure that they are not living alone and lonely. This will show that the Church is caring and understanding.

**8. Social Group**

As Canon had previously suggested that we hold a Cheese & Wine evening on St Teilo's Day, February 9th, following the evening Mass at St Teilo's at 7.00pm.

This will take place at the back of the church where some tables can be placed. There will be also be soft drinks and grapes etc.

Canon also pointed out that there will be Mass at St Fagan's on Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> February at 10.00am.

**9. Sacramental Preparations**

Canon pointed out that the dates for First Holy Communion and Confirmation have been set and forms have been available to fill in with the candidates' names and other information. These are to be handed in as soon as possible.

**10. Date and time of next meeting**

The next meeting will be on Thursday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> 2018 at 7pm.

**11. Concluding Prayer**

Canon said the concluding prayer and gave a blessing.

The meeting closed at 8pm.