

Annual General Meeting on March 2, 2025

Positions to be elected at AGM for 2025

Chairperson

Members at Large

Eligibility

Only registered parishioners fully initiated in the Catholic Church and 16 years of age or older shall be eligible to serve on the Pastoral Council as set out in the by-laws.

Term of Service

Chairperson:

The chairperson shall be elected for a three-year term of office. They may be elected for two consecutive terms. Prior to another re-election they must be absent from that position for one year. The chairperson and vice-chairperson shall have Holy Child Pastoral Council experience.

Members at Large:

Maximum of four Members at Large shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting for a three-year term with eligibility of re-election. One position shall be a Youth Member at Large.

Duties and Responsibilities

The duties and responsibilities of the chairperson include but are not limited to the following:

- consultant to the parish priest when needed
- prepare agenda for Pastoral Council meetings with parish priest
- chair Pastoral Council meetings
- one representative on Finance Council
- chair for AGM
- chair committee re: amendments to the constitution when needed
- (chair) recommends parishioners for Lay Ministry Formation
- initiate the AGM Organizing Committee
- initiate the planning of Pastoral Council retreat
- welcome the Archbishop at Confirmation

The duties and responsibilities of Members at Large include, but are not limited to, the following:

- be a voice for issues and concerns from parishioners
- report activities they are aware of to Pastoral Council
- be in touch with the pulse of the Parish as a whole and take on unassigned duties as required