



APPROVED Minutes of Called Diocesan Council Meeting

Via ZOOM/Conference Call on Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at 7:00 pm

In attendance:

Council Members: Bishop Bonnie A. Perry, Dan Buchin, Bruce Cann, Toni Dennis, Martha Hanoian, Bruce Hinkle, Sandy Hite, Shirley Lappi, Karen Lewis, Steven Steinberger-Domienik, Felicity Thompson, Luke Thompson, Teresa Wakeen, Roger Weekes, Alice Sawyer, Judith Schellhammer (Assisting Secretary), Cleda Smartt, Edie Wakevainen (Secretary)

Diocesan Staff: Jo Ann Hardy (Canon to the Ordinary), Mark Miliotto (Canon for Finance),

Excused: Bill Stech, Anna Stania

Opening Prayer – Bishop Perry

Business – St. Cyprian’s, Detroit

Canon Hardy presented background information about St. Cyprian’s, Detroit. In January the leaders voted to have the diocese assume management of the property. There has been a caretaker in place since then. The diocese has been covering the bills. Canon Hardy and Canon Ekevag met three times with the leadership. The membership voted to close.

According to the canons, the closure must be approved by Diocesan Council, the Standing Committee, and the Bishop. The motion to support closure was unanimously approved.

Closing Prayer – Karen Lewis

Respectfully submitted,

Edie Wakevainen

Edie Wakevainen, Secretary, Diocesan Council