

Holy Eucharist Catholic Community Church
Pastoral Council Meeting Minutes
 Thursday, April 9th, 2026, 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 pm

Members Present: Father Derek, Juana Uribe, Letty Mejia, Pat Golditch, Maria Burnett, and Maria Rocha
Members Absent: Jorge Mariscal, Mary Cross, Diane Nell, Rose Marie Cardona, Jerry Dias, Phyllis Dias, Chris Rodriguez and Paz Padilla
Recorder: Maria Rocha

Agenda item	Discussion / Action	Who
1. Scripture Reading and Reflection	Pat did the reading and reflection.	Pat Goldich
2. Review and Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes	Meeting minutes from the February 2026 meeting were reviewed and approved. No meeting in March. Father Derek did the first motion and Maria B seconded the motion for approval, minutes were approved unanimously.	All Council Members
3. Finance Council Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The finance committee has not met ● Some finances need to be put in order ● The parish accountant has not provided an update ● Looking for someone new, ideally local, to do bookkeeping work for the parish due to the unsatisfactory work of the current accountant. Current need is for eight hours one day a week 	Father Derek
4. Facilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Paul Vitali will donate \$400 a month for a year to take care of the grounds in the Stations of the Cross. He has already arranged who will perform the maintenance work ● Father Derek recommended that the Stations of the Cross be dedicated to Mike DeNike as he was instrumental in the design. His recommendation was unanimously approved ● Ongoing issues with the bathrooms in the parish and the rectory. Jose, the parish's maintenance personnel, will fix the issues 	Father Derek
5. Hispanic Community	The Hispanic Community remains active and always willing to help.	Father Derek
6. Liturgy / Environment Committee	The committee was very busy during Easter. They did an amazing job with all the transitions and preparations.	Father Derek
7. Ministry Group to Call Sick or Absent Members	A committee will be formed during the next council meeting on May 7th.	All Council Members
8. Ministry Drive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Father Derek will personally ask people if they would like to serve as ministers in the different ministries in the parish 	Father Derek

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Eucharistic Ministry will be highlighted during the month of April ● The Ministry of Greeters will be highlighted in May 	
9. Patio Enclosure Fundraiser	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Father Derek received a \$5,000 donation for the patio enclosure project ● Father Derek met with Peter Fryn , regarding the outdoor patio project. Peter is waiting for the prices of materials to lower 	Father Derek
10. Event/Activities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Raffle Event</u>: Father Derek will talk to Tomas about donations for this raffle 2. <u>Parish Potluck</u>: May 17th after the 12:00pm mass. Ice cream and toppings will be provided by the parish, parishioners will be invited to bring food to share 3. <u>Fiesta Event</u>: July 26th after the 12:00pm mass 4. <u>Wine Tasting</u>: September 27th 5. <u>Makers Festival</u>: October 24th 6. <u>Rummage Sale</u>: 2027 	All Council Members
15. Next meeting	<p>The next regular meeting is scheduled for May 7th, 2026, at 5pm. Juana will lead scripture reading and reflection.</p>	All Council Members