



Pastoral Council Nomination

Pastoral Council has (4) upcoming vacancies on our board: 3-year terms. The positions are renewable for an additional 3 years after the first term expires. Parishioners may nominate themselves or other members of our parish, with their permission.

- **Nominees must meet the following requirements:**
 - ✓ A registered parishioner of OLP for at least 3 years who is at least 18 years old
 - ✓ A regular participant in the worship life of our parish who participates in the sacraments
 - ✓ A parishioner that takes their faith seriously

- **Nominees should also have the following characteristics:**
 - ✓ Enthusiasm regarding the future of our parish
 - ✓ Ability to collaborate with others; openness to other people and ideas
 - ✓ Desire for spiritual growth for themselves and the parish

- **Nomination Procedure:**
 - ✓ Complete the nomination form on the back
 - ✓ Obtain the signature of the person you are nominating (if you are nominating yourself, have another parishioner sign the form as a personal endorsement)
 - ✓ Forms are due at the parish office by Monday, May 17, 2021

- **Member Selection:**
 - ✓ Applications will be reviewed for completeness
 - ✓ From the eligible applicants, names will then be chosen by lot

- **What is Pastoral Council?**
 - ✓ Works in collaboration with the Pastor on the parish vision
 - ✓ Council looks at the needs of the parish and advises on plans to meet the needs in line with the parish mission
 - ✓ Parish council **does not** make decisions about the daily operations of the parish

- **Time Commitment:**
 - ✓ Meetings are held the fourth Monday of every month except July and December
 - ✓ Additionally, there is a one-day retreat and a planning session
 - ✓ Members may also be asked to serve on a subcommittee

Please contact current members of Pastoral Council for additional information: Fr. Rich Toohey (pastor), Fr. Mark Hoffman (parochial vicar), or Nancy Milkowski (president).

