

PCCW Installation Ceremony, Brunch & Brief Meeting Summary | May 16, 2026

Present: Fr. Clark, Amy Fendrick, Kathy Benes, Kay Palha, Barb Kruse, Nicki Pope, LaDonna Hegemann, Bonnie Damrow, Anne Trieb, Janice Goracke | Guest: Ulysses Palha

Not Present: Kathleen Noonan, Melanie Wesely, Rebecca Baskerville, Jennifer Kellogg

Installation Ceremony & Brunch

Fr. Clark led the PCCW Installation Ceremony. Outgoing board members Barb Kruse, Janice Bosland, and Jennifer Kellogg were acknowledged and thanked for their dedicated service and contributions to PCCW.

Following the ceremony, Barb Kruse graciously hosted a delicious brunch for attendees.

Kathy Benes gave a brief welcome and thank you speech, officially welcoming Nicki Pope as the new Treasurer. Kathy also expressed appreciation for the contributions of each board member and gave special recognition to Fr. Clark. She thanked Ulysses for setup and tech support.

Kathy shared a short video presentation on Pope John Paul II's *Letter to Women*:
[Letter to Women Video](#)

Brief Business Discussion

Although this was not a regular board meeting, two time-sensitive items were discussed to allow spending decisions prior to upcoming deadlines.

Parish Fundraiser T-Shirts

Kay and Ulysses Palha are serving on the Parish Fundraiser Committee and are coordinating the Bar for the event. Kay suggested that PCCW support the fundraiser by taking ownership of the t-shirt sales.

A motion was made by Janice Bosland to purchase 50 t-shirts for the parish fundraiser without presales and to sell them onsite during the event. Amy Fendrick seconded the motion.

The motion passed unanimously. PCCW will purchase 50 shirts to be sold onsite during the fundraiser. Once sold out, attendees will still be able to place orders at the event for later pickup following the fundraiser.

Leadership Retreat

Kathy Benes proposed holding a PCCW Leadership Retreat on July 24–25. She motioned to approve up to \$500 to reserve the John XXIII Diocesan Center for the two-day retreat. Amy Fendrick seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Closing

Fr. Clark led the closing prayer