

## MINUTES

Voice of the Faithful, Inc.  
Board of Trustees Meeting, February 17, 2015

**Present via Conference Call:** Mark Mullaney, Anne Southwood, Margaret Roylance, Mary Pat Fox, Larry Mulligan, Mike Ryan, Mary Freeman, Phil Megna, Executive Director Donna Doucette; Development Director Jayne O'Donnell.

**Absent:** Pat Gomez

President Mark Mullaney called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Opening Prayer:** Mark Mullaney

Draft minutes of the January meeting were reviewed and approved.

**Finance Report** – Report presented by Anne Southwood. Donna indicated that we had two months reserve in the checking account. The March appeal will be sent out mid-March.

**Executive Director's Report** – Donna reported on the Family Synod survey she put together for the AUSCP, which was sent to their 600 priest members. To date they have had more than 300 priests respond. It will be sent to all priests in the US by March 15. The tabulation of their membership response should be available in two weeks.

**Healing Circle** – The second Healing Circle was held in Virginia on January 31 and received much positive response. Bill Casey is held in great esteem by the survivors as someone who is honorable and forthright. He has had an important role among the survivors in the area as someone who has supported them tirelessly over the years.

**VOTF Assembly** – Mark will distribute two questions to the participants at the Assembly: “What does the family mean to you?” and “How can the Church support your family?” Donna also indicated that information on specific workshops will be sent out to registrants so they can sign up for the three they wish to attend. The time allotted for the workshops will be one hour each, allowing people time to talk and ask questions at the end of the presentation without feeling rushed.

Mary Pat Fox reported on her conversation with Francis Piderit, who is the leader of the NYC affiliate.

8:02 PM – The meeting ended with a prayer.